

SCHOOL ADAPTABILITY



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ABOUT THE PROJECT

The project "School adaptability as the key to develop a child's potential - School Adapt" is carried out under the ERASMUS + program by 6 different organizations from 4 European countries (Poland, Cyprus, Spain, and Italy).

The project aims to facilitate the adaptation process of pupils (6 to 14 years old) returning from abroad to the native education system and foreign pupils coming to a new country, to a new school life and environment.

It is addressed to primary and lower-secondary schools across the EU, pedagogical staff, school specialists and migrant parents.

Within the project, we are going to develop 5 intellectual products:

- Model of working with a pupil returning from abroad to the native education system
- Model of working with a foreign pupil coming to a new country (adaptation of foreign pupil)
- Training toolkit - Pupil adaptation
- Changing perspectives: An online e-learning platform for teachers
- M-learning course for parents

WHAT WE ACHIEVED

We have done research to diagnose the needs and expectations of pupils and their parents regarding the effective adaptation of a pupil returning or coming from abroad.

The research has been based on a focus group with teachers, tutors, psychologists, school management staff experienced in working with foreign pupils or pupils who have returned to the home education system from abroad and questionnaires addressed to parents of school-age children who have recently returned from a foreign school to their home education system or who have come from another country and started studying at a school in a foreign country.

We are proud to announce that we are about to finish the models for implementation, based on needs detected in the research, that will be soon on our website

<https://www.schooladapt.eu/en>

TRANSNATIONAL MEETINGS

One of the most exciting parts of developing our projects is the transnational meetings with our partners. We convene at a different site each time and enjoy the opportunity to bounce ideas off one another and learn about new cultures and points of view.

For this project, we have had two transnational meetings to date; the first took place online, due to Covid-19 mobility restrictions. The second meeting took place in Reus, Spain, on the 9th, and 10th of September.

The meeting took place in a blended format, as our Italian partner was unable to travel and participated in the meeting virtually. Those of us who were lucky enough to be in Reus were finally able to get to know each other personally and share a few days together in this beautiful city.

PARTNERS

OIC Poland

COMCY – Cyprus

Open Europe – Spain

Fondazione Patrizio Paoletti – Italy

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NEXT STEPS

We are beginning to develop the online e-learning platform for teachers and the m-learning course for parents.

Stay tuned for our next newsletter and updates regarding the School Adapt Project!



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