

Learning Journey: The rainbow

Background and context



Where?	Country	Romania
	Setting name	Kindergarten "Ciupercuta Bucharest
	Local environment	Urban
	Location within setting	Preschool setting
Who? (Children)	Year group / age of children	3 rd year of pre primary school, 5-6 years old
	Number of children in class	25 children in the class
	Profile of children	Children come from families different in terms of structure and social context. All of them are native Romanian speakers.
	Grouping	Mixed ability
Who? (Adults)	Number of adults	2 teachers, one in the morning (8:00-13:00) and the other in the afternoon (12:00-17:00)
	Role of adults in the class	Class teachers working in shifts.
	Role of lead teacher in school	Class teachers
	Experience of lead teacher	Teaching for 26 years in pre primary education
	Qualifications of lead teacher	Bachelor level degree (Psychology and Education Sciences)
When?	Time scale of topic described in Curriculum materials	1 lesson of 50 minutes
	Timing in year	Spring term
	Frequency	1 activity
	Lesson timings	50 minutes (2 sessions of 25 minutes)
How?	Organisation of Learning space	Indoor area
	Planning	There are regular science and mathematics activities every day, in accordance with the

		weekly planning.
What?	Topic	The lesson about colours and shapes was performed at the discipline “Knowing our environment”.
	Links to national and local guidance	Science activities are derived from the annual planning and they are consistent with the national curriculum for the preschool education: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The pre-schoolers will develop skills associated to scientific investigation such as: observation, formulation of hypothesis, experiments planning and making, interpreting of data obtained from experiments. • The pre-schoolers will be encouraged to make experiments, to use instruments or equipments, to register and communicate the results of the scientific observations, to use different sources of information, to solve problems, to look for solutions, to synthesize valid conclusions.
	Links to school policy	The school policy follows the curriculum objectives for preschool education, but the teacher is free to decide and organize all the activities, including science.



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