

CNN News Highlights — A Special School In Norway

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With 200 students from 90 countries, UWC Red Cross Nordic offers a unique ____.

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The school is supported by the Red Cross and ____ students to take action to protect people and places in need. At the center of their education model is a ____, or PBL.

Project-based learning basically implies that they are the ones who are part of the planning and they do the project and then they ____ and look into how things work.

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Norway has one of the longest coasts in the world and that is why it makes it so ____, right?

During the ____ PBL, the students are leaving their dorms and ____ Norwegian coastal culture.

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We're living in a boat for five days. It's just a joy being when you wake up and there's a little bit of ____ you wake up to, you know, some ____ and it's totally ____.

It has been really great. I haven't been in a boat before. Sometimes it moves and it's a bit scary but it's really, really cool.

The project has been running for the past four years. During this time students have removed several tons of plastic from coastal islands, ____ impacting both the environment and the ____.

____ about six hours we collected around 300 kilograms of plastic and it was -- it was totally surprising.

1) bittersweet	2) inspire	3) layers and layers and layers	4) opening up	5) thanks to the fact that	6) this is going on
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It's been quite _____. So just _____ and seeing like _____ of plastic where you take out one and there there's even more and more.

Crazy.

I still really want to make something that thanks to this experience will allow me to ____ other people and to tell them that _____. _____ I saw it with my own eyes.

Translation

挪威西部的峽灣為一個根植於北歐文化的獨特國際組織提供了令人嘆為觀止的背景。UWC 紅十字北歐國際學校是一所位於挪威西海岸，教授 16 至 19 歲學生的國際學校。

UWC 紅十字北歐國際學校擁有來自 90 個國家的 200 名學生，提供獨特的學習環境。

學院將環境作為我們的基本支柱之一，因此我們非常關注環境及其影響。這種關注體現在我們所做的一切事情中。

學校得到紅十字會的支持，並鼓勵學生採取行動，保護有需要的人和地區。在他們的教育模式中，項目式學習 (Project-Based Learning，簡稱 PBL) 處於核心地位。

項目式學習基本上意味著學生參與規劃，執行項目，然後評估並探究事物的運作方式。

最近一項研究發現，挪威每年向環境中排放約 15,000 噸塑膠廢棄物，加上近 29,000 公里的海岸線，塑膠污染對全國的海洋生態系統構成了威脅。

挪威擁有世界上最長的海岸線之一，這也是為什麼這個問題如此複雜的原因，對吧？

在海岸清理的項目式學習期間，學生們離開宿舍，融入挪威的海岸文化。

我們在船上生活了五天。醒來時有點波浪，知道嗎，輕輕搖晃，真的非常美妙。

這真是太棒了。我以前沒坐過船。有時候船會移動，會有點害怕，但真的非常酷。

這個項目已經運行了四年。在此期間，學生們從沿海島嶼清除了數噸塑膠，對環境和參與者都產生了顯著的影響。

在大約六小時的時間內，我們收集了約 300 公斤的塑膠，這實在令人非常驚訝。

這真是喜憂參半。打開來看到一層又一層的塑膠，每次取出一個，還會有更多更多。

真是瘋狂。

我仍然非常想要做些事情，感謝這次經驗能夠讓我啟發其他人，告訴他們這種情況正在發生，因為我親眼看見了。

不必改變整個世界，但如果他們能夠以自己的小方式在所處的環境中產生影響，這種海洋中的一滴水，可能眾多的滴水會帶來巨大的不同。



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Answers

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With 200 students from 90 countries, UWC Red Cross Nordic offers a unique **3) learning environment**.

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The school is supported by the Red Cross and **2) encourages** students to take action to protect people and places in need. At the center of their education model is a **6) project-based learning**, or PBL.

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Norway has one of the longest coasts in the world and that is why it makes it so **2) complicated**, right?

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It has been really great. I haven't been in a boat before. Sometimes it moves and it's a bit scary but it's really, really cool.

The project has been running for the past four years. During this time students have removed several tons of plastic from coastal islands, **4) significantly** impacting both the environment and the **2) participants**.

6) Within the space of about six hours we collected around 300 kilograms of plastic and it was -- it was totally surprising.

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It's been quite **1) bittersweet**. So just **4) opening up** and seeing like **3) layers and layers and layers** of plastic where you take out one and there there's even more and more. Crazy.

I still really want to make something that thanks to this experience will allow me to **2) inspire** other people and to tell them that **6) This is going on**. **5) Thanks to the fact that** I saw it with my own eyes.