Rural Inclusion in Erasmus+

Iceland's TCA seminar experience

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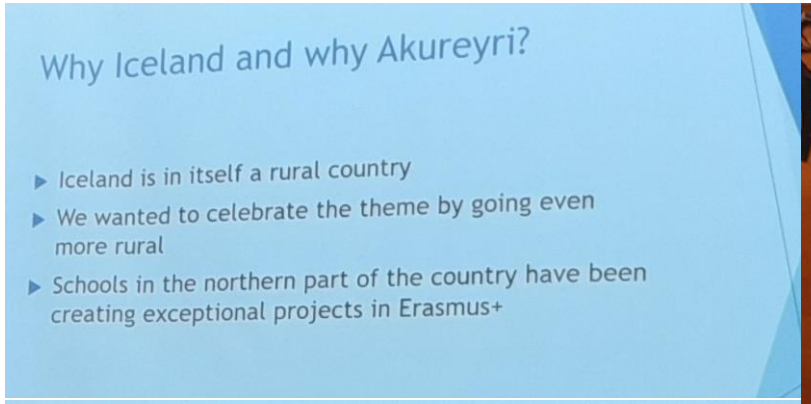
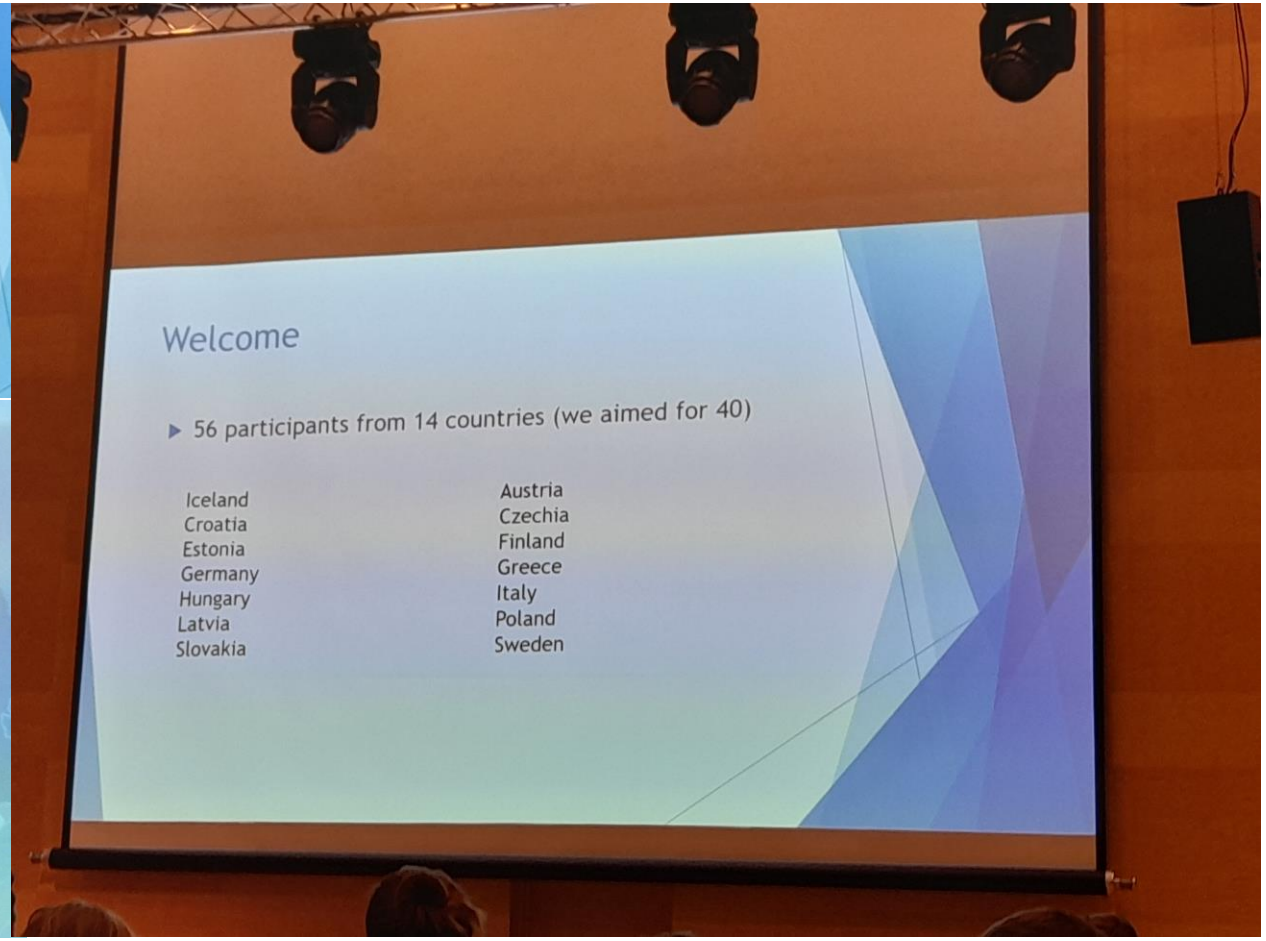
Basic facts


