

Launch of Youth Wiki

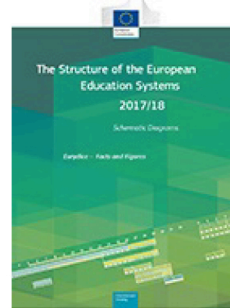
The [Youth Wiki](#), Europe's online encyclopedia of national youth policies, was launched by the Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency (EACEA) and Directorate-General Education, Youth, Sport and Culture, in Brussels on 12 December 2017.



This web-based platform provides a comprehensive database on national structures, policies and actions supporting young people. Its objectives are to promote European cooperation in the field of youth and to support evidence-based decision making.

Structure of the European Education Systems 2017/18

The [latest edition](#) of this annual publication provides an at-a-glance overview of 43 education systems, covering all 38 countries participating in the EU's [Erasmus+](#) programme. For each system, a schematic diagram shows possible student pathways from pre-school, through primary and secondary education and higher education.



This is a useful resource to accompany the reading of comparative education reports.

Compulsory Education in Europe

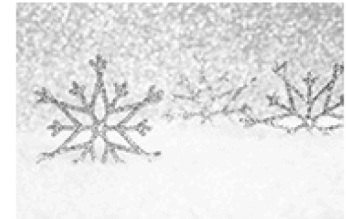
The [2017/18](#) edition of this publication looks at the duration of compulsory education/training in Europe. It highlights starting and leaving ages and distinguishes between full-time and part-time compulsory education/training.

Education and Training Monitor

The European Commission has issued a new edition of its annual publication on education and training in the EU. [Education and Training Monitor 2017](#) focuses on the theme of inequality in education and the role of education in building a fairer society. It provides cross-national analysis, along with 28 individual country reports.



Season's Greetings



The Eurydice Unit for England, Wales and Northern Ireland wishes you a very merry Christmas and a happy and successful 2018.

We welcome feedback of any kind, so please [email](#) us with comments, questions or suggestions.

Recent publications

[The Structure of the European Education Systems 2017/18: Schematic Diagrams](#)

(November 2017)

[Compulsory Education in Europe – 2017/18](#) (November 2017)

[Citizenship Education at School in Europe – 2017](#)

(November 2017)

[National Student Fee and Support Systems in European Higher Education – 2017/18](#)

(October 2017)

[Eurydice Brief: Modernisation of Higher Education in Europe: Academic Staff – 2017](#)

(October 2017)

Forthcoming

Thematic Report on Teachers (February 2018)

Bologna Implementation Report 2018 (Spring 2018)

Instruction Time in Full-time

Compulsory Education in

Europe 2017/18 (June 2018)