Which concepts have proven successful for promoting valuesbased physical education teaching and sport training?

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Who does the Pestalozzi programme cater for?

Education professionals from the 50 countries of the European Cultural Convention.

It also offers places for education professionals from neighboring regions.

Education professionals are all those who have an active part to play in the day-to-day practice of education. They are the ones who make a difference in day-to-day practice in the classrooms and all other spaces of learning.



Possible ways to do it









TASKs for Democracy - Transversal Attitudes, Skills and Knowledge COMPETENCES FOR DEMOCRATIC CULTURE Living together as equals in culturally diverse democratic societies



Physical education and Sport for Democracy and Human rights (SPORT)



This is a trainer training course organized by the Pestalozzi programme of the Council of Europe in cooperation with the Enlarged Partial Agreement on Sport (EPAS) of the Council of Europe (2 modules).



- We worked with tools and methods that empower education professionals and improve their transversal attitude skills and knowledge in the field of Physical education.
- We worked for more than 18 months.
- We created 21 Training Units

Our training activities seek to develop transversal attitudes, skills and knowledge to maintain and develop democratic societies that develop the following competences of educators:

 critical observation from different perspectives; 	 actions based on respect for human rights and dignity; 	 the ability to act democratically and to co-operate;
 understanding of diversity and the ability to live in diversity; 	 understanding of the past and the present, and the ability to project oneself into the future; 	• the ability to communicate across all kinds and types of borders;
 critical, responsible and beneficial use of the media environment; 	• the ability and readiness to continue to learn throughout one's life;	principles of tolerance in any form and situation.

With building empathy -We can:

> Explore identity Establish fairness Raise awareness of stereotypes Develop tolerance, respect, acceptance Cultivate curiosity Challenge prejudice Inspire action and social change









Outcome:

..is self-leadership, which enables each individual to take the lid off their potential

..is celebration of individual and collective contributions and achievements



How?





Competences for Democratic Culture



'Competences for Democratic Culture' (CDC)

- This is the title of a new project which the Council of Europe is currently working on
- The key aim of the project is to assist national education systems to enhance the intercultural and democratic competences of young people across Europe
- To achieve this goal, the project is developing a new European framework of reference of the competences which young people need to acquire in order to participate effectively in democratic culture and intercultural dialogue
- The project is going to use the framework to formulate detailed recommendations and guidelines on the development of new curricula, new pedagogical methods and new assessment methods for use in citizenship education and intercultural education



Research shows:

improved relationships

improved self-discipline and altruistic behavior

improved quality of education

improved climate for education: fearless teaching

improved individual empowerment - taking responsibility

improved emotional climate for learning

improved child-centered pedagogy

improved educational standards



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- Rationale and context
- What is needed?
- How can it be done?
- Conclusion



Important to grasp!



With methods and elements for designing/planning/delivering/monitoring



- we build on learning opportunities that allow ethical reflections, interconnectedness, critical thinking, imagination, critical consciousness and self-driven learning, cooperation, role models...
- we create connections
 between theory and practice
 with values-based reflection



Thank you!

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