Why Iceland and why Akureyri?
Iceland is in itself a rural country
We wanted to celebrate the theme by going even more rural
Schools in the northern part of the country have been creating exceptional projects in Erasmus+

Basic facts about Iceland
• Population: 376.248
• ~3 inhabitants per square km
• Akureyri: 19.642


Welcome
56 participants from 14 countries (we aimed for 40)
Iceland
Croatia
Estonia
Germany
Hungary
Latvia
Slovakia
Austria
Czechia
Finland
Greece
Italy
Poland
Sweden

What to expect ?

Examples of successful rural schools in Iceland

EU's Erasmus study abroad programme is 'responsible for 1m

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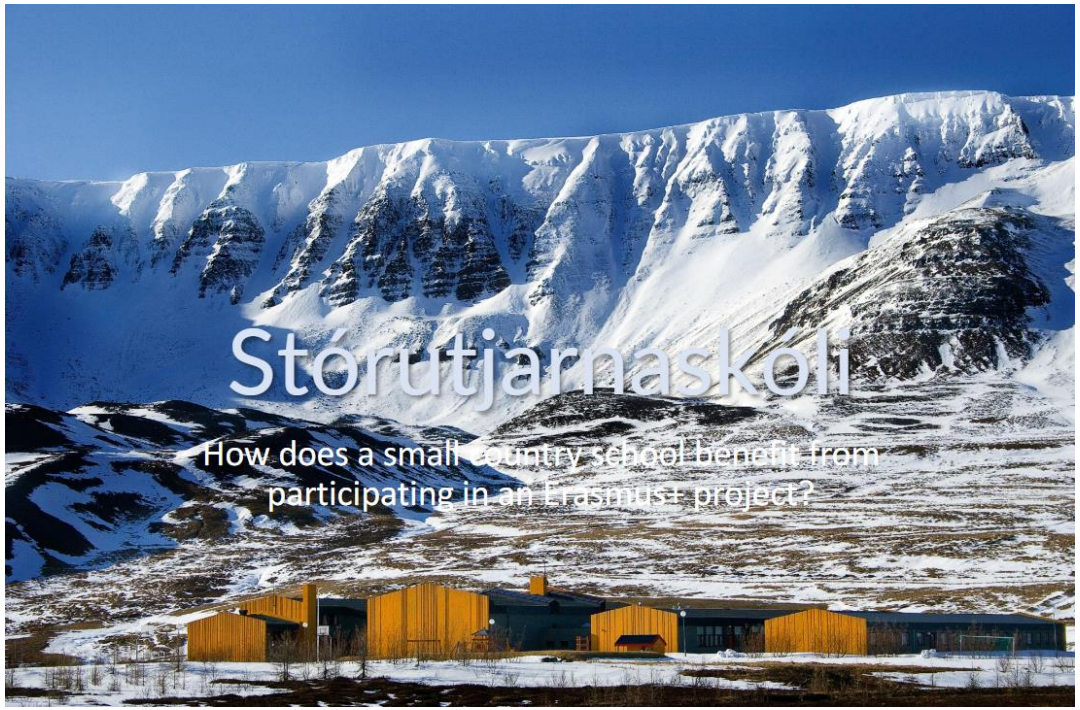
‘You Wouldn’t Exist Without Europe’: The Erasmus Baby Phenomenon

It is estimated that over one million babies have been born as a result of the Erasmus programme.

EMPOWERMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY IN MENNTASKÓLINN Á TRÖLLASKAGA

- https://youtu.be/aVo3tr3JZ1s

How does a small country school benefit from participating in an Erasmus project?



