GSS PEACE PROJECT GERMANY



PROJECT DESCRIPTION

We have the unprecedented opportunity to work again with the students of the Bergschule Saint Elizabeth in Heiligenstadt, Germany on a peace project that develops communication, collaboration and team building around the theme of U.S –German relations during and post WWII to the present. Students will research, reflect upon, and dramatize their combined effort, during exchange visits to the US and to Germany. The question? "What is the price of Freedom?"

Project dates and syllabus:

January-March:

- Preparation: research, reflection and discussion via Skype
- Curricular scaffolding prepared by Rudi Haase, Christine Kulke, and other members of the FA faculty

March 28th- April 14th: German students visit Friends Academy

- School time with FA students
- Homestays, with trips to NYC and Washington DC
- Project work, play writing and rehearsals
- Performances at FA on April 13th

June 23rd – July 7th : American students visit Heiligenstadt, Germany

- School time with German students
- Homestays in German families
- Project work continues
- Visits to Berlin, Dora Mittelhaus and Erfurt
- *Performances in Germany*

The Germany Embassy, New York, enthusiastically supports this endeavor.