Pretasks for the

**TANSSI** in Jyväskylä, Finland

9. – 13.5.2012

**Pretask 1**

Prepare a dance that represents some traditional or typical dance of your country. The dance should last for about 1-2 minutes and it will be performed to other countries´students in a workshop. The countries will be devided into two groups, so there will be students from 10 countries in both the groups.

These pretasks will be used to put together a coreography, which is rehearsed in workshops for the party on Friday the 15th.

Bring along the music, clearly marked on the CD, if it is not the only piece of music on the CD. If you need any other equipment or costumes/outfit, please bring them with you.

**Pretask 2**

For working out a photo exhibition, please bring with you 4 photos that represent your own country´s dance tradition. Include a short comment. The photo and the comment should fit on A4, so each country will bring 4 x A4.

**Pretask 3**

**For the accompanying teachers ☺**

During the conference we will have a lecture on ’How to support the leadership in our students’. In order to get more out of this subject we would like to ask you to consider the following questions in advance:

* Is there a student council in your school? How is it organized? What do they do concretely?
* How do the students in your school take part in decision making?
* Which are the areas of responsibility for an individual students?
* How do the individual teachers support responsibility in a student?
* What do your curriculum and other school guidelines say about this matter?