

# The project

We want to improve awareness of the major environmental issues affecting our communities and control the ecological footprint of our schools.

Our objectives are to promote a holistic approach to language teaching and learning, taking advantage of the linguistic diversity of our schools and the use of new technologies, involving students with special educational needs and disadvantaged backgrounds.

The partnership is composed by:

- IES Districte Marítim (Spain) <https://portal.edu.gva.es/districtemaritim/es/inicio/>
- St. Louis de Crest (France) <https://www.stlouis26.eu/>

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## ENVIRONMENTAL WATCHERS

Fires, flood and erosion  
Alborache, 15-19 November 2021

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# Fire, floods and erosion

## Number of participating students

- IES Districte Marítim (Spain): 30
- St. Louis Crest (France): 13

## *Comparison of ecosystems and environmental situation*

The joint stay has been carried out in a bioclimatic hostel in Alborache, a town near Valencia, where the Spanish and French boys and girls have lived together in a bubble group (following the recommendations and limitations imposed by covid-19).

## Activities

- Workshops and itineraries through different Mediterranean ecosystems (for example, the Albufera of Valencia, or the pine forests near the city) guided by specialists, which have helped us to understand the environmental problems of Valencia.
- Comparison with the environmental situation between Valencia and Crest. Proposal of solutions and alternatives.
- Exchange and coexistence in international teams, which has helped integration and mutual knowledge, to generate bonds of friendship, to have the opportunity to communicate in a foreign language, to open the debate to different points of view, and also to the knowledge of other cultures.

# PROGRAMME

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## Monday

Welcome and visit to the centre  
Ice-breaking: Multi-adventure  
Astronomy night

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## Tuesday

Marine ecosystem: Oceanogràfic.  
Environment: Science Museum  
Listening to nocturnal fauna.

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## Wednesday

Mediterranean forest, deforestation, fires and environmental problems.  
The Alexandria lighthouse.

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## Thursday

The natural park of l'Albufera and the Devesa.  
The city of Valencia. History and environment  
Night of talents.

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## Friday

Conclusions and farewell.