



# SALTO

**GREEN TRANSITION &  
SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT**



**Environment  
& fight against climate change**

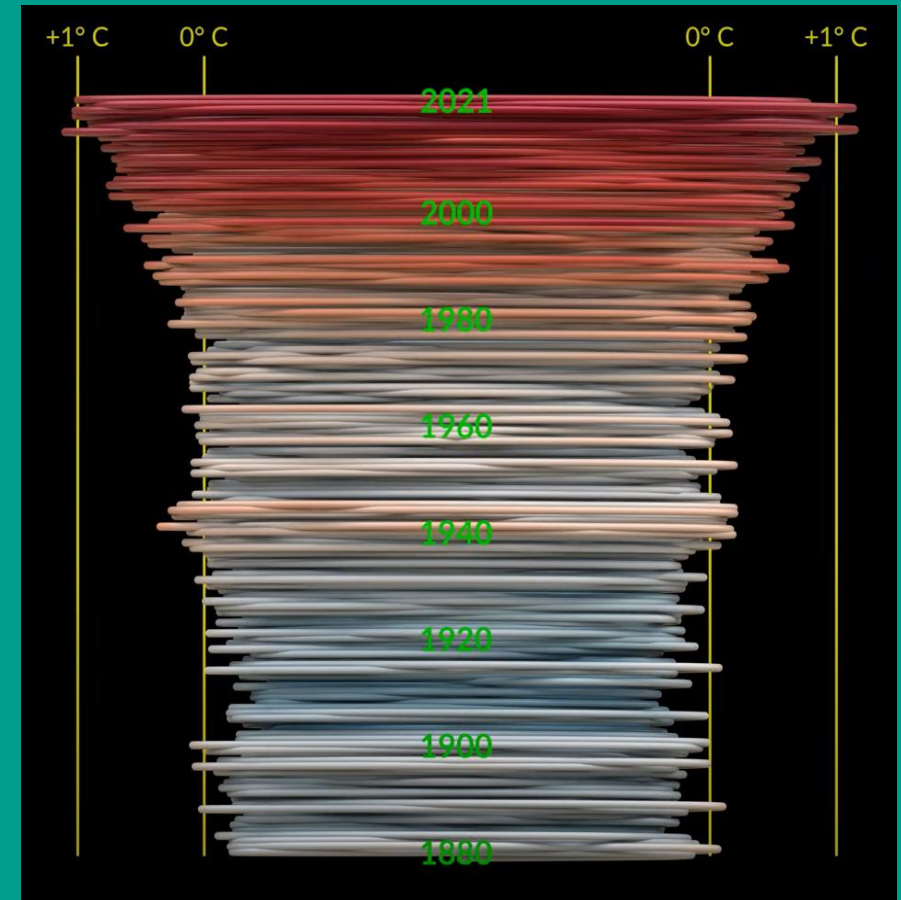
# The reality of global warming

- 6<sup>th</sup> extinction and loss of biodiversity
- Global temperature rise of 1.1°C over the last century and a half
- Human impact proven
- Humanity requires a planet and a half of resources

**2015:** Paris Conference (COP21) & Paris Agreement; 17 Sustainable Development Goals, adopted by all UN Members

**2021 :** European Union announces Green Deal

**2023 :** the COP28 global pact is the first to mention the necessity to shift away from fossil fuels



*Global raise of temperature graphic – NASA*  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=>



# European framework

## The EU will:



Become  
climate-neutral  
by 2050



Protect human life,  
animals and plants,  
by cutting pollution



Help companies  
become world leaders  
in clean products and  
technologies



Help ensure a  
just and inclusive  
transition

# European framework

The **Green Deal** – Education for Sustainable Development

Proposal for a Council Recommendation on learning for environmental sustainability 14/01/2022  
[proposal for a Council Recommendation on learning for environmental sustainability](#)

Launch 25/11/2022 “Education for Climate’s collaborative online platform” Education for Climate Day  
[https://education-for-climate.ec.europa.eu/day\\_en](https://education-for-climate.ec.europa.eu/day_en)

