Primary School no. 3 in Marki
The Monument of Victory 1920

About Us
Magazine

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Our Town—Marki

• 30 thousand inhabitants
• 10 km from the center of Warsaw
• 2500 business entities
• investment areas
• good communication with the capital
• forests and reserves

Some historical facts:

VIII millennium before the birth of Christ - the oldest traces of people in Mark
4000-1700 BC - traces of settlement of Neolithic, Neolithic cultures including
1565 - the oldest mention of the Long River and the mills
1601 - the oldest written information about the village of Marki written in the document signed by the King of Poland Sigismund III Vase
1650 - population of Marki has about 40 inhabitants
1883 - English industrialists Briggs & Posselt launched a spinning factory
1917 - erection of the parish of St. Isidore,
July 1916 - November 1918 - Marki under the German occupation
1922 - establishment of the “Marcovia” Sports Club
1923 – establishment of Volunteer Fire Brigade
September 1926 - first lessons in the new school-OUR SCHOOL
1929 – Marki’s Commune Health Center is established
September 8, 1939 – Marki’s first bombing of World War II
September 13, 1944 – liberation by the Soviet Army
Some historical facts:

- main street today
- and yesterday
- historic railway
- town view
- our nature
- town hall
Our School

Marshal Józef Piłsudski Patron of the School

First building of the school

1926
Project of the new school

changing

Present
Our Teachers

These are our Teachers and Staff
Mrs Katarzyna Grygolec
REEDUCATOR

- Good morning, could we ask you some questions?
- What changes would you like to bring to our school?
- I’m conducting corrective, convective and revalidation classes.
- Now we are waiting for a lot of changes because there is a very important time of reform. After many years we went back to eight-year primary school, and it involves a huge change. This changes has influence on all school’s society. As a headmistress I have to develop documentation. We need to create a new school statute which is a basic document regulating all our activities and teaching areas. Together with the whole pedagogical team I also have to take care of the safety of the students. We are working very hard to make our students safe, feel good, know who to turn to in various difficult situations and what’s the most important, prepare our students for the next years of learning and for the next challenges that are waiting for them in their future life.
- How do you help children at our school?
- I’m focused on specific learning difficulties and their development. We also play variety of games.
- And what do you do with your pupils during the classes?
- The most extreme case was when an eleven-year-old child could not read or write.
- What age are the children you help?
- Start at first grade up to the fifth grade.
- How do you assess the new teaching system after the reform?
- I think that the evaluation will come after some time because until now we are only implementing this new education system. There is a new curricular, new textbooks and it is obvious that as something new is introduced it takes time to see the effects. I know that for example, parents are happy that children stay in the same institution for another two years because they feel safer. They know the school and their teachers. The environment is familiar for them. Your skills are already recognized by teachers and it is easier for us to conduct teaching process. I believe that various obstacles and difficulties will be all worked out and this new education system will bring positive effects.

Mrs Beata Szczypkowska
HEADMISTRESS

- Good morning, can we ask you some questions for Erasmus+ Magazine?
- Please, I am very happy to answer.
- What do you think about behavior of the students at our school?
- We’re focused on students’ behavior and safety issues a lot. We have a special program named “Student with class”. in which students can collect or lose points for their behavior and activities. I think students’ behavior is getting better, but it still needs a lot of improvement and we need to work over the next few years, but the progress in this case is evident.
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- How many students and teachers are in our school?
- At present, our school is attended by seven hundred and sixteen students. In the school work 59 teachers. But I also have to point out that there are seventeen employees of the administration and service: the secretary, the staff, the ladies in the kitchen, the housekeepers, the caretaker. So there are almost ninety people working together, this is a very large number of employees who watch over your safety and educational process.
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- Thank you very much and I invite you to such activities in subsequent years.
Mrs Małgorzata Ciechomska
TEACHER-LIBRARIAN

- Good morning, can we do an interview with you?
- With pleasure.
- What kind of person should be a school pedagogue?
- Should be a positive person with the “you can!” attitude towards student. Should be also effective, creative and has a good sense of humor. In the same time should be professional and has a PASSION!
- Do you like your job?
- I love. It is my calling to be a pedagogue. Each child has got some potential to do what she or he wants to do in their life. My job is to concentrate on helping to delete obstacles in the way to their aims. The students surprised me every day and I learn.

- How do you assess your job and how long you’ve worked here?
- I have been working here since 2005. It’s 12 years. My work is quite difficult, because our school has almost 800 students and I am the only librarian so it is hard for me to get to know students individually. It is also hard for me to know each person’s preferences and to know what do you like reading. Although it’s a bit difficult it give me satisfaction.

- What kind of book do children usually borrow?
- Children mostly borrow rhyme stories. Very popular is the series “I read to myself” for the youngest children. Is a series of books that helps with learning how to read.

- How do you judge a new program multi-year (free books for each students, the book is used for 3 years by different students) textbooks?
- This program has given me a lot of extra work because every book needs to be put into the inventory. I have to make a biographical description of each book, insert a stamp, paste a bar code sticker and give the inventory number and assign this number to the bar code. Now we have more than 10 thousand multi-years books.

- How are book borrowing statistics changing over the years?
- This is a difficult question to ask. Most students borrow books because they have to read particularly books obligatory. Of course some of them read for pleasure and because they like reading books, but the largest groups come to library when the teacher requires.

- Thanks for the interview.
- Thank you very much.

Mrs Jolanta Augustyniak
PEDAGOGUE

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THE SCHOOL’s ANNUAL EVENTS

Every year we celebrate numerous of events at our school. Here are the most important…
On 10th May we celebrate School Day

This event is very important for us. Every year we invite the school’s community to present our talents.
Every 15th September we clean the world
Every year all students clean the environment around our school during the International Day of Cleaning the World.

We have special assembly during national events like our Day of Independent 11th of November
Every year we welcome Spring

During this holiday we make a Marzanna. That day we all dress very colorful.

School Eve

Every December there is a Christmas show, performed by students from our school. We invite parents, teachers and guests from our town.
The day of Grandmother and Grandfather

On January 27th in our school takes place Grandparents’ Day

The day of Santa Claus

Every 6th December we have special guest – Santa Clause!

We also prepare Christmas decoration with our parents who organize this event for us.
WE ARE OUR SCHOOL

Some facts
At our school there are 716 students
We have 30 classes with about 24 students in each

Our school is special because we are special!
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