

## 1. Project title

Plan of long-term educational and preventive activities entitled "TO SOURCES OF SAFETY KNOWLEDGE - OPEN ENTITIES OF POLICE" conducted in the province Warmia-Mazury

### 2. Main theme

Equipping children and young people with skills that allow them to avoid dangers in various areas of everyday life and satiety that violate the law. Ensuring security and public order for all inhabitants of the region and prosecuting offenders.

## 3. Project purpose and outcome (in two sentences)

 Providing young people with knowledge about legal provisions and legal liability of minors for their deeds. Presentation of the role of the Police as an important formation in the structure of the state, deserving respect, in the context of perpetuating a good image of it.

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The meeting consists of three thematic blocks

- 1) Presentation of the role and tasks of the Police,
- 2) Presentation of Police equipment, eg means of transport, personal equipment of a policeman, service rooms, etc.
- 3) Lecture: on threats, adequate to the age of listeners and the season of the year, or to discuss the subject previously indicated by the teacher.

Younger children talk about threats, including:

- Safe way to school providing basic knowledge about traffic rules.
- Peer violence How to and should not behave at school so that nothing bad happens.
- Fun in the yard how to safely spend time in the yard,
- FOREIGN KEY
- Does the dog have to bite the rules of handling the dog, learning the safe attitude of the "turtle".

- Home alone threats that may be lurking for a child staying at home without adult supervision and how to avoid them
- · Fireworks and firecrackers
- Safe winter holidays how to safely spend time while playing in the snow and ice.
- · Safe holidays
- Secure Internet
- other

With the youth talks on the topics:

- The term juvenile, demoralization, criminal act. Legal and criminal liability of minors for committed acts.
- · Hazards related to alcohol consumption, drug use
- Peer violence, including cyberbullying
- · RD regulations
- · Escape from home
- Activities of sects
- other

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- 4. Project submitter (Member State), project leader(s) and project partner(s)
- Prevention Department of the Provincial Police Headquarters in Olsztyn
- 5. Links to the project's website or online reports/publications (preferably in English)

An example of unflagging interest in the project are this year's activities in connection with the celebration of the so-called "Truant's day" on the occasion of the "First Spring Day". On March 21, 2019 Warmia and Mazury police officers invited pupils and teachers to their Police units.

The most recent link to the activities of March 21, 2019. :

warminsko-mazurska.policja.gov.pl/ol/aktualnosci/56113,Wagarowicze-wyladowali-w-komendach.html

# 6. Short summary of the project (**max. 100 words**)

The suggestions that policemen send to schools and kindergartens are education representatives. Meetings that take place in the officers' work places give children and youth the opportunity to see the formula of the service directly, practically "live". This, in turn, contributes to moving away from the belief that police work is far from being a society. On the contrary, in young people an opinion is being built about officers whose aim is to take care of and security for the well-being of citizens.

In addition, in the message that is directed to children and adolescents, the statement that they themselves have a huge impact on their own and other people's security prevails. Police officers remind that the individual decision of young people greatly determines their future. The project has been implemented since September 1, 2010.

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# 8. Project objectives

- 1) raising knowledge about threats, ways to avoid them and counteract them.
- 2) Teaching the right social attitudes.
- 3) Preventing the demoralization and crime of minors.
- 4) Approximation of the role and work of the Police
- 5) Creating a positive image of the Police

### 9. Project outcome

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# 10. Start and end project, timescales and key milestone dates

The project has been implemented since September 1, 2010.

Police officers submit to the Prevention Department of the Military Police Headquarters in Olsztyn a report on the implementation in the six-month system, i.e. in July for the first half year, then in January for the second half of the year.

## 11. Funding (total budget and type of funding (e.g. ISEC, EUCPN Fund,...))

The project is carried out within the framework of forces and own resources, without additional financial contributions. In addition to educational talks, police equipment used in everyday service is presented.

### 12. Evaluation

The project was started from September 1, 2010. And since then it has been implemented by Police units reporting to the Provincial Police Headquarters in Olsztyn.

The project enjoys interest from teachers and school children and youth.

### 13. Contact details project

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