



Work placement in Malta

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Two students, in their last year of **BTEC Vocational Home Care Assistant**, Orrianna and Ambre



carried out their **work placement in Malta** in the frame of an **Erasmus+ project** and also thanks to the financial

help of the Nouvelle Aquitaine region. Their Medical and Social Sciences teacher, Mrs Dubarry, travelled and stayed a couple of days with them.

They were accommodated in **a host family** which was **a great opportunity to chat as well as discover a new way of living**. There, they almost found a new home ' I've planned to go back and stay with them this summer' says Orrianna.

They started their **four week work placement in a Care Home** : they shared the nurses' working day and they also organized **activities with the residents**



. This work placement ended with two weeks of **home assistance** at **elderly or dependent people's homes** where they had to **help them in their daily lives** .

Orrianna and Ambre discovered that even **if the job is quite the same, the ways of doing it are different** : according to the girls, '**People take time here, it is pleasant to work here**' .

It was the first time the two students had left France without their families and the first time they had travelled by aeroplane : '**a real adventure !**'

Was it easy ? '**Speaking English all day long was tiring at first, the accent in Malta is very different, but eventually we got used to it.**'

This **work placement** proved **a very positive experience** that allowed Orrianna and Ambre to **improve their language** and **professional skills**...and maybe to give them the **desire to work abroad** one day, once they have completed their nursing training !