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NEWSLETTER 1



Promoting high quality, digital transformation (VR gamification) and green transition in inclusive YW practices for youth with hearing impairment (or deafness) for better employability prospects

What the project is about

The GreenSIGNS project, funded by Erasmus+, seeks to enhance the employability of young people with hearing impairments by equipping them with green skills and tools, developing a VR game, introducing new green-related signs for sign language, and creating additional resources to support career opportunities in environmental fields.

Target Group

- Young people with deafness or hearing impairments (DHH)
- Youth Workers, Volunteers, Trainers, Educators working with DHH

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Website: <https://greensigns.eu/>



OUR TEAM

The project is coordinated by **National Center of Scientific Research “Demokritos”** which is the largest public multidisciplinary Research Centre of Greece with expertise & infrastructure in the fields of Informatics & Telecommunications, Nanotechnology, Energy and Environment.

The Italian partner is the **Associazioni Unite dei Sordi della Regione Umbria** whose purpose is to promote different activities for the Deaf and hard of hearing people, for those who struggle for the recognition of the most natural and important right to humans.

The Cypriot team is the **Emphasys Centre** with vision to offer high quality LLL opportunities and digital solutions targeted to the needs of learners of all ages and abilities in order to upgrade their lives,

The Spanish team is **Fundacion GFM Renovables** which is a non-profit organization with over 20 years of experience in the field of training regarding sustainability, renewable energies, environment, and entrepreneurship topics.

The second Greek organization is the **Special High School and Lyceum S.E. for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing of Thessaloniki**. The school applies bilingual teaching model, the lessons are held simultaneously in Greek Language and in Greek Sign Language for both students with deafness diagnoses and hard of hearing students.

The Romanian partner is the **Asociatia Nationala a Profesorilor pentru Elevi cu Deficiente de Auz Virgil Florea** which is an organization dedicated to advocating for the educational interests of hearing impaired individuals across all age groups, and supporting the professionals and experts who work with them.



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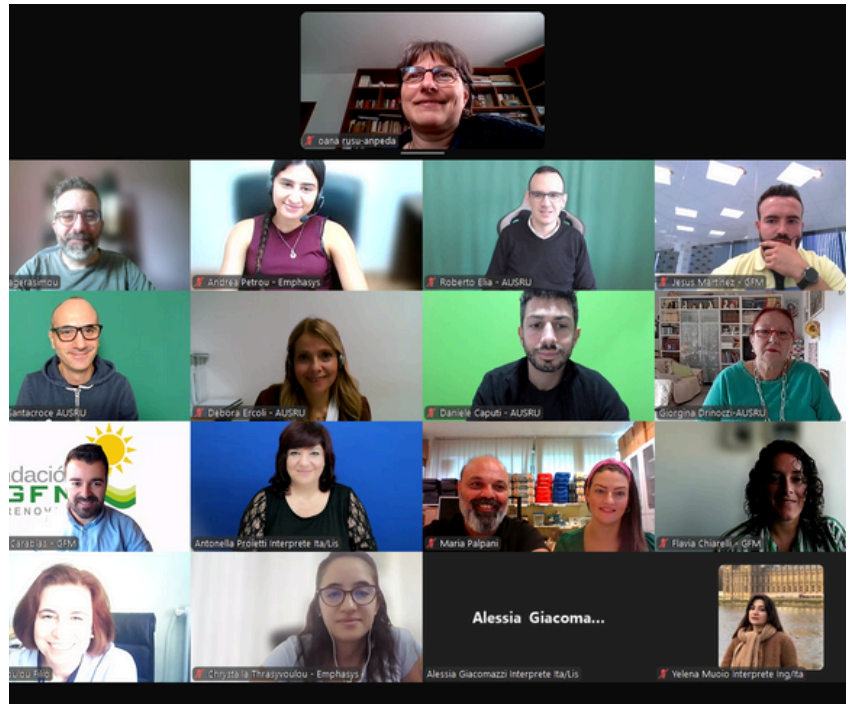


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1ST PROJECT MEETING

The first project meeting took place online on Thursday, 19th of September 2024, to reduce emissions and align with the project's sustainability goals.

During the meeting, partners discussed the project's objectives and planned future steps to ensure its successful implementation.



WP1: PROJECT MANAGEMENT



WP2: THE EU GREEN SIGN LANGUAGE COMPETENCE FRAMEWORK FOR GREEN JOBS



WP5: THE GreenSIGNS DISSEMINATION AND SUSTAINABILITY PACK FOR INCLUSIVE AND ACCESSIBLE ENVIRONMENTAL AND CLIMATE-CHANGE GREEN AWARENESS AND EMPLOYABILITY

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Upcoming Tasks

The project consists of a total of 5 Work Packages (WP), each aimed at achieving a different objective.

The team has begun working on the project management (WP1), the EU Green Sign Language framework for green jobs (WP2), and the dissemination of the project (WP5).



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