As small country schools seldom have the funds for proper training and courses for their staff, participation in Erasmus+ projects brings invaluable opportunities.

Benefits of being part of an Erasmus+ project

New ideas

New methods

New thinking

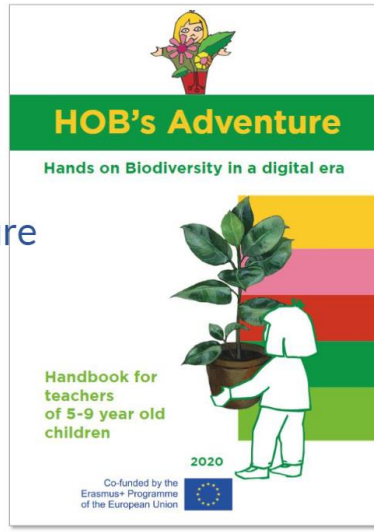
Being part of an Erasmus+ project opens a new world to teachers in small schools like ours!

Teaching biodiversity to young children

Stórutjarnaskóli

HOB‘s Adventure

Teaching Biodiversity
to Young Children



Stórutjarnaskóli

Erasmus+ project 2017-2019

Teaching Biodiversity to Young Children

- Estonia
- Iceland
- Lithuania
- Slovenia

Green Flag Eco School since 2011

Erasmus + cooperation project – Hob’s Adventure

Inclusion strategy and inclusive mindset

When you look at the different factors of your life. Try to imagine a time in history where some part of you would not have been accepted - or is still not accepted - by society.
How does it make you feel? Is it your fault? How would you feel if you would be excluded from opportunities because of this.

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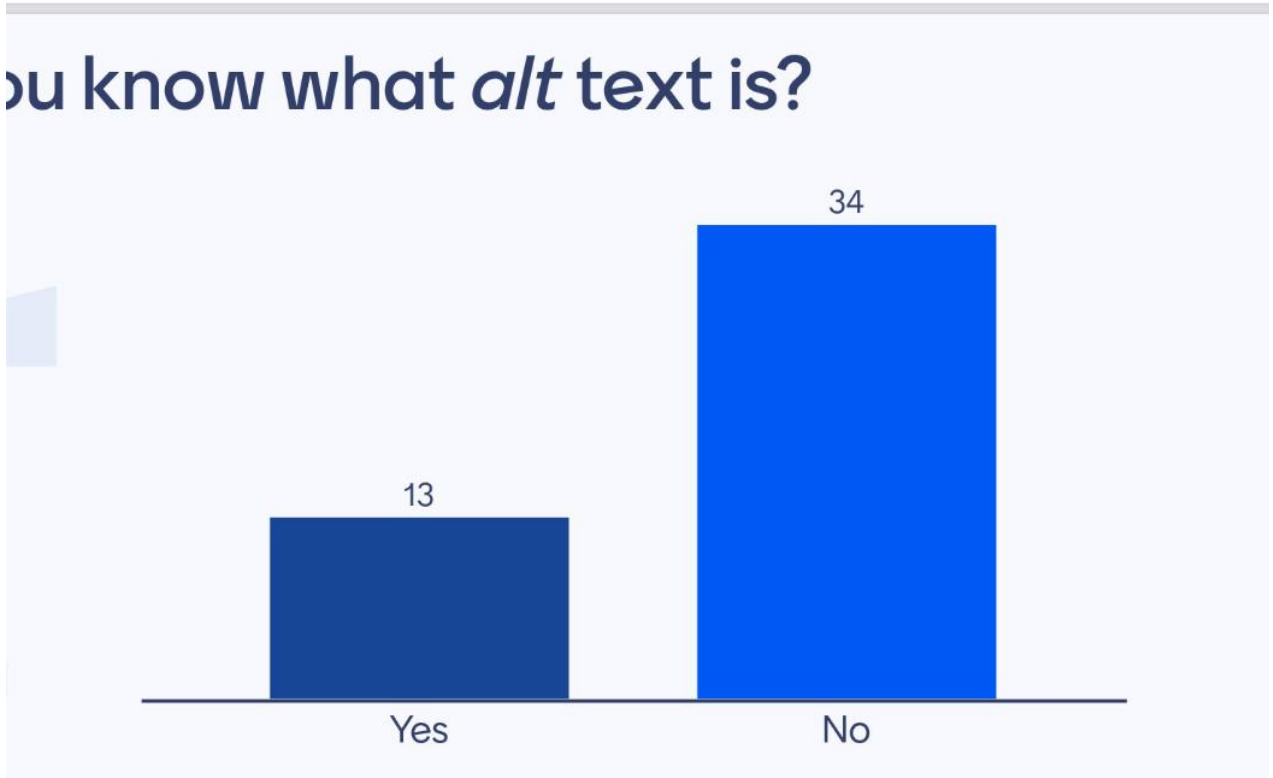

