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**KAUNAS NURSERY – KINDERGARTEN „SMALSUTIS“
INTERNATIONAL CREATIVE STEAM PROJECT OF PRE-SCHOOL EDUCATION
INSTITUTIONS "A GIFT FOR MOM 2025 / DOVANA MAMYTEI 2025"**

REGULATIONS

I. RELEVANCE OF THE PROJECT

In Lithuania, Mother's Day is celebrated on the first Sunday of May. The following countries celebrate International Mother's Day on the same day as Lithuania: Portugal, Spain, South Africa, Romania and Hungary. The second Sunday in May is International Mother's Day, which is observed by 21 nations all over the world, including those that are closest to us, such as Latvia, Estonia, Finland, Germany, Greece, and Poland. International Mother's Day is observed at various times across the world, but this does not alter its significance-International Mother's Day is a day to show respect and love to our cherished mothers.

II. GENERAL REGULATION

1. The regulations of the international preschool educational institutions project "A GIFT FOR MOM 2025 / DOVANA MAMYTEI 2025" (hereinafter - Project) regulate the purpose of the project, the tasks, the responsible executors, the participants, the social partners, the organization and the course of the implementation.
2. The project is organized by the Kaunas nursery – kindergarten „Smalsutis", Taikos pr. 72, LT-51298 Kaunas, Lithuania, phone +370 37 454620, e-mail smalsutis2@gmail.com.
3. Project coordinator: Monika Antanaitienė, director of Kaunas nursery – kindergarten „Smalsutis".
4. Project organizers: Inga Maciulevičienė – pre-school teacher, methodologist, Giedrė Černikienė - speech therapist, methodologist, Vaida Liaudinskienė – pre-school teacher, Eglė Biveinytė - methodologist teacher of art education (music).
5. The regulations of the project are published on the website of the Kaunas nursery – kindergarten „Smalsutis" www.smalsutiskaunas.lt, and on the social network closed Facebook

groups: „A GIFT FOR MOM 2025 / DOVANA MAMYTEI 2025" <https://m.facebook.com/groups/554134593370416/permalink/554135363370339/>, „Auklėtoja auklėtoja“, „Specialiųjų pedagogų ir logopedų namučiai“, „Muzika darželyje“ and on other online platforms.

III. PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES OF THE PROJECT

6. **The project goal** is to encourage Lithuanian and foreign preschool/preschool education institutions to communicate and cooperate, share good practices in creative work, and create artistic greetings for Mothers.

7. Tasks:

7.1. To develop children's love and respect for their own and all the Mothers of the world.

7.2. Encourage children to talk and discuss when and how Mother's Day is celebrated in different countries.

7.3. To create conditions for each child to create, play, act creatively, collaborate and experience success during artistic activities (art, dance, music).

7.4. Apply the STEAM method, creatively expressing yourself through verbal and artistic means of expression.

7.5. Give your mom a uniquely created, playful piece of creative work: an artistic piece of art, a poem, a musical piece, a dance, etc.

IV. PARTICIPANTS OF THE PROJECT

8. The project „A GIFT FOR MOM 2025 / DOVANA MAMYTEI 2025" participants are Lithuanian and foreign children from 3 to 7 years old and their teachers, education support specialists and other members of the community.

V. PROJECT ORGANIZATION, DURATION, PROCEDURE

9. The project will be implemented on the April 24th to May 16th 2025.

10. Those who wish to participate in the international project „A GIFT FOR MOM 2025 / DOVANA MAMYTEI 2025" until 2025, on May 5 fill out the participant application (Annex 1) and send it by e-mail: projektdovanamamytei@gmail.com

11. Project participants are encouraged to join the closed Facebook group „A GIFT FOR MOM 2025 / DOVANA MAMYTEI 2025"

<https://m.facebook.com/groups/554134593370416/permalink/554135363370339/>.

12. Teachers post photos of creative works and activities in the closed Facebook group „A GIFT FOR MOM 2025 / DOVANA MAMYTEI 2025" until May 16th 2025.

13. When submitting pictures, indicate country, town, name of educational institution, and name of participant.

14. Project participants are advised by: Inga Maciulevičienė - pre-school education teacher, methodologist, e-mail projektdovanamamytei@gmail.com

VI. FINAL REGULATIONS

15. By submitting the registration, each project participant agrees that the project organizers have the right to use the submitted creative works - greeting photos for project publicity, to publish on the website without separate author's consent. The individuals who submitted the photographs are responsible for copyright violations.

16. For their participation in the international project of preschool education institutions „A GIFT FOR MOM 2025 / DOVANA MAMYTEI 2025", participants will receive letters of appreciation from the Kaunas nursery – kindergarten „Smalsutis", teachers, and educational support specialists will receive a certificate for their participation in the project, which will be placed in a closed social network in the Facebook group „A GIFT FOR MOM 2025 / DOVANA MAMYTEI 2025" until May 30 th. 2025.

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Application for a participant in the „A GIFT FOR MOM 2025 / DOVANA MAMYTEI 2025“
project

Name of educational institution, contacts (address, phone, e-mail)	
Teacher's name, surname, phone number, e-mail address	
Name of the creative work	
Child group, child name	