



First meeting MALTA  
Monday 19<sup>th</sup> of December – 21<sup>st</sup> of December 2005

Sunday evening 18<sup>th</sup> of December : Informal welcome dinner

19.00

Meeting at the reception of the hotel  
<http://www.baystreet.com.mt/hotel/>

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> of December : Getting to know each other and the STIPPS-project

9.00

Coffee or tea  
(10.30)

- Welcome and Hallos
- Review the work plan (stages, aims, objectives, outputs, products)
- Questions and expectations

12.30

**Lunch**

14.00 – 17.30

Coffee or tea  
(15.30)

Focus on STAGE 1

**Theoretical vision and model of scientific thinking for young children (*presentations*)**

Every partner reports his state of art concerning scientific thinking with young children regarding the expectations of the own institute and the national context. This report can be based on the literature study and own vision on good education.  
(max. 30' per partner)

19.00

**Dinner**

Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> of December : Focus on STAGE 1

9.00

**Social event:**

School visit Patri Felic Sammut Primary School and University  
<http://schoolnet.gov.mt/stpaulsbay/>  
<http://www.um.edu.mt/>

13.00

**Lunch**

14.00 – 17.30

Coffee or tea  
(15.30)

**Theoretical vision and model of scientific thinking for young children (*working session*)**

Based upon this theoretical vision of scientific thinking we will choose/agree about a model for scientific thinking as a common starting point for this project.

19.00

**Dinner**

Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> of December

9.00

**Outcomes Stage 1**

- reference list and list of local feedback groups
- chosen model for scientific thinking in (pre)primary school (outcome working session)
- website (under construction): structure, discussion forum, ...

**Follow up of STIPPS concerning Stage 2**

Coffee or tea  
(10.30)

- agree on structure of a learning line for scientific thinking according to the national curriculum: (see work plan)
- communication between the STIPPS meetings
- Confirm responsibilities of partners

AGENDA



12.30	<b>Lunch</b>
14.00 – 17.30  Coffee or tea (15.30)	<b>Financial aspects</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• contract → Grant agreement (annex 2)</li><li>• suggestions concerning 75% funding versus 25% own resources</li><li>• payments - costs</li><li>• partner agreements</li><li>• appendices</li></ul>
17.30 – 18.00	<b>Evaluation of the first meeting</b> (Karl Donert)
20.00	<b>Farewell Diner</b>