

## School trip to Granville

In May between the 9<sup>th</sup> and the 12<sup>th</sup>, we made a trip to Granville, in Normandie. During this trip we went to Jersey, a United Kingdom island, located at 70 km from France. Since we are in the euro class, the visit of an English place was the most waited and interesting activity for us. It was a good occasion of speaking the language and practice it. We could also observe a different culture trough the food, the architectural style...

We took the ferry the morning at Saint Malo and we arrived at Saint Helier. From there, we made the visit all around the island in bus. The guide told us about the story of the streets and the constructions that we crossed, like a house where Victor Hugo lived sometimes in his life or the fortifications of the World War 2. It was interesting but it would have been better if he had talk more in English. After that, we ate a fish and chips in Saint Helier, in St James bar. It was really tasty. The afternoon was a free time that we used to shop. This way, we talked a little with the residents, for the purchases or ask directions. When we have visited the city, we had the feeling that we were in London. We were immersed in the English spirit, which was a wonderful experience. We finally took again the ferry to go back to Granville.

This trip was the perfect occasion to practice our English in the best conditions and with people whose it is the language. We discovered the culture and the history of the places that we visited in Normandie especially trough the Mont Saint Michel and his legends. The catamaran was an occasion to discover a nautical sport, in reason of the sea's proximity.



*The fish and chips*



*The catamaran*



*The fortifications*