SURVEY ON MIGRATION AND YOUTH



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Towards an Open-Minded, Unprejudiced and Receptive School/Society

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Who answered questions?



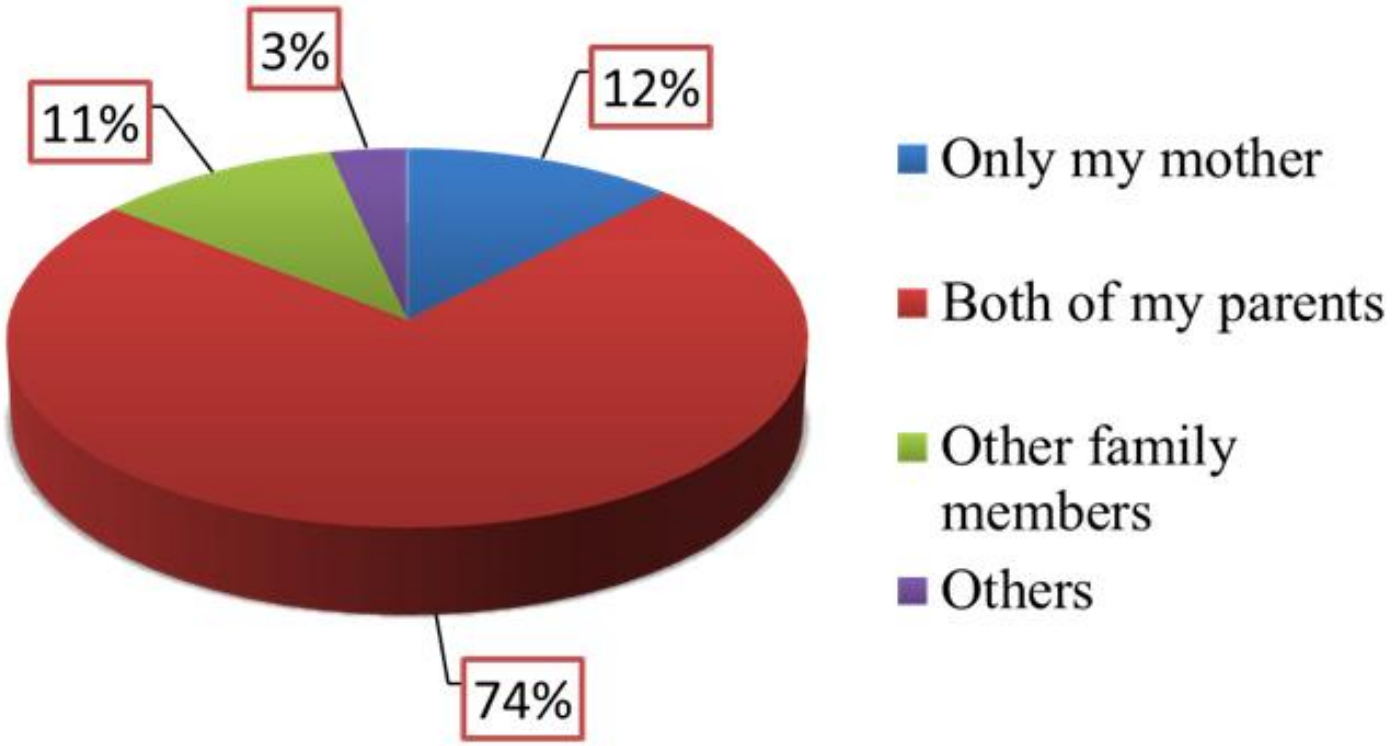
Respondents: 324 students

Age: 14 - 19

Mother country: EU country (92%)

Family: 3-4 members

«I am living with …»



Native country of students' relatives:

Native Country	N° of students whose relatives were born abroad
Switzerland	15
Canada	7
France	7
Albania	5
Romania	5
Germany	4
Serbia	4
Croatia	3
Moldova	2
Kosovo	2
Russia	2
Argentina	2
Australia	2
Turkey	2
Ukraine	2
Ghana	2
Columbia	1

