

EUROPEAN BEST PRACTICES TO SUPPORT CHILDREN WITH HIGH POTENTIAL  
AND TO ACCESS TRAINING FOR GIFTED CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES -  
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# WELCOME TO BULGARIA

- ✓ It is a pleasure to work together on a project Gifted (for) you and tell you welcome in Bulgaria;
- ✓ This training course is especially important for exchange of good practices and contacts between Bulgaria, Poland and Romania;
- ✓ The theme for talented children is particularly relevant today.

- ✓ During the training, we will be able to work together on issues related to emotional intelligence, the talents of the 21st century, the positive stigma towards people with disabilities, exchange and development of best practices to support children with high potential.
- ✓ To be effective, our communication, we need to know. **Who is who?**
- ✓ I would like to introduce my country and 20 fact related.

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1. Bulgaria is the only country in Europe that hasn't changed its name since it was first established. This happened in 681 AD.



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2. The Cyrillic script was developed in the First Bulgarian Empire during the 9th century AD at the Preslav Literary School by disciples of the Greek brothers Cyril and Methodius.



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3. With the accession of Bulgaria to the EU on January 1, 2007, Cyrillic became the third official alphabet of the EU.

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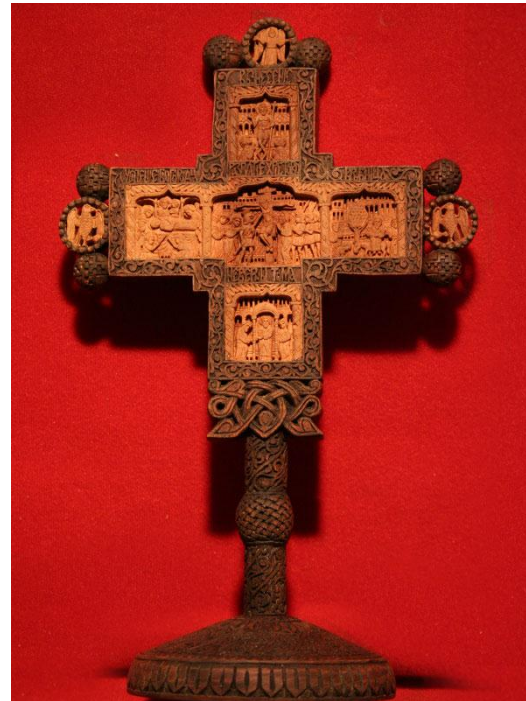
4. Patron of the University is Paisij Hilendarski. Padre Paisij is Bulgarian spiritual father who wrote the first history of Bulgaria: „Slavonian-Bulgarian History“.





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5. The Rila Cross is a wooden cross with 140 microscopic scenes from the Bible featuring more than 1,500 figures. The largest of them is no bigger than a grain of rice.





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6. The Bulgarian folk song “Izlel e Delyu Haydutin” by the Bulgarian folk music singer Valya Balkanska was sent in deep space on the board of the US Space Probe - Voyager I, as part of a collection of our civilization’s finest cultural artifacts - a message to an alien intelligence.



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7. The oldest gold treasure in the world was found in Bulgaria (in 294 graves were found 3000 gold objects dating back more than 6000 years).



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8. In 1976 UNESCO declared the ancient Bulgarian calendar as the most accurate in the world.



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9. *Lactobacillus Bulgaricus*, the bacterium that is responsible for giving Bulgarian yoghurt its unique flavour and consistency, can be found only in Bulgarian air.





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10. The roses grown in Bulgaria's "Rose Valley" produce most (70-85%) of the world's rose oil - a component in most perfumes.



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11. Bulgarians shake their heads to mean yes and nod for no.



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12. Vanga is a famous Bulgarian prophetess. It's believed that lots of her predictions came true. She is blind.





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13. Rayna Kasabova was a Bulgarian air force pilot and the first woman in the world who participated in a military flight.



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14. Acad. Nadjakov - the discovery of the photoelectric state of substances in 1937 was the foundation of the development of photocopiers.



