

# TACKLING DROP OUTS THROUGH SYSTEMATIC STUDENTS SCREENING

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**TESTED'S CORE MISSION IS TO IDENTIFY AND ADDRESS THE ROOT CAUSES OF EARLY DEPARTURE THROUGH SYSTEMATIC SCREENING. BY CATCHING POTENTIAL DROPOUT TRIGGERS EARLY, WE'RE PAVING THE WAY FOR PERSONALIZED INTERVENTIONS AND TARGETED SUPPORT MECHANISMS.**

## Goals :



- The "TeSTED" initiative stands at the forefront of **reimagining Vocational Education and Training (VET)** in order to make it more relevant to current and future needs.
- Through the tools developed by the project TeSTED will **help educators with early detection of potential dropouts** and provide them with a service intervention mechanism which will **help students with support and consultation** thus preventing early dropout rates.
- At the heart of "TeSTED" lies a **commitment to excellence**, driven by a **consortium of seasoned VET professionals**. Together, we're not just bridging geographical distances; we're **weaving a tapestry of shared knowledge, best practices, and groundbreaking activities**.
- Our mission is clear: **to equip VET staff and trainers with the tools to prevent early dropouts rates in VET.**

## Members :



- USLIP, Romania
- AKMI International, Greece
- IP Center, Austria
- EVBB, Belgium
- DAYANA, Bulgaria

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## What has already been done :



→ **The first meeting** of partners within the Erasmus TeSTED project took place in Iasi, **between 8-9 December 2022**, attended by representatives of organizations from Greece, Bulgaria, Germany and Austria.

Invited to this activity were:

- **Prof. Luciana Antoci, General School Inspector of I.Ș.J Iași,**
- **Prof. Gabriela Conea, Educational Project Inspector, I.Ș.J. IASI**
- **Representatives of trade union organizations from the counties of Maramureș and German**
- **mass media representatives - TVR Iasi and BZI Iasi**

The topics analyzed focused on the **good implementation of the project** and the organization of activities for the development of educational products.



## → TESTED Project Validation Workshop :

**Goals :** Validation of the outcome of activity A3.1, an outline of the **TeSTED curriculum**, focused on dropout issues.

**Key Highlights** from the Workshop:

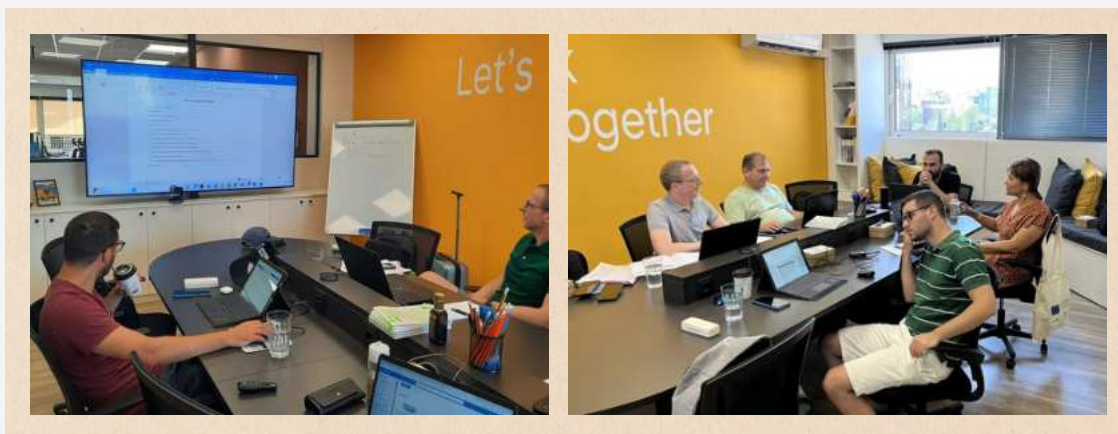
- **Curriculum Outline:** We explored the key components, modules, and learning outcomes in depth.
- **Evaluation:** Assess the content's relevance and effectiveness.
- **Validation:** We've successfully incorporated changes and improvements suggested during the workshop, ensuring alignment with our project's goals.



## → Project team meeting in Greece :

Between **July 20-21**, the project team members met at AKMI International headquarters.

- During the two days, the partners from Germany, Greece, Bulgaria, Austria and Romania **discussed the implementation of the activities and the progress of the project!**



## → Project team meeting in Greece :

In March 27-28th the TeSTED consortium met in person in Vienna, Austria to discuss the development of the psychometric tool, training modules and the future of the dropout mechanism.

TeSTED will equip educators from Romania, Bulgaria, Germany, Austria and Greece with the necessary tools to detect and prevent dropouts in VET schools.