**European competence framework on sustainability** GreenComp 12/01/2022

The GreenComp defines competence groups that should be acquired by learners of all ages related to sustainability <https://publications.jrc.ec.europa.eu/repository/handle/JRC128040>

Education and Youth ministers meeting , 5/04/2022

- **Recommendation** for even more effective **European higher education cooperation** to face crisis
- **Recommendation** on the **mobility of young volunteers across the European Union**



# In the programme guide

- Inclusion and diversity
- Participation in democratic life, common values and civic engagement
- Digital transformation
- **Environment and fight against climate change**

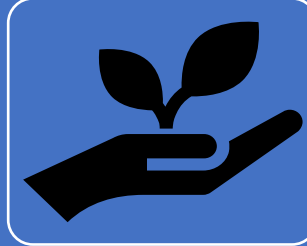
- Consider environment and the fight against global warming as a priority when selecting the projects. Incorporate green practices in all projects.
- Build knowledge, skills, and attitudes on climate change and supporting sustainable development.
- Enhance career prospects and engagement in strategic areas for sustainable growth, with special attention to rural development
- Make learners, staff and youth workers true actors of change
- Strive for carbon-neutrality by promoting sustainable transport modes and more environmentally responsible behavior.

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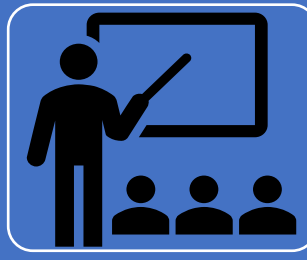




# What is at stake?



Reduction of the per capita carbon footprint



Education for sustainable development



Development of new skills and professions linked with Green transition



# TEAM SALTO GREEN

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# Green Priority in Erasmus+



## ***Learners and staff mobility:***

- Financial top-ups to learners and staff as incentive to use cleaner means of transport
- Neutralise carbon footprint of travelling (e.g. by actions of cleaning up beaches, offsetting actions once abroad in the host country).

## ***Management of projects and mobility***

- Limit the number of physical meetings
- Use virtual collaborative spaces for people-to-people exchanges
- For physical meetings, ban plastics, encourage recycled materials gifts, vegetarian meals...

## ***Policy level***

- Introduce climate change as a policy priority for cooperation projects
- Develop curricula to ensure that learners are trained to act for a sustainable planet

## ***Monitoring implementation***

- Erasmus Charter for Higher Education (ECHE) and Accredited organisations' Erasmus Plan to reflect commitment to green strategies





# Good Green Practices Erasmus+ to share

# Higher Education

## **Platform for Sustainability Performance in Education**

Bring together sustainability assessment tools for universities and colleges.

<https://www.eauc.org.uk/theplatform/home>

## **Erasmus Goes Green**

Find solutions to reduce the transport-related carbon footprint of higher education students and staff

<https://www.egg-project-eu.uvsq.fr/>

## **Green Erasmus**

Handbook HEI on travel and sustainable strategies, with games, tips, tools and learning resources

<https://www.greenerasmus.org/>



# School Education

## Wonders of Waste

Develop green skills in children around waste reduction and management

<https://www.wondersofwaste.is/>

**EU Learning Corner** : a hub of resources to play – teach - discover for primary or secondary school pupils and teachers

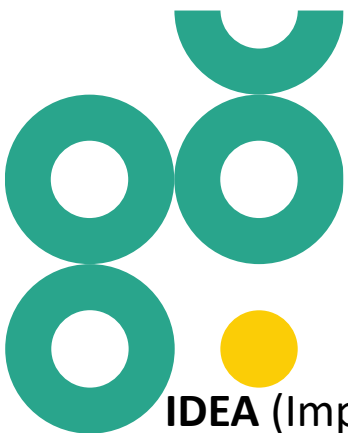
[https://learning-corner.learning.europa.eu/learning-materials/ready-green-challenge\\_en](https://learning-corner.learning.europa.eu/learning-materials/ready-green-challenge_en)

## Green Nudges on Campus

What works in changing behaviours around campus? This booklet provides experimentation and good practices

<https://www.unep.org/resources/publication/little-book-green-nudges>





# Adult Education

**IDEA** (Improved Employability through circular economy education for Adults) is an ongoing **Erasmus+ Cooperation partnership project**. It aims to **promote the circular economy and sustainability among unemployed adults** by fostering more significant Interaction between the European Green Deal and the EU Gender Equality Strategy 2020-2025.

