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A Transnational Partnership:

The **Connected Learning** project involves: United Kingdom, Italy, Germany, Sweden, Bulgaria and Cyprus. The consortium favours a transnational approach to the subject.



Connected Learning @ YW

This 30 months Erasmus+ project aims to improve young people's access to formal and non-formal learning opportunities through the mapping of the various programmes which are available. The project's main aim is to create an interactive online platform and an equivalent mobile application, which will feature an interactive map that allows young people to easily find courses or training workshops that they are interested in, to upgrade their knowledge and skills.

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The consortium is working hard with completing Intellectual Output 4:

THE CONNECTEDLEARNING@YW TOOL KIT: AN A TO Z GUIDE TO MAPPING LEARNING ROUTES ACROSS EUROPE. This includes SYNERGIES with Learning Providers, the creation of the INTERACTIVE MAPS with the LEARNING SPACES, the design of proposed CONNECTED LEARNING ROUTES within regions and countries, the setting up of structured dialogue and open consultations with policy makers.

All these elements make up the ConnectedLearning@YW TOOL KIT:

- ✓ To develop, produce and evaluate the **TOOL KIT** with instructions, regulations, guidelines necessary for the implementation of the 'DIGITAL CONNECTED LEARNING ROUTES ACROSS EUROPE' which aims to equip and validate a specific set of digital skills, with the participation of 10 Young People from each country. The TOOL KIT will include road map, guidelines, templates, good examples, monitoring tools, practical tips, SWOT analysis, campaign, etc
- ✓ To design and implement a **CAMPAIGN and a PETITION** in support of the INTERACTIVE MAPS and the CONNECTED LEARNING ROUTES methodology for the promotion and validation of NFL and for enhancing the methods used by YW to reach out to marginalised groups of young persons to encourage them to participate and acquire key competences with a specific focus on Digital Competences (as purported in the Digital Action Plan 2018)
- ✓ **To promote the creation of the SYNERGIES** (among youth workers, Youth Organisations, Association, stakeholders, providers etc.) and the **setting up of the CONNECTEDLEARNING@YW NETWORK** essential for the sustainability and exploitation of the project.



Partners have been testing the tool kit in a Pilot testing workshop, each in their own country. Next in the testing plan was to join all together in Cyprus taking in young people from the target group to test the material live. Unfortunately, there are still traveling restrictions and the meeting will have to be digital. During the period of 25 May -1 June the partners will meet and test the toolkit in a digital form together with young people from the target group, within their own countries. The different modules will be worked through and inspirational speakers, entrepreneurs and businesses will be presented. The following modules, produced and processed by the partners, are the ones that will be in focus:

- **Module 1:** Business Principles
- **Module 2:** Marketing
- **Module 3:** Planning & Budgeting
- **Module 4:** Innovative Learning
- **Module 5:** Soft Skills
- **Module 6:** Thinking ahead

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