

Elaine talking to Gwennole at Brasparts.

Elaine. I'm in Brasparts today at a centre here to talk to a teacher from a college in Cleder who has organised a visit for his students.

Gwennole, can you tell us something about what school you are from and why you have organised this event?

Gwennole. Our school is a secondary school. We have 170 pupils. Er, their ages from 11 to 15, 16 years old. It's located in the countryside near Roscoff so I think our pupils have a lot of opportunities to discover the UK. Unfortunately in France it's frequently difficult to encourage people to learn a foreign language. Many people don't dare to speak in English. They say "Ah, I won't succeed in, it's not for me, I won't have any opportunities to speak English and our aim is to encourage them to discover another way of thinking. So we got in touch with the AIKB and we had a warm welcome, and we had decided to organise this meeting between Britons installed in centre of Brittany and our pupils, so as for us it's a very, a chance to be here.

Elaine. And what age are the pupils that you've brought here today?

Gwennole. Today they are 13 years old.

Elaine. And why did you choose the 2 areas that we visited?

Gwennole. Our students live near the sea along the coast in an area that is an open field in a way they don't used to discover forest areas such as Brasparts. They don't really know the feast there, they have the

chance to have a full place around their home, so we have to encourage them to, to move away.

Elaine. They've been delightful company. We've really enjoyed talking to them and I mean, I was with the group where we went to see the animals which reluctantly did come out and they were so excited to see these wild animals and one of your students spoke to me, she said she doesn't eat meat and she was so happy to see these wild animals in a secure enclosure.

Gwennole. Yes

Elaine. She was thrilled by that. I would say after all the fresh air today and the excitement and the using English, that they will be sleeping very soundly. And yourself as well.

Gwennole. Yes, we hope they will.

Elaine. Thank you very much, we look forward to working with you again.

Gwennole. It will be excellent.

Elaine. OK?