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Inclusion starts with „I”

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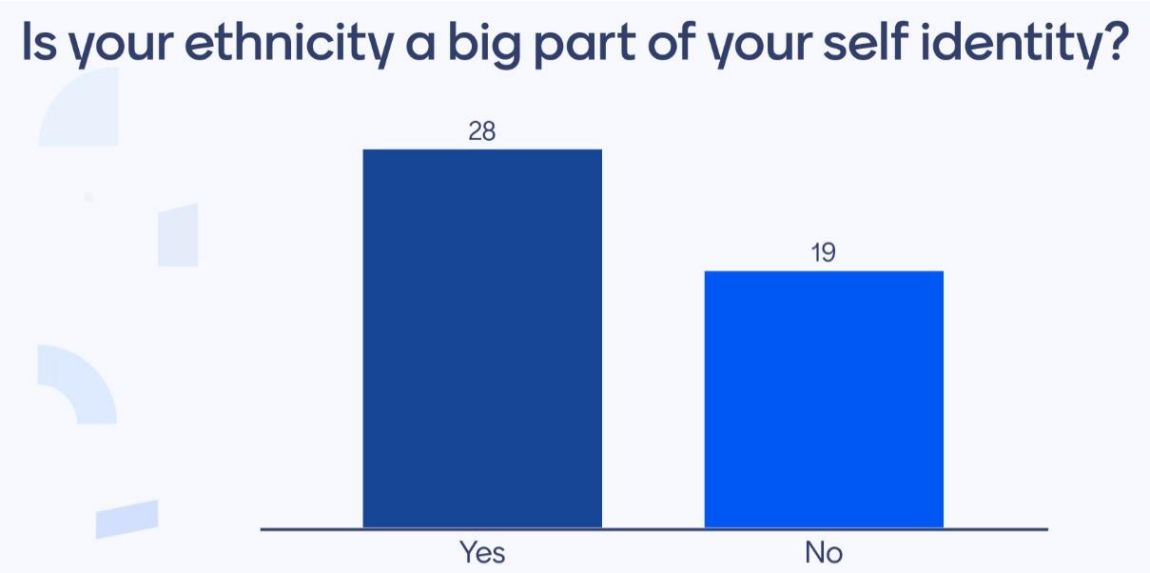

