



# **Future Cities-Smart and Sustainable Solutions**

**A presentation about our school and our town**



**Kalamata**

## **Our city.**

Kalamata is the second most populous city of the Peloponnese peninsula, after Patras, in southern Greece. As the capital and chief port of the Messenia regional unit, it lies along the Nedon River at the head of the Messenian Gulf.



## **Kalamata**

- The natural beauty of Messinia with the indented shores, sandy beaches, forested mountains and fertile valleys, coexists with significant archaeological monuments. Kalamata, the capital and central port of Messinia, is situated at the site of ancient Farai. Following independence from the Turks and thanks to the exploitation of the fertile Messinian lands (producing olive oil, raisins, figs etc), it developed into a wealthy urban centre and a significant port. It is located 238 km SW of Athens.





# **Sightseeing in Kalamata**



**The Folklore and History Museum, which is housed in the Kiriakou mansion, with traditional objects and relics from the 1821 Greek War of Independence.**





**The Municipal theatre.**



**The seaside road in front of the city's extensive beach (4 km in length). On the seaside of Kalamata, people can swim in crystal clear waters , which have been granted the Blue Flag award of quality. Along the seaside, there are several tavernas, ouzo restaurants, cafeterias, bars and clubs.**



**The Agioi Apostoli is a small Byzantine church of historical significance in Kalamata, built in the 12<sup>th</sup> century. The church played an important part in the liberation of Greece from Ottoman rule.**













# Our school

Our school –located in the biggest street of Kalamata- is called the 6<sup>th</sup> High School of Kalamata. Built in 1986, it has accommodated lots of generations of students. Boys and girls ages 15-18 attend school and are getting prepared for university and adulthood.



In order for students to access Higher Education, they must take nationally set examinations (Pan-Hellenic examinations), for which they had been preparing their Senior year.



## Our school's library!



Students spend 6 hours at school. They take courses like Ancient Greek, History, Mathematics, Social Studies, Religion, Physics and more.

The school campus consists of a chemistry and a physics lab, a history class, an art class, basketball and volleyball fields, a multipurpose room and more.

# Physics lab



# Chemistry lab



## History class



## Art class



## Basketball field



## Volleyball field



## Multipurpose room

(mostly used for theatrical plays or movie viewings)



## Principal's office





**Unfortunately, due to  
the COVID-19  
pandemic, all courses  
are conducted online.**

# **Artwork around school**





**See you in Kalamata!**

