



# Erasmus+



## SCHOOLS WEEK

Léargas are delighted to announce Erasmus+ Schools Week 2019 from 30 September to 04 October. We are inviting all schools who have been involved in Erasmus+ since 2014 to get involved in this year's celebration of Erasmus+ Schools Week.

### What is Erasmus+ Schools Week?

It is an opportunity for primary schools, secondary schools and other organisations involved in Erasmus+ to celebrate their participation and share their experiences.

Erasmus+ Schools Week is a unique opportunity to enhance the European and international dimension of your school. The most important part of Erasmus+ Schools Week will be the activities organised by you and your school at European, national, regional or local levels throughout the week. Use these activities to celebrate your school's involvement in Erasmus+, and share your experiences within your community.

### Who Can Take Part?

Erasmus+ Schools Week is open to all who have been/are involved in Erasmus+. For example,

- pupils, teachers, principals and other school staff
- school stakeholders
- Education Centres
- ETBs
- colleges, universities, etc.

## Why Get Involved?

Erasmus+ Schools Week is a chance to let parents and your community find out more about the European dimension in your school. It's also a chance to get your whole school and community involved in Erasmus+ activities.

By taking part, you can:

- raise the profile of your school and its European connections
- be part of a large network of schools and organisations promoting the development and celebration of Erasmus+ throughout Ireland
- create and receive more exposure for your Erasmus+ work in your own community and beyond
- have your events promoted by Léargas through social media

## How Can You Get Involved?

There are many events or activities—big or small—that you and your school can organise. Here are some ideas to inspire you:

- hold an information get-together on your Erasmus+ project for school/parents/community
- create a video that celebrates your project
- write a blog capturing the experience of your project
- share your video or blog with Léargas
- host a European-themed party within your school
- use local media (radio or newspaper) to get the word out about your project

## What's Next?

To make this event a success, we encourage you to get involved! Working and supporting each other during Erasmus+ Schools Week will help us promote the programme and share the excellent work that is going on in schools all around the country.

If you'd like to get involved, please complete the application form and return it to the Schools team at [schools@leargas.ie](mailto:schools@leargas.ie)

To help you plan and deliver your event or activity, we will send you an Erasmus+ Schools Week Pack in August.