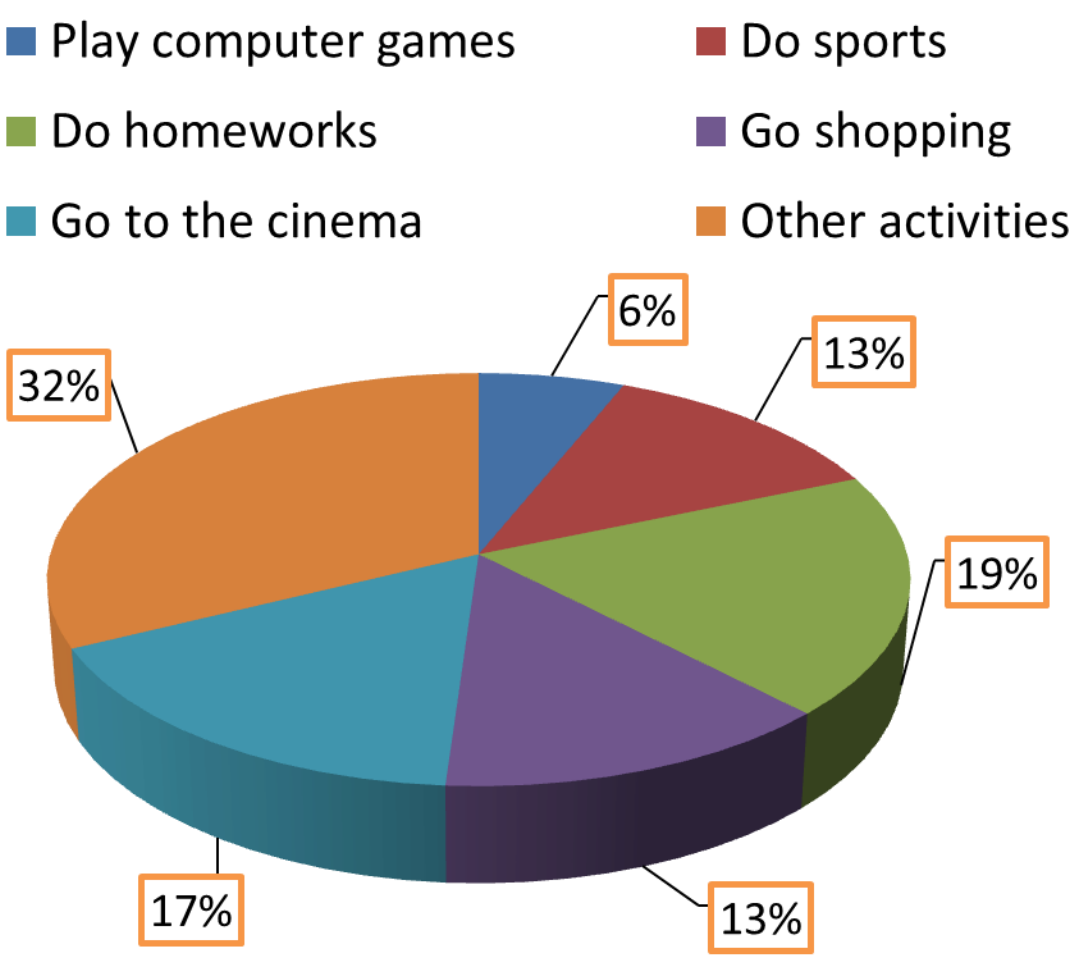
MIGRATION AT MY SCHOOL

- 70% of students have classmates who come from other countries;
- 60% of students have classmates who come from a different Italian region;
- 97% of students say that there are *no problems* between Italian and foreign classmates ;



- 80% of students meet in their spare time classmates from a different region/country *only a few times* per month;

«I spend time with my classmates from other countries to...»



MIGRATION AT MY SCHOOL

- 80% of students think that there are 1-5 nationalities at our school; *there are more than 10 nationalities!*

- 80% of students have been involved in a project on migration/immigration/integration *only* at lower secondary school.



- 30% of students *do not know* anything about school assistance (language courses, tutors,…) offered to students coming from other countries.

MIGRATION IN MY TOWN

- 92% of students know foreign people.

- 30% of students say that the majority of immigrants who live in their city come from *European countries*.



MIGRATION IN MY TOWN

- 30% of students affirm that most immigrants who live in their city are *Catholic* or *Muslim*.
- 40% of students *do not know* anything about the migration wave towards Italy after World War II.
- 70% of students think they have a *good knowledge* about the Italian emigrants' events.



MY OPINION ON MIGRATION

- 60% of students think that immigration to Italy is *positive* or *acceptable*.
- 65% of students think that it's *hard* for immigrants *to find a job* when they arrive.
- 75% of students think that it's *not very easy* for immigrants to *find a place to live* when they arrive.
- 50% of students think that *immigrants' reception* is *quite* acceptable.