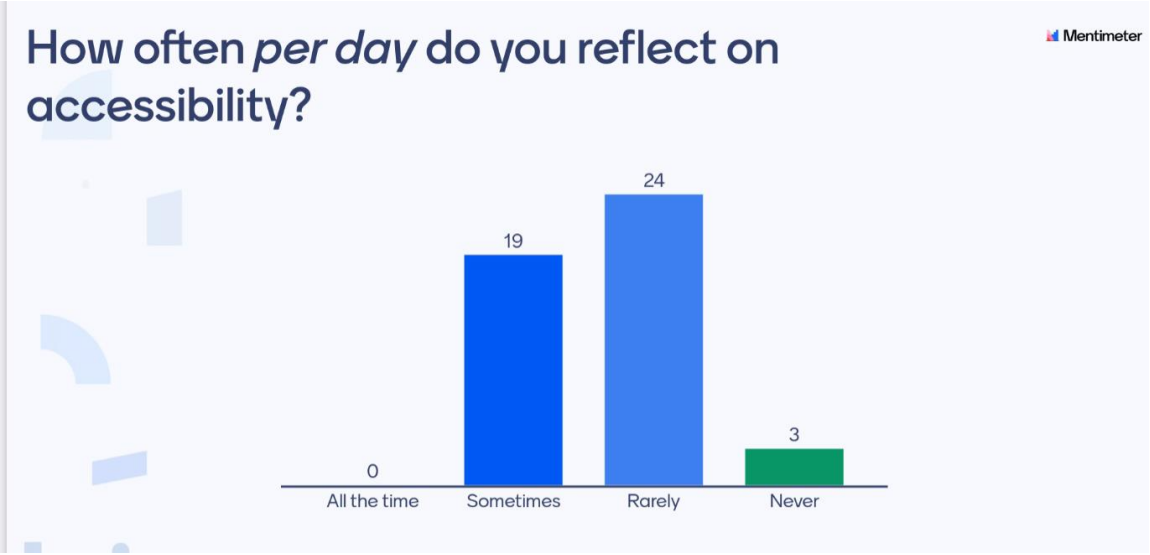

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Erasmus+ opportunities in the fie
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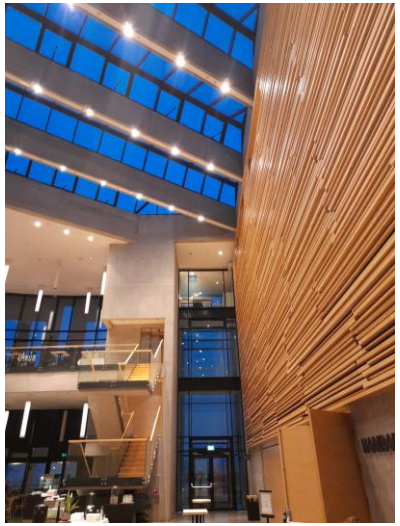


Erasmus+ opportunities in the field of school education

Horizontal priorities applying to all Erasmus+ sectors

Inclusion and diversity

Offering a more inclusive, diverse and accessible programme.

Environmental sustainability

Making Erasmus+ a more sustainable programme and fostering more environmentally responsible behaviors

