

History of our school

History of the Complex of Schools No 6 in Gorlice starts in 1970s, when the decision about starting the Primary School and the Kindergarten in Korczak building estate was made.

However, it took over ten years before the building of the school was finished. First students were enrolled on 1 IX 1989- 650 7-14 year old children were divided into 8 years and 23 classes.

It took one more year to complete the gym, the library, the cafeteria and the nurse's room. In 1990 Primary School No 6 was the most modern and one of the biggest schools in Gorlice.

In 1999, during the last reform of educational system in Poland, the school was divided into Primary School No 6 (classes I-VI, 7-13 year olds) and Secondary School (classes I-III, 13-16 year olds), creating Complex of Schools No 1 in Gorlice. In 2006, the Complex of Schools was merged with Kindergarten No 8, thus creating the Complex of Schools No 6 in Gorlice.

School buildings are located on the hill over the town, surrounded by sport fields. Since its creation the school provides its students with all kinds of extracurricular activities. Fans of sports have at their disposal three playing fields, an indoor gym and an exercise room. PE and extra classes also take place in town's swimming pool and ice skating rink.

Since the school is located in one of the most beautiful mountain regions of Poland students are encouraged to explore the region. Every year the whole school takes part in hiking excursions, when every class goes for a day-long mountain trip to meet others on the crossroads of the routes and celebrate new school year with songs by a campfire.

Apart from this annual event students may join scouting (Harcerstwo) or other kinds of voluntary services for the benefit of the environment and the society.

Our school is quite new, comparing to other schools in Gorlice, but it doesn't forget about traditions in their finest forms - apart from popular extra history classes everyone can take part in lessons of traditional dances and songs.

Those interested in more traditional forms of education with a little help from the teachers can take part in all kind of extra classes from art to math, use library and computer room. The most active students who want to devote their talent and time are rewarded with an opportunity of taking part in student's exchange, taking place since 1996. During those years we had guests from Latvia, the Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovakia and Romania. Since 2001 Primary and Secondary School took part in International SULIEXPO

For all these years students of Complex Of School nr 6 in Gorlice proved that they don't waste their opportunities. A collection of trophies and diplomas for those succeeding in sport and science grows every year.

Us, students, are proud to say that we belong to this school community.

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