

COMENIUS PROJECT *SO ECO GREEN*

Local Institution To Deal With Agenda 21 And Sustainability

Jonava Senamiestis Gymnasium, Jonava - Lithuania

JONAVA MUNICIPAL COUNCIL of SUSTAINABILITY carries out the following plans and actions according to AGENDA 21.

PLANS:

- Monitoring quantitative and qualitative changes of the environment;
- The establishment of Natura 2000 territories;
- The development of entertainment and tourism sectors;
- Bypass and river navigation.

MATERIALS AND BOOKS:

- Jonava lands - Water technology of Jonava region ;
- Let's save cultural heritage;
- Flora and fauna of Jonava region;
- Jonava sustainable development: a strategic plan.

ACTIONS:

- Town spring cleaning action "LET'S DO IT!";
- Project "NO TO VIOLENCE";
- Project "LONELY BUT NOT SEPARATED";
- Integrated project for disabled people "EQUALITY TREE";
- Project "A DAY WITHOUT CAR";
- Project "SAFE ENVIRONMENT - SAFE JONAVA";
- Action "FOOD BANK";
- Bicycle path.

JONAVA SENAMIESTIS GYMNASIUM PAST AND PRESENT AGENDA 21 ACTIONS

- Take care of yourself and people around you;
- Forest for coming generations;
- Help stray animals;
- Qualitative analysis of drinking water and that of water basins in the region;
- Integrated project "Slap in the face" with handicapped children;
- A week without bullying;
- Wild animals need your assistance;
- Installations, outfits, musical instruments made of recycling materials.

MOST IMPORTANT PROBLEMS IDENTIFIED IN OUR TOWN BY STUDENTS

Environmental problems:

- Waste in surrounding forests;
- Contamination and air pollution;
- Vandalism.

Economic problems:

- Poverty and huge gaps among different social groups;
- Low salaries and high level of unemployment;
- Shadow economics.

Social problems:

- Increasing emigration; Bullying among adolescents;
- The integration of disabled people into the community.

Cultural problems:

- Decrease of learning motivation among students;
- Lack of cultural facilities;
- Passiveness of town dwellers.