Program in Finland Saviniemi 11/15.9.2018

Tuesday 11.9

-arrival to Kouvola by train takes an hour and a half from the Helsinki airport,

The earliest train leaves from the airport around 7am and the latest 8pm, there is also a bus that takes two hours and latest is 10.30 pm.

- -the hotellin Kouvola is 200m from Kouvola train station
- -I will meet you in the evening

Wednesday 12.9

- -we will take at 8 o'clock a train (15 minutes) to my school
- -welcoming ceremony, information about Finnish education, introduction of the school, eat lunch at school

At one pm

- -teachers will drive us nearby to see architecture and history
- around 5? traditional Finnish foods prepared by teachers and parents
- -return to hotel around 8 pm

Thursday 13.9

- -train to school at 8
- -visit classes
- -coordinators meeting, lunch at school
- -around 1 pm the bus will take us to Repovesi nature park, we will walk there, have a camp fire and eat. On the way back we will stop at a popular <u>sauna by the lake</u>, we will bathe there and have a snack, so bring a bag from the hotel with swimming suits and a towel with you in the morning.
- -return to hotel 10pm

Friday 14.9

- -train at 8, check out and bring your bags with you, because we will not come back.
- -visit classes
- -meeting if needed, lunch
- at 12 the bus will come and take us and my colleagues to Helsinki, on the way we will visit a new school building in Hollola and learn about the latest vision in Finnish education
- -experience Helsinki with us, dinner
- -stay the night in Helsinki

Saturday 15.9

-a ferry to Suomenlinna (total about 4 hours trip) for those who have a later flight and have time to see Helsinki with us.