

There are over 300 students in our school at the age of 16-19. It is a small secondary school in Tarnowskie Góry. The town is situated in the Upper Silesia, Poland, not far away from Katowice, Cracow and Czestochowa. We educate our students in the field of economics, commerce and advertising. There are 3 foreign languages taught in our school: English, German and Russian. Learning lasts 4 years. Apart from learning there are a lot of things happening around. Students take part in different extra classes and clubs. Everybody can find something

interesting for himself. The teenagers willingly become involved in these activities learning creativity, confidence and enterprise. They gain experience that will make easier their future life at universities and work. Our actions are not only one-time ones but thoroughly thought over and prepared. Our long-term campaigns help to select talented young people who not always can be spotted in the traditional teaching process.

<u>The Festival of Creativity</u> - during it students present their skills and talents. They sing, dance, draw, take photos, act, recite poems, play different instruments. It is the artistic review which lasts the whole day in our school.

The Festival of Creativity Gallery

<u>The Contest of Patriotic and Soldiers' Songs</u> - because of the Independence Day each class is obliged to sing 1 soldiers' song on the stage of our school. Usually we can listen to 13 songs which influence our emotions. The girls in black or white dresses with flowers in their hair, the boys in smart suits or military uniforms, own music – drums, keyboard, harmonica, loud male voices – everything sounds so real...

The Contest of Patriotic and Soldiers' Songs Gallery

<u>The Graduates' Day</u> - students of the fourth year organize different attractions and collect money for their graduation party. They dance and take photos with the teachers.

The Graduates' Day Gallery

<u>Charity</u> - the volunteers visit children's homes, animal shelters, they read fairy tales to the children in kindergartens, donate blood, make Christmas cards, bake cakes and organize a lot of actions in order to raise money for their activity.

Charity Gallery