

## PROJECT IMPACT IN HUNGARY

1. Impact of the zero project was very positive for both participating students and colleagues. Those extra programmes, enriched the students and the teachers with experience and knowledge.

2. The program's subject, was not exercised just within the school. We contacted a several animal organizations.

Which includes:

- Sirius Animal Shelter
- Kutyavár Vetklinik
- »Hand in the paw« Savings Dog Association
- Simonpuszta Horse Park
- Noel Farm-Animal Farm
- Budapest Zoo
- Érdi Animal Rescue
- AKELA Dog School
- Association of Weakened owners in the Buda Region

3. We liked to talk about the project's work wherever we went.

The Apor Vilmos Catholic College in cooperation with the Municipality of Martonvásár organised the National Pedagogy of Small Children Conference for kindergarten and elementary school teachers within the framework of the 2016 Brunszvik Teréz Professional Days.

During an interactive workshop Marcali-Kiss Rita spoke about the possibilities of »animal aided development«. She explained how beneficial the presence of a dog is to children living with autism, behavioral problems or hyperactivity, and how much it helps teachers in integrating problematic children, improving their social skills and attention.

Part of the "Pepitappancs" workshop, was to present our project.

The greatest interest was on our regional professional day, where we presented the project in practice.

4. Our goal is to continue this wonderful and effective method and keep in touch with our partners, who are familiar with the project, whether you are online or with our neighboring partners personally.

We would like to build a thematical network within the country with similar schools and organizations, who are interested in or are addressing the subject. We take every opportunity in the media and in the press to talk and draw attention to the important role of animals play in our lives.