Digital transformation

Promote the use of digital platforms and tools, develop digital competences

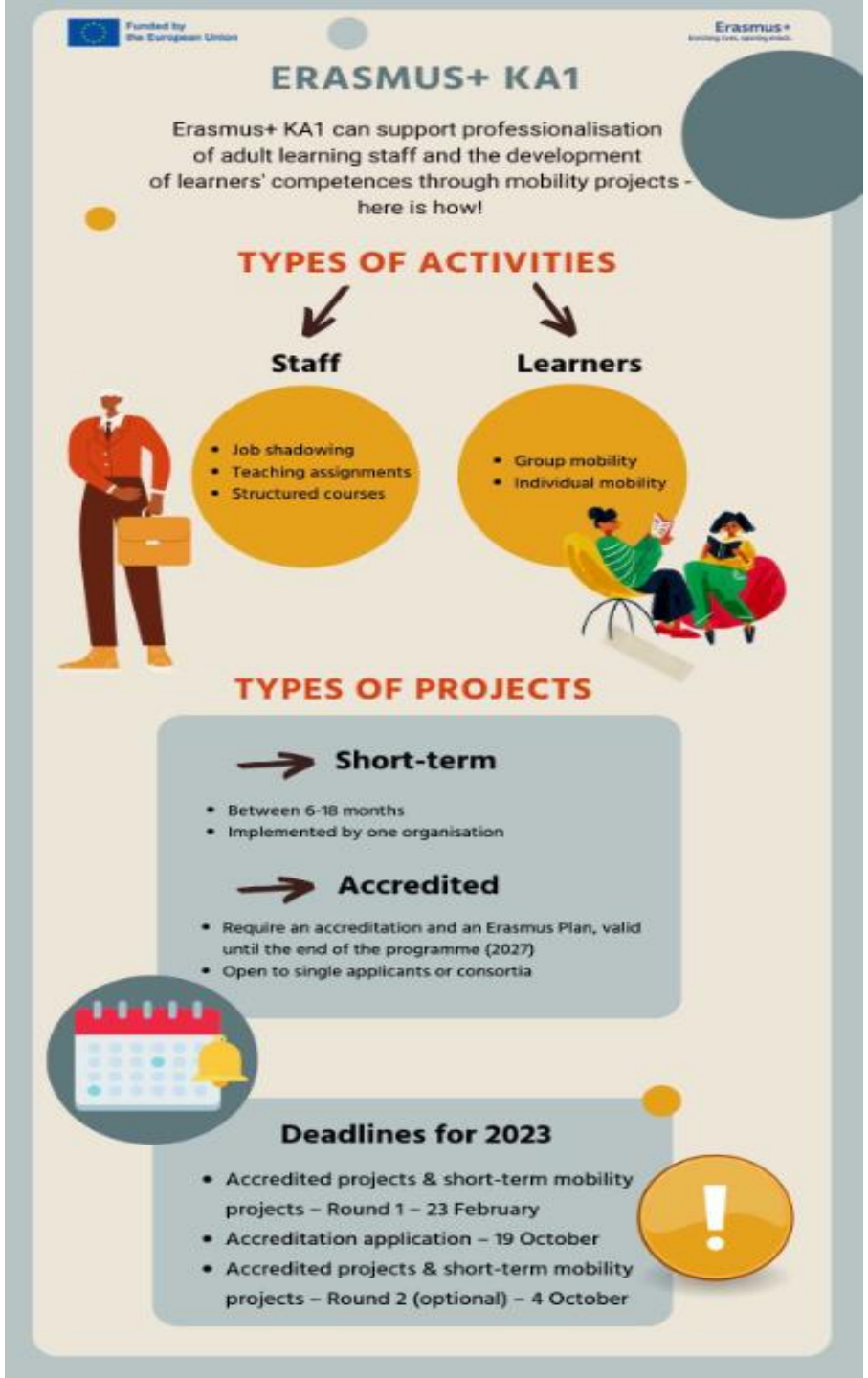
Participation and civic engagement

Promote active participation and civic engagement as part of the programme and in society in general

Erasmus+

Useful information

- Electronic Application forms link
- Erasmus+ Programme guide link
- European School Education Platform (Networking and partner finding) link
- Agencija za mobilnost i programe EU link



Mobilnosti u inozemstvu za učenike i nastavnike (Ključna aktivnost 1 - KA1)

- U tim projektima ustanove šalju ili primaju učenike ili zaposlenike na tečajeve, poučavanje, aktivnosti praćenja rada ili učenja. Aktivnosti se biraju prema potrebama ustanove i njezinih zaposlenika i trebaju voditi postizanju postavljenih ciljeva koji su važni za razvoj ustanove.
  Trajno sudjelovanje u aktivnosti mobilnosti ustanovama i organizacijama omogućuje **Erasmus akreditacija.**

Partnerstva za suradnju – mala ili suradnička (Ključna aktivnost 2 - KA2)

