Project meeting in Piatra Neamt, Romania

The 3rd project meeting has taken place in Piatra Neamt, Romania. During the project meeting we split into 3 groups: Trainers Handbook, Curriculum Framework and Train the Trainers Programme. The all partners were come with outputs and good introductions. During the six month partners have been working on Handbook of Good Practice and the trainers handbook supports the training the trainers programme and the curriculum framework. During the multiplier event with break out discussion group and interactive. The workshop focus on train the trainers programme for teachers and the careers curriculum framework. Was a good recommendation that the young people who are disadvantaged are at greater risk of ESL, one reason being that long term unemployment in the family results in greater distance from the labour market, lack of knowledge of career options and lower aspirations. See the video: HERE

Upskilling Pathways

According to data of the OECD, close to 70 million Europeans lack basic reading and writing skills. Even more cannot use numbers or digital tools effectively in daily live. Without these skills they are at high risk of unemployment, poverty and social exclusion, and, as a further concern of the European Union. In the framework of the new Skills Agenda the European Commission proposed a “Skills Guarantee” called Upskilling Pathways. An upper secondary qualification or equivalent – Level 3 or 4 in the European Qualifications Framework depending on national circumstances. The initiative proposes three key steps:

Step 1 – Skills assessment: Enable adults to identify their existing skills and their upskilling needs.
Step 2 – Learning offer: Provision of education and training opportunities meeting the needs identified by the skills assessment.
Step 3 – Validation and recognition: Validation and recognition of the skills acquired.

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