MiO spanish local hub report

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about us



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about us - museos científicos coruñeses

- first public science centre in Spain.
- ~ 400,000 pax a year; > $\frac{1}{3}$ school visits.
- is well known for citizens and educators





about us - maker@domus

- maker@domus ~10y ago
 - maker/tinkering activities (TinkeringStudio) Ο
 - teacher courses \bigcirc
 - Bricolabs, a maker community Ο
 - OSHWDem maker faire -







about us - hub leaders

- the "core" of the spanish hub
 - \circ $\,$ Pilar, Manel and me $\,$
 - maintenance equipment
 - \circ $\,$ we are **outsiders ****
 - MiO = OS + Maker => opportunity



reaching out to teachers





reaching teachers - the materials

- materials for teachers
 - Learning scenarios Ο
 - **Navigator** Ο
 - toolkit \bigcirc

navigato

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Open Schooling Navigator

Your guide in the world of Open Schooling







Dealing with waste Generate creative ideas to rid ourselves of

litter .2-14 vrs



Sounds around us Become a better listener by strengthening your sensitivity to sound

12 hrs 40 min 3-16 urs





16 Learning Scenarios

Energy Research

Zero waste school

renewable energy

11-12 yrs.

24 hrs

Inform yourself to better make the case for

22 hrs. 35 min



14-15 yrs

Decision-Making

science behind decision making

Make better choices - by understanding the

Healthu Snack

healthy snack

13-15 yrs.

Resist junk food options by designing your c

20 hrs. 1(

1.4 hrs 21



reaching teachers – pulling the agenda

- face-to-face visits to teachers
- we went to their schools
- primary and secondary public schools
- motivated; involved; busy







reaching teachers - our offer

- direct contact strategy was effective
 - although it was time consuming for us.
- our offer was **materials + help**
 - we did not know how we could help
 - \circ (neither did they).







reaching teachers - their response

- they liked
 - detail of the LU
 - step-by-step of the LU
 - downloadable materials
- documentation is **better** than other projects





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reaching teachers - questions

- can we **change** the LS?
- do **reports** have to be made?
- is this for the teachers?
- is there financial endowment? **





reaching teachers - reasons for not

- we discovered that there are lots of reasons for not taking part
 - \circ lack of time
 - lack of colleagues
 - lack of coincidence of schedules
 - many others
- we just focused on those who agreed to participate





MiO in our hub



MiO in our hub - how they did

- all teachers **adapted** the LS
- ages only as a guideline.
- some did not reach the end
 - \circ lack of time
 - subordinated MiO to other dynamics
 - integrate it into a "school project"al level.





MiO in our hub - how they feel

- they rated the learning **positively**:
 - involvement of pupils
 - better level of learning
 - families
- requires extra time and effort







MiO in our hub - our contribution

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- They requested little "help" from us
- we **suggested** improvements
- our vision as **outsiders**) was useful.**
- they felt accompanied.



evaluation (not shared so far)



evaluation - the numbers

- make it Open was very well accepted
 - high **impact** on the school (KPI)
 - high number of pupils involved
- the navigator was a key tool
- need to **involve families** from the beginning
- necessity of assessment tools
- not having money as an advantage





evaluation - continuity

- project with **continuity**.
 - o is a style of teaching
 - iteration over OS aspects
- permanently available





evaluation - public/private

- we addressed to **specific** teachers (public/private)
- MiO as a **framework**
- importance of follow-up

Concello da Coruña

- o are very self-sufficient
- the view from outside added value.
- direct personal contact was decisive
- we need a more efficient follow-up system





evaluation - their feedback

- teachers as authors of their work
- doesn't like to fill in reports
- It's important to share





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plans for future



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CONTINUE WITH MIO

one year is too few for us





evaluation - role of museum

- a **new role** for science museums?
 - from a portfolio of services to **co-create** with teachers 0
 - work together to identify their needs 0
 - become part of our offer. \bigcirc
 - will this affect the number visitors? \bigcirc



future plans - navigator

- keep the NAVIGATOR and other materials
 - localise downloadable resources
 - **SUGGESTIONS** for an evolution of the navigator
 - make it a planning tool
 - help to implement OS structure
 - help to fulfill **OS aspects**
 - sharing







future plans - relation with teachers

- efficiency reaching more teachers
- expand the geographical scope.
- **strengthening** relationships
- iterate OS objectives
- sharing **between** schools





thank you



to be continued...