- U tim (nešto složenijim i opsežnijim) projektima ustanove, tvrtke, udruge ili druge organizacije zajedno osmišljavaju nove metode rada, proizvode nove kurikule, donose različite inovacije, razmjenjuju dobre prakse.
- Ustanove mogu biti i domaćini aktivnosti u projektima mobilnosti - ugostiti učenike iz drugih škola iz inozemstva ili kolege na aktivnosti praćenja rada, ili pak partneri u KA2 projektima, za što ne trebaju prijaviti projekt.
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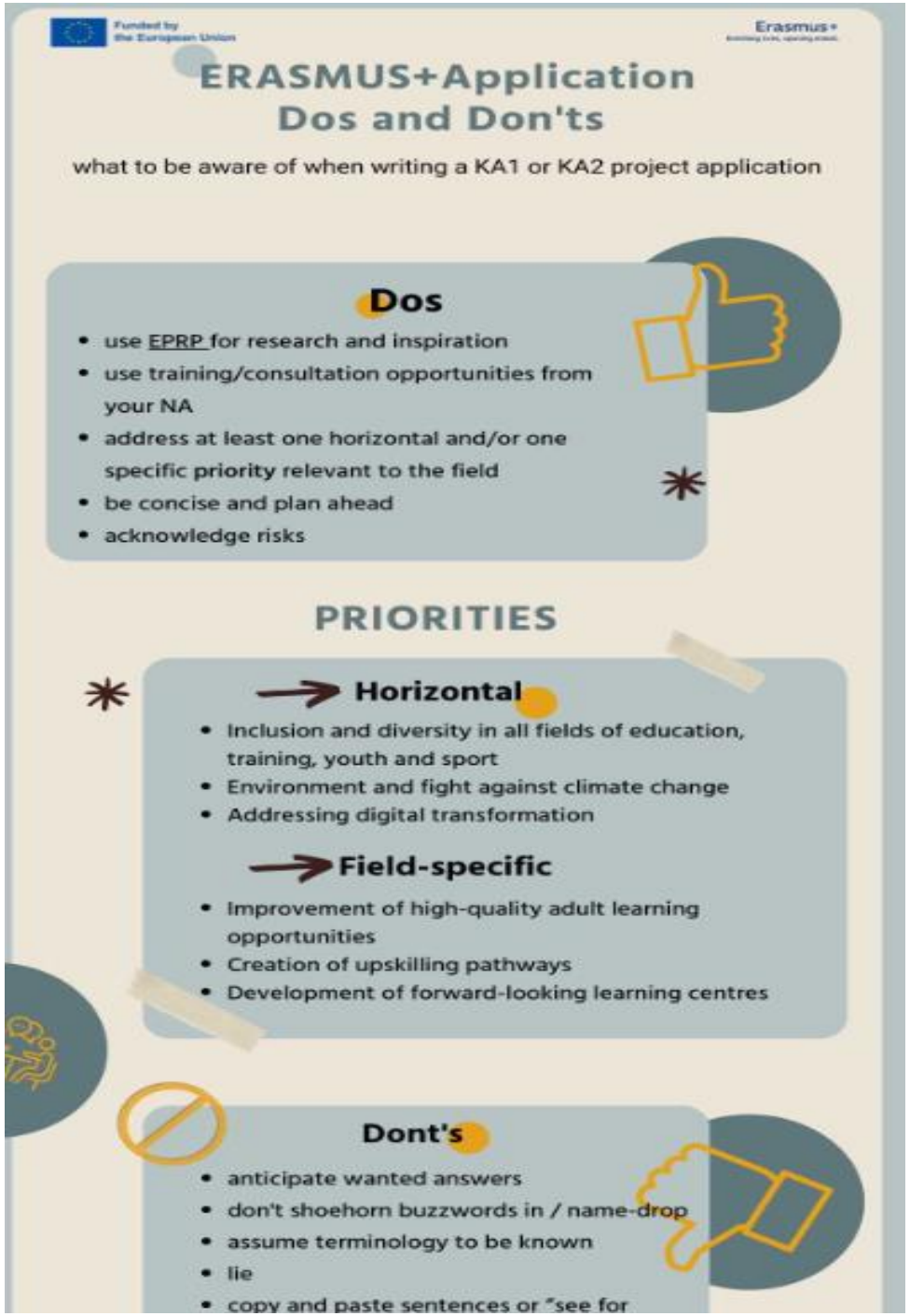
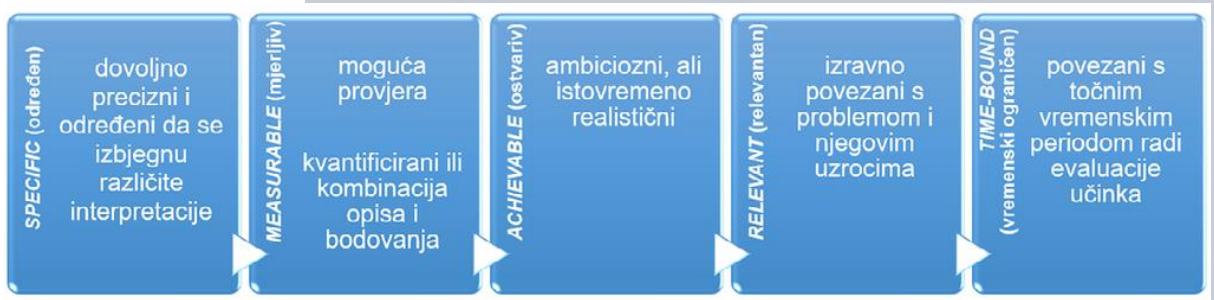


Useful tips

- **Before the project** link
- **Submitting the project** link

. Ciljeve je poželjno osmisliti vodeći se metodom **S.M.A.R.T.** (*Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Relevant, Time-bound*):



Iznimno je važno dokazati jasnu povezanost među postavljenim ciljevima, provedenim aktivnostima i postignutim rezultatima.

- Engage in projects that are relevant to your school
- Get to know your international team
- Create a local team in your school to share the responsibilities
- Get the parents involved from the beginning
- Create a sound and functional application process for students

Thank you for your attention and have a successful project planning!

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