

Schools For All – Integration of Refugee Students in Greek Schools

National Conference 20 June 2022

New tool on inclusion of refugees | Synergies for inclusive education | Future plans.

Monday 15.30 – 20.30 | at Marasleio and via live streaming

and

Online training 21 June 2022

Introduction to methods and supportive techniques for refugee inclusion in school communities

Tuesday 18.00 - 21.00

The [European Wergeland Centre \(EWC\)](#) and the [Schools for All](#) team are honored to invite you to our conference on Monday June 20, and the online training event 21 June.

Since 2019, EWC has worked closely with the Ministry of Education and Religious Affairs on creating inclusive learning environments for schools all over Greece, with a particular emphasis on refugee integration in the project **Schools for All**. Based on the expertise, experiences and practices from the project, we have developed the handbook *Methods and supportive techniques for refugee inclusion in school communities*. The publication is a practical guide on how to work with different aspects of a school community.

The Conference 20th of June is addressed to schools, local authorities and community representatives, and others involved in work on inclusion. The programme includes

- The launch of the handbook
- Presentations and good practices from teachers and students
- A discussion on how the project experiences can be of value beyond the Greek borders
- What next? The new phase of the project

The online training 21st of June on refugee inclusion in school communities is for primary and secondary school teachers in Greece, as well as professionals active in the field of refugee education.

Programme Monday June 20

Moderator: Kjersti Klette (EWC), Schools for All Project Manager

15:15-16:15	On-site registration, welcome drinks and snacks Musical performance by the group Connect by Music Welcome to the schools' exhibitions
	Opening ceremonies
16.30-16.35	Welcome by Alexandros Koptsis, Secretary General at Primary, Secondary and Special Education of the Ministry of Education and Religious Affairs
16.35-16.40	Welcome by Ana Perona-Fjeldstad, Executive Director of the European Wergeland Centre
16:45-17:05	The Project, its methodology, the results Angelos Vallianatos, Head Trainer Schools for All
17:10-17:30	Launch of the Handbook on Inclusion of refugees in school communities Marios Koukounaras-Liagkis, National Trainer Schools for All, together with trainers and participants from the project
17:35-17:50	Implications beyond Greece – how can the project contribute? Conversation between Jędrzej Witkowski, President of the Board of the Centre for Citizenship Education Foundation, Poland, and Ana Perona-Fjeldstad, EWC
17:50-18:20	Break Finger food Schools' exhibitions
18:20-18:50	The schools' actions Iro Potamoussi, National Trainer Schools for All, together with trainers and participants from the project
18:55-19:20	Schools and community links Gelly Aroni, National Trainer Schools for All, together with trainers and participants from the project
19:25-19:35	The next phase of the project Kjersti Klette, Project Manager, and Angelos Vallianatos, Head Trainer
19:50-20:30	Graduation ceremony for the participants

Drinks and finger food will be offered during the event.

The conference will be mainly in Greek, with simultaneous interpretation in English.

The event will take place in accordance with the health regulations in effect at the time.

Details

Monday June 20, 2022, 15.30 – 20.30 at [Marasleio](#) (Marasli 4, Athens) for registered attendees and online [via zoom](#) (link to event will be sent via email).

Please see [RSVP form](#) here and register by June 15.

Tuesday June 21, 2022, 18:00-21.00: Online training on methods and supportive techniques for refugee inclusion in school communities

More information and registration form are found [here](#).

The event is organized in cooperation with Learn Inn EKPA, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens.

The project "[Schools For All](#)" is being implemented under the "Local Development and Poverty Reduction" program in Greece, by the European Wergeland Centre (EWC), under the auspices of the Ministry of Education and Religious Affairs and with the support of the Institute of Educational Policy (IEP). The "Local Development and Poverty Reduction" programme in Greece, financed by Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway, was awarded a total budget of 6,5 million euros as part of the EEA Grants 2014 – 2021. The program aspires to contribute to enhancement of social cohesion and reduction of economic and social disparities. The Fund Operator for the "Local Development and Poverty Reduction" programme in Greece is SQL Consulting S.A in partnership with Human Rights 360.

More information: <https://www.asylumandmigration-eeagrants.gr>