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TRAVEL TO PORTUGAL

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Let's get to
know this
experience...

DAY 1



On day 1, all the group went to the school to meet the school of Granja (the place that we lived). All the countries presented their presentations and then we ate lunch at school. In the evening we stayed at school and we went to a welcome party that the Portugal team organised. It was great!

DAY 2



On day 2, we went with the group to the centre of Porto to experience the town, see some important attractions and to do shopping therapy! We ate lunch in MacDonald's and we return to our house with my host, Maria. In the afternoon, we went with some guys from the group to the Miramar Beach to watch the sunset. It was a really nice view! In the evening we ordered food from a restaurant with the family that hosted me and then, really late in the evening we went to Maria's cousins to listen music and get to know each other!

DAY 3



The day 3 was a free day. Everyone spend time with their family. Me with Maria went to a museum in Porto called Galeria da Biodiversidade. This museum it was the parental home of a famous writer in Portugal, Sophia de Mello Breyner Andresen. It was really interesting! After that, we went to a really beautiful natural park, Palacio de Cristal that various concerts are held in this place. It has a magical view. After that, we had lunch with Maria's family and her cousins' family. In the afternoon we went to another city, Espinho, near Granja, with Maria and one of their cousins. When we came back, we had a traditional Cypriot dinner all together with the food that I gave for present to the family that hosted me. It was delicious!

DAY 4



In the morning of 4th day, we went at school. We did some creative constructions like, we made beautiful tiles. Then, we had lunch at school and in the afternoon, we went with some guys from the group to play bowling in the mall. At 7 o'clock, we took a taxi with Maria and we went to her aunt's house to have dinner with her cousins. We ate a traditional Portugal food, called Francesinha. It was really good! After dinner, we played cards and we listened music all together to relax and have fun!

DAY 5



On day 5, we went again at school. There, was waiting a bus to took us to a port in the Porto. We borrow a boat with the group and explored the rivers, 7 bridges and the colourful houses of Porto! After the walk in the rivers, we, the Cypriot team ate crepes in a cafeteria with our hosts! In the evening, we return back home and we got some rest!

DAY 6



The last day, day 6, me and my host went to the school for the last time. In the afternoon, my host's family took me to their farm in the countryside. They have chickens, dogs, ducks, vineyards and a really big house. There, Maria's whole family were waiting for us to have lunch all together. After we explore the whole farm, we return back home, I packed my suitcases and in the evening, me, Maria and her brother Francisco went to their tennis practice. It was really fun!

IMPRESSIONS:

This trip was a magical experience that I will never forget! I have to thank all the teachers that decided to choose me for this wonderful trip and all the guys that I met in Portugal that gave me the opportunity to live these amazing moments there! I will keep all these memories in my heart and my mind forever <3

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