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Geocaching

Connecting Cultures through Digital Adventure

KA210 Adults Erasmus+ Project

Connecting Technology, Nature, and Lifelong Learning

The World's Largest Treasure Hunt

The Game

A real-world, outdoor activity using GPS-enabled devices.

The Mission

Navigate to a specific set of coordinates to find the "Geocache" (container).

Accessibility

Played via the official Geocaching app or specialized GPS devices.

Global Impact in 2025

25

Years of Geocaching

Milestone Anniversary

3.4M+

Active Caches

In 191 countries

15K+

Annual Events

Community-led

How to Play Fairly



Sign it

Once found, sign the physical Logbook inside.



Trade Fairly

If you take a trinket (SWAG), leave something of equal or higher value.



Log it

Put the cache back exactly as found and log your "Find" online.

The Geocacher's

Muggles

Non-players. Be careful not to be seen!

SWAG

Small toys or coins for trading inside caches.

Trackables

Items with a mission to move cache to cache.

CITO

Cache In Trash Out—help the environment!

Different Challenges for Different Skills

Traditional

Basic container at the exact coordinates.

Multi-Cache

Visit 2+ stops to find the final treasure.

Mystery/Puzzle

Solve a riddle or problem to get coordinates.

EarthCache

Visit a unique geological site to learn (no container).

Geocaching in Bulgaria



The Portal

geocaching-bg.org is the hub for local news and handbooks.

Cultural Highlights

Caches are often located near the **100 National Tourist Sites** of Bulgaria.

Historical First

The first Bulgarian cache (**GCRILA**) was hidden in 2002 near the Rila Monastery.

Partner Countries

Poland

Home to a massive **Opencaching.pl** community.

Famous for **GeoPaths**—long trails following historical or nature paths.

Portugal

Spectacular coastal caches in **Sagres** (Europe's "End of the World").

Famous "**Art Doors**" multi-cache in Madeira.

Learning Through Adventure

KA210 Educational Goals

Digital Literacy

Learning navigation, GPS coordinates, and app management.

Soft Skills

Problem-solving, patience, and cultural awareness.

Inclusion

An intergenerational hobby that brings people together regardless of age.

Physical Health

"Gamified walking" that encourages active outdoor time.

Your First Find



Download the **Geocaching app**



Register a **free account**



Search for a **Green Icon**  nearby



Follow the arrow, find the box, and **Join the Adventure!**

"Every location has a story."

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Questions & Answers

Connect with us for more information about the project

Thank you for your attention!