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Virtual study tour to Estonia

Thursday the 20th of May '21

Program 11.00-13.00 – Danish time [12.00-14.00 – Estonian time]

11.00 - 11.10 - Virtual welcome by The Minister of Children and Education, Pernille Rosenkrantz-Theil.
(Estonian time: 12.00-12.10)

The Minister welcomes and introduces the agenda.

11.10 - 11.30 - Presentation by Jeppe Bundgaard, Professor - Danish Institute for Pedagogy and Education
(Estonian time – 12.10- 12.30)

The presentation will summarize the PISA 2018 results for Danish students and give a brief comparison between the Estonian and Danish PISA results.

11.30 - 11.35 – Questions & Answers (Estonian time – 12.30-12.35)

11.35- 11.55– Presentation by Maie Kitsing, Advisor from the Estonian Ministry of Education and Research
(Estonian time – 12.35-12.55)

The presentation will summarize the Estonian understanding of which factors that has been successful in their educational system and why Estonian students shine in global tests such as PISA.

11.55 - 12.00 – Questions & Answers (Estonian time – 12.55-13.00)

12.00 - 12.20 – Presentation by Margit Timakov, Chairman of the Teachers Union in Estonia
(Estonian time 13.00-13.20)

The presentation will summarize the strong Estonian teaching culture and tradition and how this culture might affect the Estonian student's results in global test such as PISA.

12.20 - 12.25 – Questions and Answers (Estonian time – 13.20-13.25)

12.25 - 12.45 – Presentation by Rando Kuustik, Principal of the Jakob Westholmi Gümnaasium
(Estonian time – 13.25- 13.45)

The presentation will revolve around why it is important to give teachers a high level of freedom in teaching and how Estonian teaching culture is affected hereby.

12.45 - 12.50 – Questions & Answers (Estonian time – 13.45-13.50)

12.50 – 13.00 – Closing remarks from The Danish Minister of Children and Education
(Estonian time 13.50-14.00)