

# POLISH SCHOOL IN REYKJAVIK

#### MISSION

- MAIN AIM IS TO PROMOTE POLISH 0 LANGUAGE, CULTURE AND HERITAGE AMONG POLISH COMMUNITY LIVING IN ICELAND CHIL D FRO TO  $\mathbb{M}$ P  $\bigcirc$ S H 000 ICELANDIC FAMILIES THEIR MOTHER TONGUE; TO ENSURE THAT WE BROADEN OUR STUDENTS 0 HORIZONS BY SKILLS:
- COURAGE THEM TO OME 0 REFLECTIVE DENT AND W H  $\bigcirc$  $\bigcirc$ RNER <u>s</u>. ACTIVELY ENGAGED IN THEIR OWN LEARNING.

#### HISTORY

- VIII 2008 THE IDEA OF CREATING SCHOOL APPEARED AND THE FUNDS WERE PROVIDED.
- 18 X 2008 THE OPENING CEREMONY OF THE POLISH SCHOOL AT THE CONSULATE OF THE REPUBLIC OF POLAND.
- XI 2008 THE SCHOOL STARTED TO BE RUN BY THE ASSOCIATION OF FRIENDS OF THE POLISH SCHOOL IN REYKJAVIK.
- X 2009 INAUGURATION OF THE SECOND SCHOOL YEAR TOOK PLACE AT THE NEW PLACE - LANDAKOTSSKÓLI.

### HISTORY

2011 SCHOOL HAS A NEW HOME - FELLASKÓLI.

- 18 XI 2013 SCHOOL WAS NAMED AFTER JANUSZ KORCZAK - POLISH-JEWISH EDUCATOR AND CHILDREN'S WRITER.
- 17 V 2014 MEETING WITH THE POLISH ASTRONAUT MIROSEAW HERMASZEWSKI.

#### THE ASSOCIATION OF FRIENDS OF THE POLISH SCHOOL IN REYKJAVIK



IS A NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION, FOUNDED TO PROVIDE ACCESS TO THE NATIVE LANGUAGE, HISTORY AND GEOGRAPHY OF POLAND TO POLISH CHILDREN IN REYKJAVIK AND THE SURROUNDING AREA.

#### BOARD MEMBERS



THE CURRENT LEADERSHIP OF THE ASSOCIATION OF FRIENDS OF THE POLISH SCHOOL IN REYKJAVIK ARE: MRS KATARZYNA RABĘDA – PRESIDENT MRS JOANNA GANIEC – VICE PRESIDENT MR KRYSTIAN MUNIA – SECRETARY MRS MONIKA SIENKIEWICZ – TREASURER MRS EWELINA OŚMIAŁOWSKA – BOARD MEMBER.

## TEACHERS



#### SCHOOL CURRENTLY EMPLOYS:

- 21 TEACHERS
- 2 LIBRARIANS
- ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT.

#### WE ARE:

- OPEN MINDED PASSIONATES
- DEDICATED TO THE MISSION
- WELL EDUCATED IN FOLLOWING FIELDS:
  - POLISH LANGUAGE
  - HISTORY
  - CULTURE
  - GEOGRAPHY.

#### BILINGUALISM

WHEN NATIVE LANGUAGE IS WELL DEVELOPED, IT HAS POSITIVE EFFECTS ON FOREIGN LANGUAGES LEARNING.

THAT'S WHY IT IS SO IMPORTANT TO BE IN A DIVERSE INTERACTIVE GROUP OF POLISH PEERS AND WELL EDUCATED TEACHERS.





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OVER 4300 VOLUMES IN POLISH LANGUAGE.

