

**Gymnasio  
Zipariou Kos**

**"Let's know each other: Strategy for  
the Equity Inclusion of Roma  
Students"**

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### **Applicant Organisation**

Gymnasio Zipariou, Kos, Greece

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### ***Our website***

<https://blogs.sch.gr/roma/>

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<https://twinspace.etwinning.net/163264/home>



## SUMMARY

The project raises up from the need to improve the educational level and consequently life condition of the Roma: the project aims to help break down the barriers and attitudes that result in young Roma students dropping out of education and deny better career opportunities and it also enables parents to realise their own potential as advisors, educators and a resource for their children. It offers parents, schools and local authorities a range of possible methods for improving the outcomes for this group, in order to contribute to a stronger, more unified and better articulated inclusion of Roma students in EU education sector.



Two of the **tangible results** reached by the Consortium during the project's lifetime will be the **tailor made guide about "Roma students' inclusion: an effective interaction with Roma students and their parents"** and the **photographic exhibition about Roma traditions** (it will take place in all the consortium's countries).

There will also be three Short-term joint staff training events, one in Bulgaria, one in Hungary, one in Portugal: "Evidence of possible inclusion", "New Roma generations are growing: inequalities, resources", "Roma and school: a difficult relationship".

Running the project, in the end of it, we will be able to:

1. Establish relationships among European Roma and non Roma populations;
2. Improve the educational level and consequently life condition of the Roma;
3. Promote the value of cultural diversity and intercultural dialogue as a tool to fight against social exclusion and marginalisation;
4. Transmit and raise the consciousness of the Roma families in relation to the importance of education as fundamental tool to achieve a better integration into societies;
5. Approach regional governments and NGOs to Roma educational issue;
6. Involve together Roma students and parents, regional and local authorities, stakeholders and NGOs.



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