Our experience with an Erasmus+ exchange at OHG

From the end of August to the end of September, we, Lukas and Nele, were able to visit the Oslo Handelsgymnasium as exchange students from Germany. The Erasmus+ program gave us the great opportunity to have a look at what it's like to live and go to school in Oslo. We really enjoyed our time and gained great experiences. Thanks to the support of the teachers in Germany and in Norway, we always felt welcome and in good hands. At school, we visited various classes, such as German, English, chemistry and history. This gave us interesting insights in a new school system. Since no host family could be found, we lived in a hostel. There you had the opportunity to get to know many people from many different countries and cultures. Staying in a hostel definitely made us more independent. In our free time we both explored the city. From visiting museums to escaping into nature, we never ran out of things to do. The four weeks let us explore the city, get to know many new people and learn about new country and culture. Overall, we had great experiences during our stay. We learned things that school can not teach you and thoroughly enjoyed our time in Oslo. That's why we are both very grateful for this trip. We can only encourage others to also do a stay abroad. The support of the Erasmus+ program is a fantastic opportunity you shouldn't miss.