

Out of class activity

Project “Success” “Aleko school media”- club at Plovdiv Radio station

Hello! We, the students from “Aleko school media” once again have the pleasure of sharing with you our impressions from another interesting meeting – that with the journalist Mihail Grablev and the institution Radio Plovdiv. Our host is a presenter of more than 20 years of professional experience. He is the creator of the Bulgarian educational portal. And the project “Online school – obrazovaniето.com” won 1st prize from the contest for “Best young entrepreneur in 2009. He graduated from PU “Paisii Hilendarski”, majoring in Slavic philology and with a specialization in journalism.

We checked out some of the studios – including “Studio 1” which has 70 seats and is equipped with a state-of-the-art 24-channel British Solid State Logic AWS 900 sound desk. We sat in the chair of the presenter and his guest, heard how the same words can sound differently, depending on the specifics of the broadcast. Microphone, sound desk, air... green, yellow, red light on the indicator in front... To start with – some history – what information has been aired in the dawn of radio, for entertainment – interesting events and guests in the studio, and finally – in a meeting with the sound director and the music, as an invisible modulator of the listeners’ interest and mood. We promised ourselves to meet again with true magic. Till next time!

“Aleko school media” club
Under project “Success”

Official display of “Magic fairytale- Grammar of fantasy Club”

The students from 3 `A` grade are participating in project “ Success” during this school year. Our club is called “ Magic fairtale- Grammar of fantasy”. We work and experiment on the interesting ideas of Gianni Rodari, connected with development of children`s creative forces and their conversion into thought and will. The fictions and games give an opportunity to the children to express their dream journeys and adventures with words. Gianni Rodari helps the work of the teachers, he gives them interesting opportunities to work on the language skills. Of the course of just one school term the students showed great improvement in mastering the knowledge of creating texts, they come up with story beginnings and compile funny stories and fantastic fairytales with ease. The imagination and the methods for its encouragement are becoming a tool for the language education of children. They love playing with words, read fast, write with a better grammar and of their own volition.

On 12/ 02/ 2013 our first official display took place. We had a lot of guests- parents, principals, teachers. We had prepared wonderful invitations for them.

The students showed how a random word can set our mind in motion, evoke sounds and images, associations and memories. In this game we included the parents as well, with our help we set the beginning for interesting stories.

After that we showed how to create the **fantasy binomial**. Again with the help of parents, we created two. Our two teams – of the parents and of the children, worked on one of the variants. The students` stoy won the largest amount of applause unanimously.

The children showed how easy the technique of the “**fantastic hypotheses**” is. A few funny stories, based on the question “What would happen, if...?” were read.

The students read their own stories as well, connected with “**the random prefix**”.

The **riddles and false-riddles** created by the children caused a lot of good mood and laughter, as well as the wonderful **limericks**.

The guests listened carefully to a few fairytales “**backwards**”, a “**salad**” of fairytales and **copied fairytales** – “**kalki**” fairytales (**loan translation fairytales**). The children showed how to create a fairytale – “**definitely with a key**”.

In the end the children used “**Prop`s cards**”. Using them the children succeeded in making their guests happy with a new, funny story.

Red Riding Hood and Malechko Palechko – a fairytale with an easy ending or an elegant way of handling The Wolf

Red Riding Hood went once again to bring her grandma various sweets. And, unlike in the fairytale, she was sick of being eaten by the wolf every day and having the huntsman rescue her by ripping the wolf's stomach open – her hairdo was suffering from that scenario every day. She wanted something more elegant. As she was walking through the woods, she was dreaming about that when in front of her stood a little funny boy with big boots.

"Who are you?", said the bored Red Riding Hood.

"Malechko Palechko, from a fairytale not known as well as yours", said the little boy.

"You must be going to see your grandma, according to the script?"

"I am", she said. "Come with me if you want."

Malechko Palechko had nothing to do right now anyway, he was bored in his own fairytale, so he decided to accept the offer.

"Sure", said the little boy, "but I'm bit tired, my boots are heavy and you'll have to carry me."

"Men!" thought Red Riding Hood, but since for her this was some kind of a break from her daily routine, she agreed to carry him in her basket. They went through the woods and because (you don't know that, because the author skipped it) Malechko was a big glutton he had a nice meal in the delicious basket. When he was full he fell asleep.

In grandma's house the wolf was looking at his watch if it was time to eat Red Riding Hood, the grandma was already in his stomach. He didn't wait for long and soon his "victim" came. And because everyone knew their script, Red Riding Hood blinked, sighed and went straight towards the wolf's mouth. Full from the grandma, the granddaughter and the whole basket the wolf fell asleep. But in his stomach it was interesting. The grandma had just woken up from her afternoon sleep. Red Riding Hood was waiting for dusk time, when the huntsman would come and rescue her and Malechko Palechko had woken up from his sweet nap, when he realized that everything was dark around him.

"Well, it was a good nap! Look at the time!" he said and while he was yawning and stretching, accidentally, he switched on his magic boots. And because they were fast-walking, in the wolf's stomach it was a real whirlwind. He became ticklish everywhere and in a tickle-outburst he sneezed so hard that he spat out the grandma, Red Riding Hood and Malechko Palechko.

And so, the huntsman was left without a job for the day, and probably for longer, and as for the Red Riding Hood? At least she kept her hairdo intact.