

## NEWSLETTER

January 2023



### **eTwinning Theme of the Year 2023: Innovation and Education – Being Creative with eTwinning**

The eTwinning Theme of the Year 2023 will revolve around the relationship between 'Innovation' and 'Education'.



### **'Not just Irish, but also European': How a school garden gave eTwinners in Ireland a gateway to the European community**

Our Lady of Fatima School is a school in Ireland for those with mild general learning difficulties. Being involved with eTwinning, the school participated in a project with partners from Turkey, Ireland, Albania, North Macedonia, Czech Republic, Greece and Romania to transform a garden space that wasn't maintained. The project turned an abandoned garden space into a source of confidence and international cooperation for the students.

December 2022

What is the word for solidarity in your language? What other words/ideas do you associate with the notion of solidarity



### **eTwinning community rallies around Ukrainian teachers and students**

The ongoing war in Ukraine and the harsh reality it has brought to the Ukrainian people has caused grief worldwide. The eTwinning community has responded with solidarity to show Ukrainian students, parents, and teachers that the situation in Ukraine is affecting us all and that we are all advocating for an end to the conflict.



### **New Featured Group: Wellbeing@school**

eTwinning opens a new group entirely dedicated to the well-being of students and teachers



### **eTwinning Online ITE Conference: Equipping future teachers with collaborative, inclusive and sustainable professional practices via eTwinning**

The online eTwinning conference on Initial Teacher Education, which took place from 30 November to 2 December, provided insights, inspiration and tangible tools to ITE professionals.

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## November 2022



### **eTwinning Online Annual Conference 2022: Imagining education in the future: beautiful, sustainable, together**

The aim of the conference was to raise awareness, train and engage participants on how eTwinning can help teachers deploy the theme of the year - New European Bauhaus - in their schools.



### **2022 eTwinning European Prize Ceremony**

After opening remarks and keynote speeches on the first day of the Annual eTwinning Conference, the time finally came to celebrate the achievements of the backbone of the eTwinning Community: teachers and pupils.



### **2022 eTwinning Weeks Campaign**

This year's eTwinning weeks took place from 26 September to 20 October and focused on the theme of Our future beautiful, sustainable, together: Schools and the New European Bauhaus.

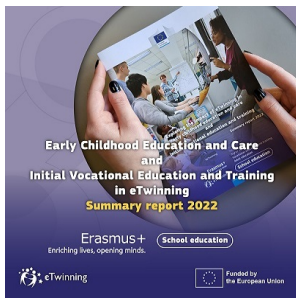
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## October 2022



## **[Our future: beautiful, sustainable, together eTwinning and the New European Bauhaus](#)**

'The New European Bauhaus is an invitation to dream, to imagine, and to experiment. It is a movement that explores how we can build a sustainable and inclusive future based on the values that bind Europe together.' Mariya Gabriel, Commissioner for Innovation, Research, Culture, Education, and Youth



## **[Summary Report 2022 – Exploring the impact of eTwinning in early childhood education and care and initial vocational education training](#)**

The European School Education Platform is a single platform that integrates the former eTwinning, School Education Gateway, and Teacher Academy platforms and services. As of 2022, the eTwinning community is hosted in a restricted area within the European School Education Platform.



## **[Linguistic and cultural diversity and richness in eTwinning](#)**

eTwinning isn't just limited to EU countries; it is also open to countries surrounding the European Union. Inspiring international activities increase diversity and linguistic richness in education. Cooperation also has a very important role – learners from different countries can meet and learn together.

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