- POLISH SCHOOL LIBRARY IN REYKJAVIK HAS EXISTED SINCE THE VERY BEGINNING OF THE POLISH SCHOOL ITSELF. THE LIBRARY IS ON 6TH FLOOR, AT ÞÓRUNNARTÚN 2, 105 REYKJAVIK, IT IS OPEN EVERY WEDNESDAY FROM 17.00 TO 19.00 AND ONE SATURDAY IN A MONTH IN FELLASKÓLI FROM 10.00 TO 14.00.
- LIBRARY FULLFILS THE ROLE OF THE LOCAL CULTURAL CENTER. BOOKS ARE AVAILABLE TO SCHOOL STUDENTS AS WELL AS TO ALL POLISH CITIZENS WITH THEIR RESIDENCE IN ICELAND.
- LIBRARY OF THE POLISH SCHOOL IN ICELAND IS THE INSTITUTION, WHICH MAIN GOAL IS FACILITATING ACCESS TO BOOKS IN THE NATIVE LANGUAGE AS WELL AS SATISFYING THE NEEDS AND DEVELOPMENT OF READING.

# TRADITIONS AND ACTIVITIES



- \*\*MIKOŁAJKI\*\* SANTA
   CLAUS VISITS
- CARNIVAL BALL
- COMPETITION OF
   KNOWLEDGE
- FAMILY FESTIVALS







#### WORKSHOPS



ART, MUSIC, DRAMASCHOOLMATHPSYCHOLOGISTSPEECH THERAPYADVICE FOR

STUDENTS AND

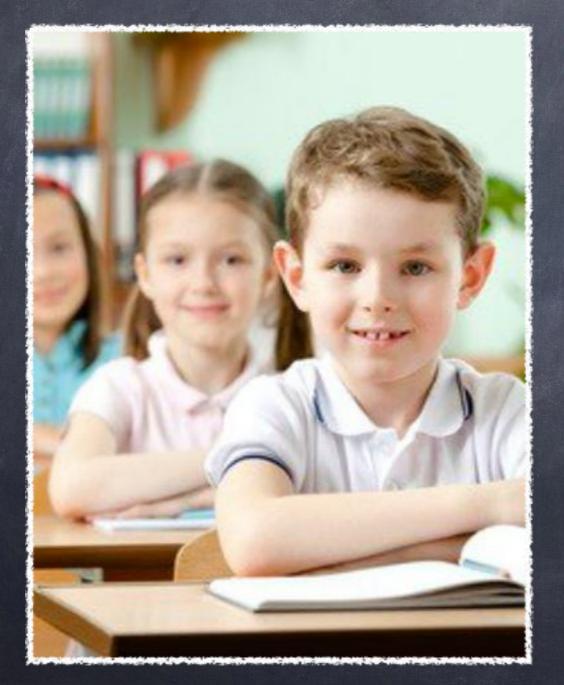
#### OVER 200 PUPILS

AGED FROM 5 TO 16 YEARS OLD. FOR STUDENTS THERE ARE CLASSES IN PRIMARY SCHOOL RANGING FROM 0 - 6 AND JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL CLASSES 1 - 3.

CLASSES ARE ON SATURDAYS, IN A BUILDING OF FELLASKÓLI, NORÐURFELLI 17 - 19, 111 REYKJAVIK, BETWEEN 9 <sup>30</sup> - 14 <sup>30</sup>.

THE COURSE BOOKS ARE BASED ON THE CURRICULUM OF THE POLISH MINISTRY OF NATIONAL EDUCATION.

## REGISTRATION



- REGISTRATION FOR THE SCHOOL IS FROM MAY TO AUGUST.
- MONTHLY FEES ARE 7500 ISK / 8500 ISK FOR THE FIRST CHILD AND 50% OFF FOR EACH ADDITIONAL PUPIL FROM THE SAME FAMILY.
  SCHOOL GIVES CERTIFICATES AND THE GRADES ARE SENT TWICE A YEAR TO ICELANDIC SCHOOLS OF OUR STUDENTS AND ARE PLACED AT THE FINAL YEARLY CERTIFICATE.

# CONTACT AND INFORMATION

#### DETAILED INFORMATION CAN BE OBTAINED:

HTTP://WWW.SZKOLAPOLSKA.IS/

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IN CASE OF IMPORTANT MATTERS, PLEASE CONTACT: 822 09 25 - MONIKA SIENKIEWICZ - DIRECTOR OF THE POLISH SCHOOL 822 24 66 - Marta Wieczorek - Deputy Director of the Polish Scho 820 40 65 - Aneta Włodarczyk - Manager of Library

