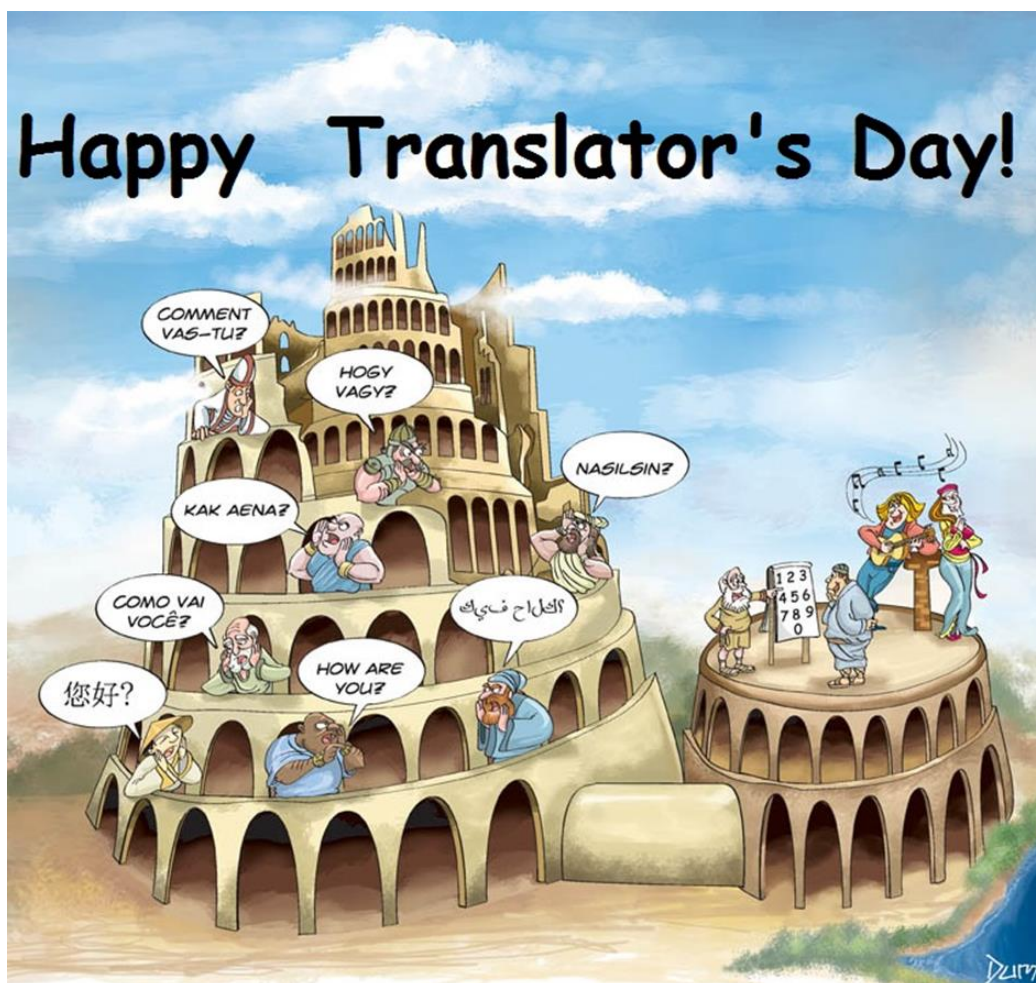


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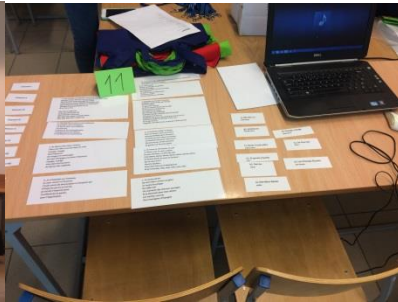


Today, the students from group 1i took part in the events of the fourth edition of the Translator's Day, organised by the Institute of Applied Linguistics, UMCS. The International Translation Day is celebrated every year on 30th September on the feast of St. Jerome, the Bible translator who is considered the patron saint of translators. The celebrations have been promoted by FIT (the International Federation of Translators) ever since it was set up in 1953. This year, on May 24<sup>th</sup>, the United Nations General Assembly passed a resolution declaring the day of 30<sup>th</sup> September as [International Translation Day](#).



St. Jerome in his study.  
A painting by Domenico Ghirlandaio

At first, the students did a lot of various language tasks at Learning Stations not only in English, but also in French, Russian, German, Spanish and Italian.



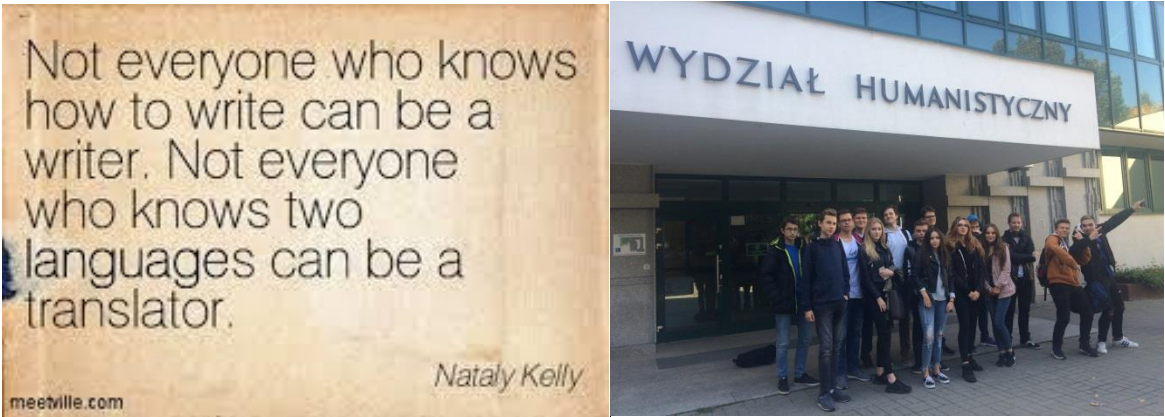
We also arrived at some language workshops and practiced our skills using the Kahoot while learning Spanish. It gave us a feeling of success as we got the feedback on the spot – *in the blink of an eye.*



Later on, Mr. Paweł Kozłowski took us to the real world of oral translators, that means interpreters, and we could do some interpreting in the cabins. Some students did very well and they had a lot of fun doing the tasks.



The statement below illustrates best what we have learnt today:





*Colchicum autumnale* in blossom at  
Maria Curie- Skłodowska Square

*photos by J.Galant*

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<http://www.umcs.pl/pl/relacje-z-wydarzen> and watch on  
<https://lublin.tvp.pl/34198917/29-wrzesnia-2017-g-1830>