

FEDADI GENERAL BOARD IN SANTIAGO DE COMPOSTELA
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FEDADI, the Spanish umbrella association held his GB in Santiago de Compostela, in Galicia (north-west of the Spanish State).

The meeting was attended by 35 people, representing 15 associations, among them BIHE (Basque Country) and Axia (Catalonia), themselves members of ESHA.

The general theme of the sessions was autonomy at state schools. The State is responsible for developing the autonomy of a school, according to the new education law (Organic Education Act), and taking into account the diversity of schools.

The concept of autonomy should be developed in different fields: pedagogical, operational, staff, economical and resources. Moreover, autonomy should be related to a school project (written by the principal), to a compromise between the Administration and the school, and, finally to accountability and quality.

On the other hand, FEDADI is very happy to have become a member of ESHA, and it is sending a representative to Bristol, attending the next GB.