

Learning Diary

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Through various handicrafts and songs workshops, our partners make us share and exchange on our life-experiences, aspirations and projects.

" Bag items workshops " :

In a bag there are several items. Participants are making a circle around the bag. The objects are then shown to participants.

The aim is to choose a representing or inspiring item. In turn, participants explain their choice.

This workshop has created a climate of confidence conducive to exchanging since everyone has shared parts of his own history and experience.

" Cutting-collage workshop ":

To link a word to a picture: this workshop helps to visualize words, to understand their meaning thanks to drawing (visual photography) as well as to memorize word spelling.

Example: TREE = TREE DRAWING.

Then let's link the word and the picture to a common theme family (set).
Example: TREE + FLOWER= NATURE.

This method is similar to teaching in schools in France how to write and read.

" Song workshop ":

Songs with different themes (news, love ...) are used to get into acquaintance with new lyricists or ancient writers, poets ... and thus to open to different opinions, ideas, to compare with participants' "cultural references appropriate to the audience ".