MY OPINION ON MIGRATION

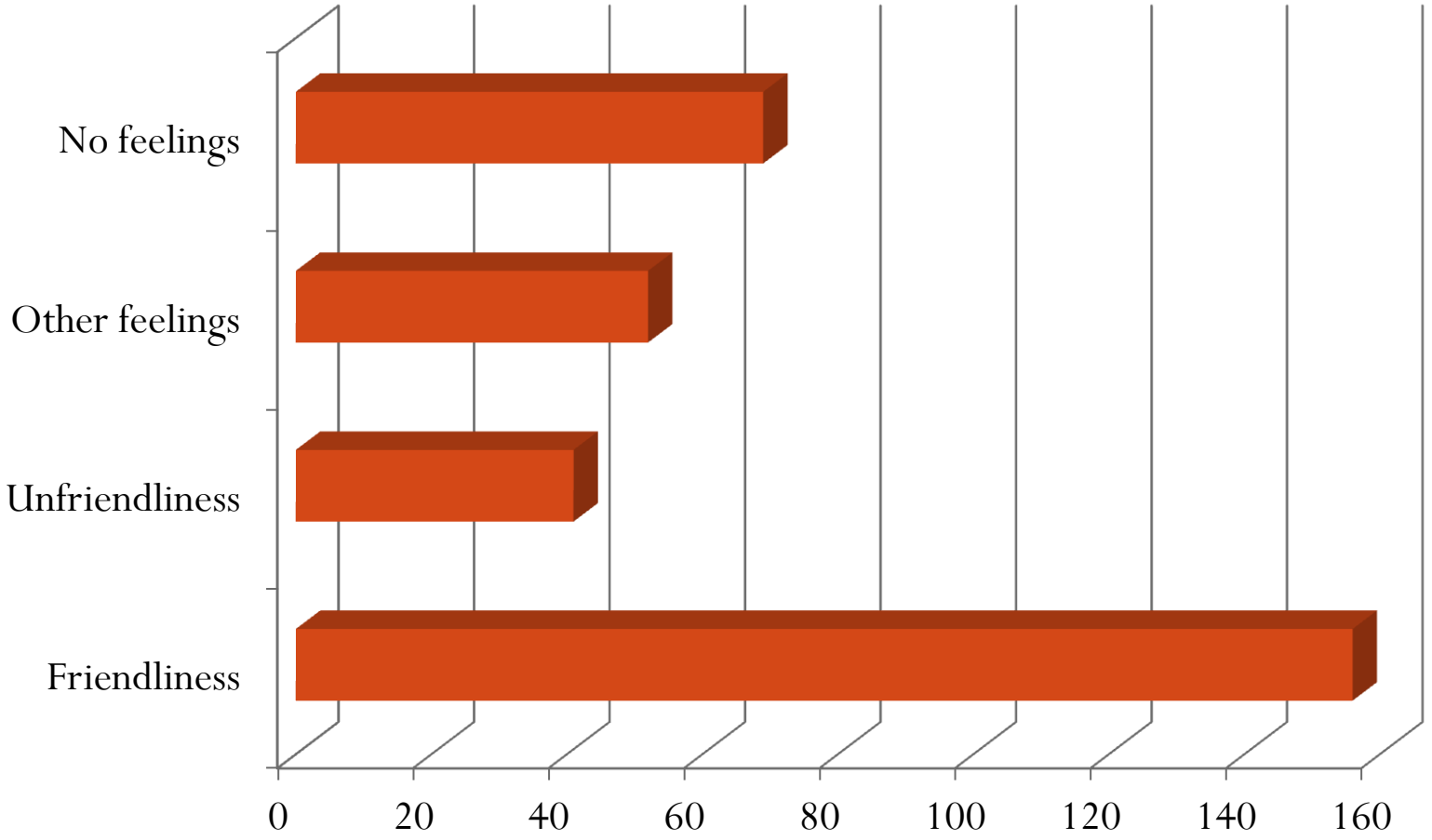


- 44% of students *like* having friends born in a country different from theirs.

- 60% of students think that it *is not very easy* for immigrants to *make new friends* when they arrive in Italy.