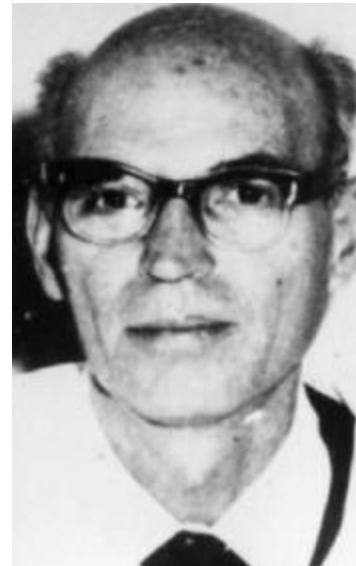
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15. John Vincent Atanasoff was a physicist and inventor of Bulgarian descent, best known for inventing the first electronic digital computer.



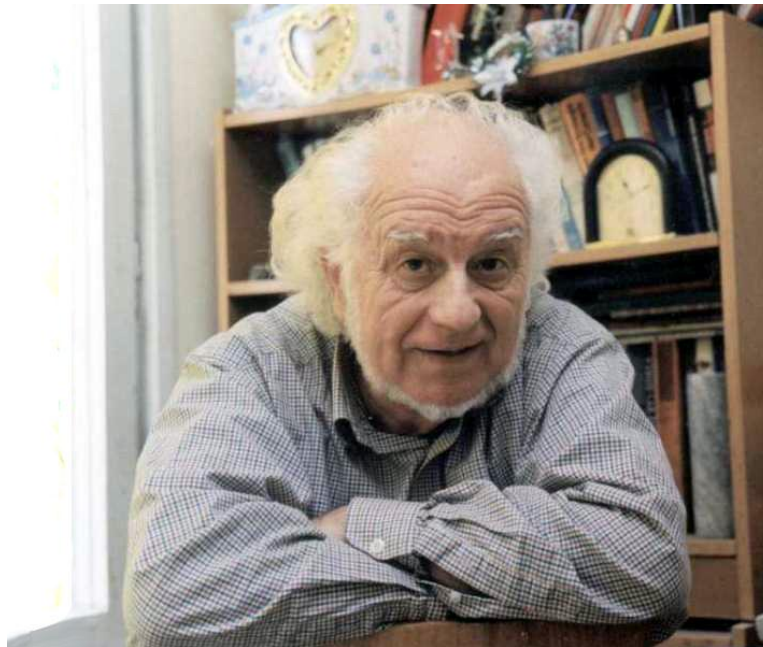
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16. Dr. Dimitar Paskov in 1956 derived from Leucojum extract and create Nivalin, which successfully helps in the treatment of polimielit, cerebral palsy and other neurological diseases.



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17. Prof. Lozanov creates method of training called Suggestopedia recognized by UNESCO and used worldwide. Through his method students learn the material from 3 to 5 times faster.



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18. Stefka Kostadinova won the high jump of the World Championships in Rome with the sensational 2.09 metres. It has been 28 years since then and no other woman has managed to match or beat this record.



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19. Another world record is hold by Yordanka Donkova in 100 metres hurdles. With time of 12.21 min. this record hasn't been broken for 27 years.





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20. Bulgaria's Got Talent - reality television.

It is a talent show that features singers, dancers, magicians, comedians, and other performers of all ages competing for the advertised top prize.

In 2015 the winner is Plamen Lubenov.

Please watch the video...

<http://vbox7.com/play:71aa20fbf1>

# TASK № 1

## KNOW YOUR PARTNER

You have:

- A whiteboard;
- A box with materials containing: scissors, plasticine, felt-tip pen, tape;
- Magazine;
- 30 minutes.

# TASK № 1

## KNOW YOUR PARTNER

You will need to:

- Split into five groups;
- Choose a speaker of your group;
- To prepare a panel paintings, drawings, which represent your country, use the available materials;
- Tell us about your country.

Do you have any questions?

I wish you successful work and have fun at the  
task!

Thank you for your attention!

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