

Learning workshop (SAMPLE)

Early childhood education in Italy

Vicenza, 14-days programme (+2 travel days)

1st week

Day	Time	Activity	Place
Sunday		<i>Arrival</i>	Vicenza
Monday	MORNING	Welcome, programme and participants' presentation	Vicenza
	AFTERNOON	<i>LECTURE</i> PRACTICAL AND THEORETICAL INPUT 1 Early childhood education in Italy	
Tuesday	MORNING	<i>LECTURE</i> PRACTICAL AND THEORETICAL INPUT 2 Montessori pedagogy today	Vicenza
	AFTERNOON	Analysis of input 1 and 2 in small groups (coordinated by accompanying teachers)	
			Guided city tour
Wednesday	MORNING	<i>SEMINAR</i> PRACTICAL AND THEORETICAL INPUT 3 Inclusion in day care centres and kindergartens	Vicenza
	AFTERNOON	Definition of the observation process (coordinated by accompanying teachers)	
Thursday	MORNING	1. Job Shadowing (in small groups)	Surroundings of Vicenza
	AFTERNOON	Evaluation of the Job Shadowing (group work)	
Friday	MORNING	<i>WORKSHOP</i> PRACTICAL AND THEORETICAL INPUT 4 Parental competence and pedagogical institutions	Vicenza
	AFTERNOON	Analysis of input 3 and 4 in small groups (coordinated by accompanying teachers)	
Saturday		Excursion with thematic city tour (optional)	Venice

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2nd week			
Day	Time	Activity	Place
Sunday		Excursion (optional)	Verona/Padua/ Lake Garda
Monday	MORNING	2. Job Shadowing (in small groups)	Surroundings of Vicenza
	AFTERNOON	Review of the observation process (coordinated by accompanying teachers)	
Tuesday	MORNING	<i>LECTURE</i> PRACTICAL AND THEORETICAL INPUT 5 Singing with children	Vicenza
	AFTERNOON	Analysis of input 5 in small groups (coordinated by accompanying teachers)	
Wednesday	MORNING	3. Job Shadowing (in small groups)	Surroundings of Vicenza
	AFTERNOON	Evaluation of the Job Shadowing (group work)	
		Students prepare final presentations	
Thursday	MORNING	Students prepare final presentations	Vicenza
	AFTERNOON		
Friday	MORNING	Students present final assignments including observations, new ideas and improvements for their own facilities	Vicenza
	AFTERNOON	Evaluation meeting (coordinated by Eurocultura and accompanying teachers)	Vicenza
Saturday		<i>Departure</i>	