



# International cats calendar

## 01 Summary

Children in international groups created cat calendars. They posted their calendars online together with drawings, (true and imaginary) stories, facts, and songs about cats. The project started during COVID-19 when children spent a lot of time at home with their pets. They presented their pets to each other during online meetings in order to feel more connected with other children during lockdowns. The project won a quality award in Slovenia in 2022.

## 02 Goals

- To develop students' social, intercultural and ICT competences
- To make children feel they are not alone during COVID-19

## 03 INVITED Criteria

1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15

## 04 Target learners

Primary school, 7-11 years

## 05 Partners

14 countries: Italy, Slovenia, Croatia, Serbia, Macedonia, Romania, Turkey, Moldova, Georgia, Armenia, Ukraine, Lithuania, Poland, Latvia

## 06 Cross-curricular areas

Natural science, art, music, ICT



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### Products

- Videos
- Presentations
- Calendars
- Drawings
- Stories
- A common song about cats (a project 'anthem')
- E-book

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### Tasks

- Getting to know each other's pets during online meetings
- Creating a calendar in international groups (together with students' drawings, photos of their cats, stories about cats, tips how to look after cats, facts about cats, videos where children sing songs about cats)
- Creating a project song about cats (as an 'anthem')

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### ICT tools

- Genially (online tool to create animated and interactive posters, presentations ...)
- Twinspace
- Video recording tools
- Canva
- Quizziz

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### References/Links/More information:

- <https://twinspace.etwinning.net/190224/home>
- <https://twinspace.etwinning.net/190224/pages/page/1718866>
- <https://view.genial.ly/626db37886de020018ee97e8/presentation-international-cats-calendar>

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### Other interesting points about the project

In Slovenia the project partners included local community – lectures for the students by the local animal protection society.