

Karadeniz Technical University – Erasmus+ BIP: “Impact of Video Games on Personal Development in the Digital Age”

16.11.2026 Monday	17.11.2026 Tuesday	18.11.2026 Wednesday	19.11.2026 Thursday	20.11.2026 Friday
14:00 -14:30 Registration (Welcome Reception) 14:30-15:30 - Session I - Opening Speeches - KTU Presentation 15:30-16:00 Coffee Break 16:00-18:00 - Session II - City of Trabzon Presentation - Turkish Language and Culture Shuttle to Restaurant 19:00 Welcome Dinner (Free of Charge) - Folk Dance Performance (Horon) - Dance Night	09:30-10:30 Session I - Introduction to the World of Video Games 10:30-11:00 Coffee Break 11:00-12:30 Session II - The History of Modern Video Games and Evolution of Video Game Consoles 12:30-13:30 Lunch Break 13:30-14:00 Session III - Immersive Masterpieces: The Beauty of Video Games 14:00-15:00 Session IV - The Hidden Mathematics Behind Video Games: How Linear Algebra Powers Modern Computing 15:00-15:30 Coffee Break 15:30-16:30 Session V - Video Games and Topology - Programming Languages Powering Modern Video Games Free Time	<i>* Please click on the links below for info about the places to be visited.</i> 09:30 - Sightseeing Part I - Trip to Sümela Monastery 13:30-14:30 Lunch (Free of Charge) 14:30 - Sightseeing Part II Visits to some landmarks of Trabzon: - Ataturk Pavillion - Ayasofya Museum and Mosque	09:30-10:30 Session I - Beyond Play: Video Games as Information Sources -Contribution of Story Driven Video Games to English Language Development 10:30-11:00 Coffee Break 11:00-12:00 Session II - Role Models in the Video Games - Psychological Impacts of Excessive Gaming 12:00-13:00 Lunch Break 13:00-14:00 Session III - Localization of Video Games - "What makes a great VR game?" focused on Half-Life: Alyx 14:00-14:30 Coffee Break 14:30-15:30 Session IV - Character Building in Video Games - The Role of Game Engines in the Development of Simulation Systems Free Time	09:30-10:30 Session I - Level Up Your Brain: The Hidden Skills You Learn in Video Games - Just for Fun: Gameplay Session 10:30-11:00 Coffee Break 11:00-12:00 Session II - Closing Speeches - Delivery of Certificates Free Time