

SCHOOL OLYMPIC GAMES



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WHY SCHOOL OLYMPIC GAMES?

School Olympic Games:

- explain the idea of Olympism
- give students a chance to enjoy physical effort
- bring Olympic Games to every student



IDEA OF THE SCHOOL OLYMPIC GAMES

A. Educational period:

- Introducing the Olympic idea in different lessons (integrating the Olympic theme into curricula)
- Compiling of thematic stands
- Essay contest
- Art contest
- Contest of designing an Olympic mascot
- Fair Play contest
- Get-togethers with sportstars
- Visiting Sport Museum
- The output - Olympic quizz

B. Sport Festival:

- **Opening Ceremony**
Parade of the participants
Olympic flag and anthem
Lighting of Olympic fire
Oath of the athletes and judges
Culture program
- **Competitions**
- **Closing Ceremony**



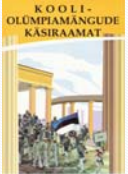
Main stages of the project of the School Olympic Games

- Compiling and issuing teaching materials on Olympic education
- Conducting courses for teachers, coaches and school directors
- Organising all-Estonian contest for the projects of School Olympic Games
- The Games
- Analysing of the results
- Recognition of the best School Olympic Games



Teaching materials

- Folders about the School Olympic Games
- Handbooks of the School Olympic Games and Olympic Guidebooks
- Educational video (in 3 languages)
- Mobile (roll-up) exhibitions:
 - Olympic and the Games: Party inside us
 - Our Sports Heroes (two languages)
 - Fair Play (two languages)
 - Fair Play in Estonian Sports



Courses for the local organisers of the School Olympic Games

- Annual regional courses of Olympic education in different counties of Estonia
- Participants: teachers of PE, school directors, sports administrators of the counties



Contest for the projects of the School Olympic Games

- All schools in Estonia are invited to participate
- All forms and supporting information are available in the internet page: www.olympiaharidus.eu
- Evaluation of accompanied projects is made by group of experts
- The best projects will be supported financially

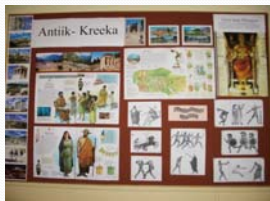


Contest for the projects of the School Olympic Games 2012

- 38 projects took part
- 114 different schools and kindergartens
- 13 counties
- 6 schools from Finland, Norway, Ireland and Russia
- 13320 students



School Olympic Games: educational activities



MAKING STANDS



KNOWLEDGE TEST

School Olympic Games: Visiting the Estonian Sports Museum



School Olympic Games: Different styles



School Olympic Games: Preparation of the Olympic village



**School Olympic Games:
Interesting sport events**



**Ancient Olympic event:
Juuru Parish School Olympic Games**



**Ancient Olympic event:
Alatskivi Secondary School**



**Chariot racing:
Nõo Real Gymnasium**



**Sumo tournament:
Juuru Parish School Olympic Games**



**Athletic teacher
from Märjamaa Gymnasium**



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School Olympic Games: Participation of disabled students



School Olympic Games: Judges and mascots



School Olympic Games: Meeting with top athletes



**GERD KANTER,
Beijing Olympic champion
London bronze medalist**



**ANDRES RAJA,
Beijing Olympic athlete**

School Olympic Games: Various awards



School Olympic Games: Additional reward for the organizers

- After every 4 years a Seminar on Olympic education will be organised in Olympia, Greece in cooperation with the International Olympic Academy.
- Each time, 10-15 organisers of the most outstanding School Olympic Games will be selected, whose participation costs in this seminar will be covered by the Estonian Olympic Academy.

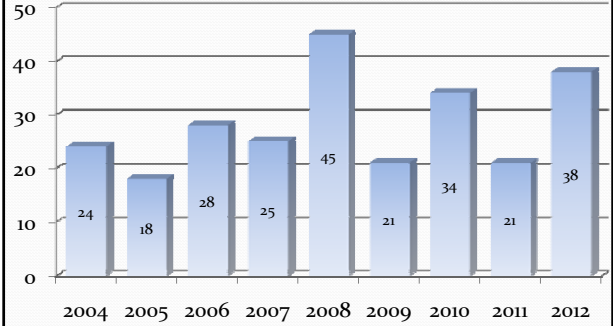


CONCLUSIONS OF THE PROJECT OF THE SCHOOL OLYMPIC GAMES

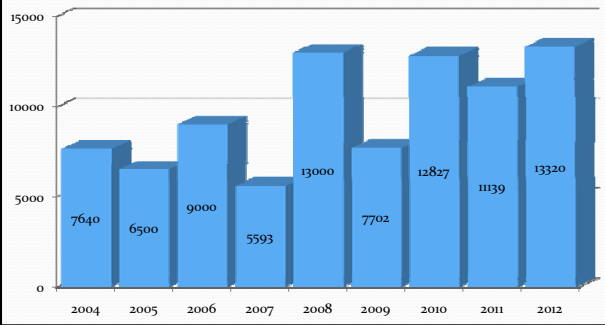
- During 9 years of the project 254 School Olympic Games has been organised
- More than 86700 students has took part in School Olympic Games



SCHOOL OLYMPIC GAMES: NUMBER OF THE GAMES in 2004-2012

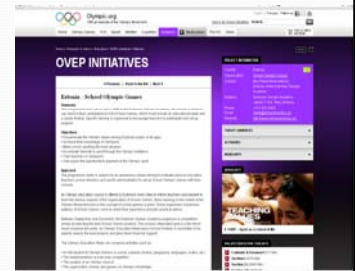


SCHOOL OLYMPIC GAMES: NUMBER OF THE STUDENTS in 2004-2012



INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION

- The project of the School Olympic Games has been recognized by the IOC and introduced in the IOC webpage (Olympic Values Initiatives)



<http://www.olympic.org/estonia-school-olympic-games>

Wishing you a good co-operation in Grundtvig Workshop School Olympic Games!