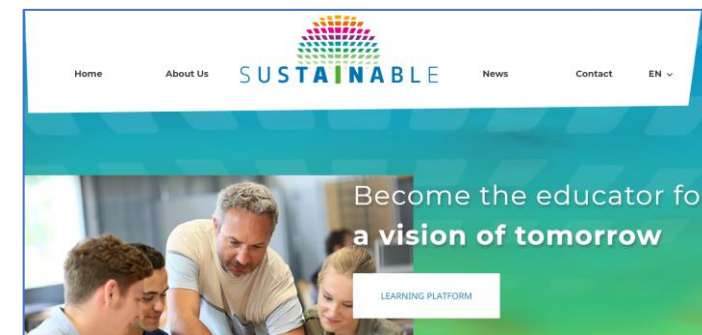
<https://circulareconomy.europa.eu/platform/en/toolkits-guidelines/idea-improved-employability-circular-economy-education-adults-guidebook>

**Platform EPALE:** with a focus on Sustainable Development.

<https://epale.ec.europa.eu/en>

**Sustainable :** learning platform free to use. It helps you to empower educators and adults to understand and act on sustainable challenges, by providing digital and training resources.

<https://sustainable-project.eu/en>

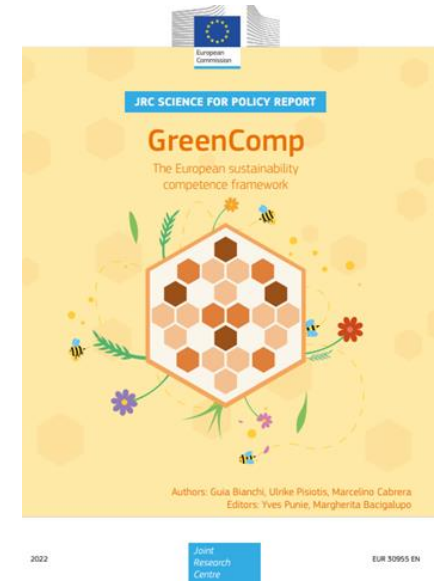


# Vocational Education Training

Cedefop (2023). *Skills in transition: the way to 2035*, Luxembourg: Publications Office.  
<http://data.europa.eu/doi/10.2801/438491> : Skills intelligence provides sound and trusted Evidence on labour market trends and skill needs – CEDEFOP contribution to the European Year of skills

**Green Comp'** on sustainability competences made by the European Commission – Framework document

**Think Twice** (<https://thinktwice.management/toolbox/>) is addressed above all to project managers working on European funded projects and includes a collection of good practice examples, detailing points and activities where a project could be made “greener”.



**think twice**  
ecological sustainability  
in project management



## Resources :

**Platform for Sustainability Performance in Education (in HE)**

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**Erasmus Goes Green:** <https://www.egg-project-eu.uvsg.fr/>

**EU Learning Corner** platform for School Education: [https://learning-corner.learning.europa.eu/index\\_en](https://learning-corner.learning.europa.eu/index_en)

**EPALE** platform for Adult Education, with a focus on Sustainable Development.

<https://epale.ec.europa.eu/en>

**GreenComp:** [https://joint-research-centre.ec.europa.eu/greencomp-european-sustainability-competence-framework\\_en](https://joint-research-centre.ec.europa.eu/greencomp-european-sustainability-competence-framework_en)

**Think Twice Project:** <https://thinktwice.management/toolbox/>

**Sustainable Project:** <https://sustainable-project.eu/en>

**SG Youtube Chanel:**

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC5KCGRp6PCmlj8z9YmdNdMw>

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Collection of **Green Projects**  
for Erasmus+ and European  
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**Thank you**  
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