FIRST ATTITUDE TOWARDS FOREIGN PEOPLE:

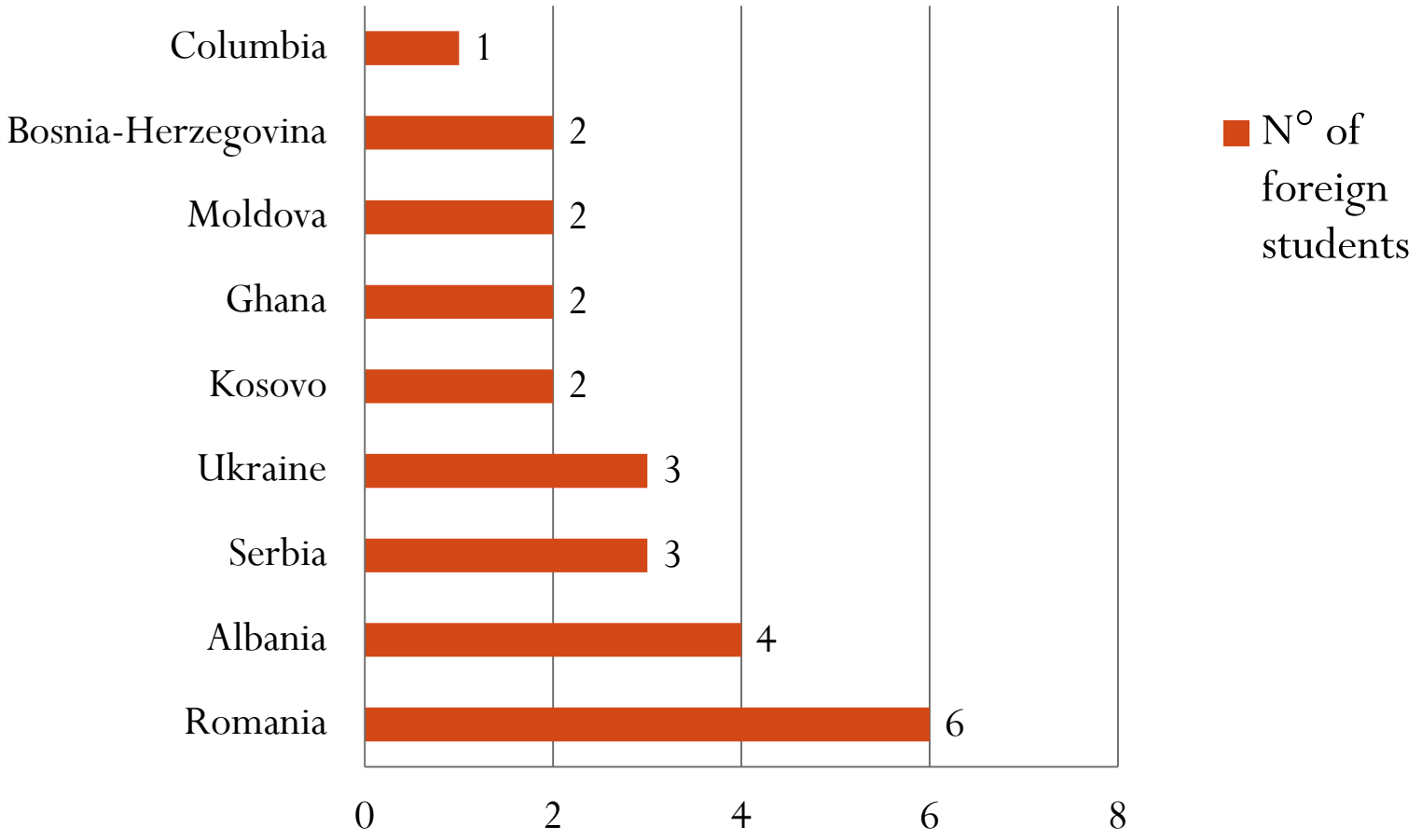


25% of students have witnessed an act of discrimination against someone from a different country

"When I attended the primary school, a girl (her father is Polish and her mother comes from Africa) joined our class. She wasn't able to speak Italian, and the tone of her skin was different.. that's why nobody wanted to talk, play or even stay with her. I think: "it's just because she is physically different". I was the only one who tried to become her friend. Today we are still friends, even though we don't see each other very often."



FOREIGN STUDENTS ...



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- 50% of foreign students have *integration problems* due to different language and religion.
- 50% of foreign students have *never* been back to their country of origin.





- 93% of foreign students were born in Italy/have been living in this country for at least *10 years*.

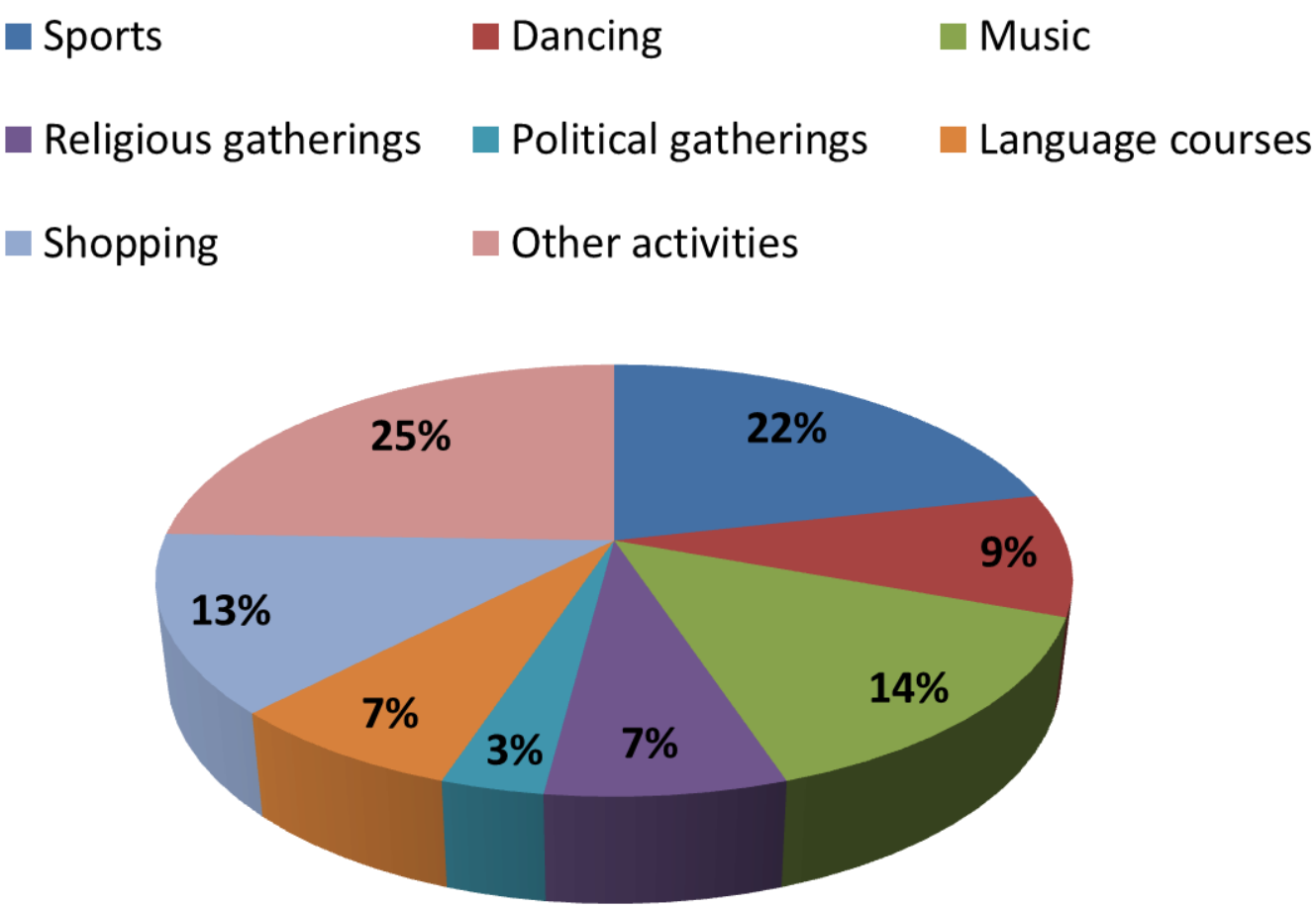
FOREIGN STUDENTS ...

- 70% of foreign students do not feel discriminated.
- 40% of foreign students affirm they don't take part to team work at school because of cultural differences.



- 28% of foreign students affirm that events relating to the culture of their country of origin that have been discussed in the media have had an *impact* on them.

«Together with other people from my country of origin, I partecipate in activities such as...»



Spread peace.

We're all inhabitants of the same planet!

Do not judge the people before u know them.

...Are we really different?!

Try to learn and accept the habits which are different from yours.

The more things you're willing to learn, the more you'll be enrich !

Be yourself!

THE END

Thank you for your attention!

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