



Education and Culture DG

'Youth in Action' Programme

QUALITATIVE IMPACT OF THE YOUTH IN ACTION PROGRAMME REPORT OF THE 2010 SURVEY



PARTICIPANTS QUESTIONNAIRE SURVEY

Questionnaires sent 2 797
Total number of responses 1 083

Through my participation in this project I learned better...

... to say what I think with conviction in discussions		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	371	(34.3%)
To some extent	527	(48.7%)
Not so much	134	(12.4%)
Not at all	18	(1.7%)

... to communicate with other people who speak another language		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	816	(75.3%)
To some extent	194	(17.9%)
Not so much	35	(3.2%)
Not at all	19	(1.8%)

... how to cooperate in a team		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	626	(57.8%)
To some extent	346	(31.9%)
Not so much	72	(6.6%)
Not at all	17	(1.6%)

... to produce media content on my own (printed, audiovisual, electronic)		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	239	(22.1%)
To some extent	416	(38.4%)
Not so much	254	(23.5%)
Not at all	137	(12.7%)

... to develop a good idea and put it into practice		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	455	(42%)
To some extent	451	(41.6%)
Not so much	120	(11.1%)
Not at all	31	(2.9%)

... to negotiate joint solutions when there are different viewpoints		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	455	(42%)
To some extent	451	(41.6%)
Not so much	114	(10.5%)
Not at all	30	(2.8%)

... to achieve something in the interest of the community or society		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	487	(45%)
To some extent	410	(37.9%)
Not so much	122	(11.3%)
Not at all	26	(2.4%)

... to think logically and draw conclusions		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	399	(36.8%)
To some extent	412	(38%)
Not so much	185	(17.1%)
Not at all	43	(4%)

... to use the new media (PC, internet) e.g. for finding information or communication		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	287	(26.5%)
To some extent	300	(27.7%)
Not so much	289	(26.7%)
Not at all	163	(15.1%)

... to identify opportunities for my personal or professional future		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	410	(37.9%)
To some extent	393	(36.3%)
Not so much	176	(16.3%)
Not at all	65	(6%)

... how I can learn better or have more fun when learning		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	402	(37.1%)
To some extent	373	(34.4%)
Not so much	191	(17.6%)
Not at all	79	(7.3%)

... to understand difficult texts and expressions		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	234	(21.6%)
To some extent	401	(37%)
Not so much	276	(25.5%)
Not at all	119	(11%)

... to critically analyse media (printed, audiovisual, electronic)		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	172	(15.9%)
To some extent	326	(30.1%)
Not so much	345	(31.9%)
Not at all	185	(17.1%)

... to discuss political topics seriously		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	241	(22.3%)
To some extent	305	(28.2%)
Not so much	292	(27%)
Not at all	193	(17.8%)

... to see the value of different kinds of arts and culture		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	583	(53.8%)
To some extent	293	(27.1%)
Not so much	122	(11.3%)
Not at all	38	(3.5%)

... to make myself understood in another language		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	754	(69.6%)
To some extent	217	(20%)
Not so much	54	(5%)
Not at all	24	(2.2%)

... to use PCs, internet and mobile phones responsibly		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	266	(24.6%)
To some extent	264	(24.4%)
Not so much	300	(27.7%)
Not at all	194	(17.9%)

... to plan my expenses and spend my money in line with my budget		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	400	(36.9%)
To some extent	312	(28.8%)
Not so much	199	(18.4%)
Not at all	115	(10.6%)

... to plan and carry out my learning independently		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	315	(29.1%)
To some extent	342	(31.6%)
Not so much	235	(21.7%)
Not at all	134	(12.4%)

... to express myself creatively or artistically		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	454	(41.9%)
To some extent	356	(32.9%)
Not so much	154	(14.2%)
Not at all	71	(6.6%)

... to get along with people who have a different cultural background		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	811	(74.9%)
To some extent	198	(18.3%)
Not so much	30	(2.8%)
Not at all	13	(1.2%)

After having taken part in this project...

I now participate in social and political life ...		
	Number of responses	% out of total
To a greater extent	428	(39.5%)
To the same extent	589	(54.4%)
To a smaller extent	26	(2.4%)

I am now interested in European topics ...		
	Number of responses	% out of total
To a greater extent	660	(60.9%)
To the same extent	371	(34.3%)
To a smaller extent	13	(1.2%)

I am now committed to work against discrimination, intolerance, xenophobia or racism ...		
	Number of responses	% out of total
To a greater extent	498	(46%)
To the same extent	523	(48.3%)
To a smaller extent	18	(1.7%)

Disadvantaged people now have my support ...		
	Number of responses	% out of total
To a greater extent	432	(39.9%)
To the same extent	590	(54.5%)
To a smaller extent	18	(1.7%)

Moreover...

I now feel more confident to move around on my own in other countries (e.g. travel, study, work placement [internship], job etc.).		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	668	(61.7%)
To some extent	271	(25%)
Not so much	61	(5.6%)
Not at all	26	(2.4%)

I have become aware of common European values (e.g. human rights, democracy, peace, tolerance, gender equality etc.).		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	544	(50.2%)
To some extent	380	(35.1%)
Not so much	76	(7%)
Not at all	25	(2.3%)

I got to know people from other countries with whom I am still in touch.		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	755	(69.7%)
To some extent	186	(17.2%)
Not so much	54	(5%)
Not at all	38	(3.5%)

The project has raised my awareness of the fact that some people in our society are disadvantaged.		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	468	(43.2%)
To some extent	354	(32.7%)
Not so much	151	(13.9%)
Not at all	46	(4.2%)

I have established contacts with people in other countries which are useful for my professional development.		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	396	(36.6%)
To some extent	308	(28.4%)
Not so much	210	(19.4%)
Not at all	105	(9.7%)

The project has made me more receptive for Europe's multi-culturality.		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	658	(60.8%)
To some extent	279	(25.8%)
Not so much	58	(5.4%)
Not at all	26	(2.4%)

I am now better prepared to participate actively in social or political issues		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	418	(38.6%)
To some extent	411	(38%)
Not so much	156	(14.4%)
Not at all	34	(3.1%)

In the future, I will be more committed to the inclusion of disadvantaged people.		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	428	(39.5%)
To some extent	406	(37.5%)
Not so much	124	(11.4%)
Not at all	40	(3.7%)

I now feel more as a European than before.		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	437	(40.4%)
To some extent	341	(31.5%)
Not so much	148	(13.7%)
Not at all	90	(8.3%)

I now really intend to go abroad to study, work, do a work placement (an internship) or live there.		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	579	(53.5%)
To some extent	261	(24.1%)
Not so much	101	(9.3%)
Not at all	70	(6.5%)

I have established contacts with people in other countries which are useful for my involvement in social or political issues.		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	366	(33.8%)
To some extent	346	(31.9%)
Not so much	196	(18.1%)
Not at all	89	(8.2%)

I now really intend to develop my foreign language skills		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	729	(67.3%)
To some extent	220	(20.3%)
Not so much	62	(5.7%)
Not at all	13	(1.2%)

The participation in the project has contributed to my personal development		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	809	(74.7%)
To some extent	167	(15.4%)
Not so much	30	(2.8%)
Not at all	15	(1.4%)

I have learned better how to plan and organise a project		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	513	(47.4%)
To some extent	349	(32.2%)
Not so much	119	(11%)
Not at all	34	(3.1%)

Through my participation in the project, my image of the European Union...

	Number of responses	% out of total
has become better	672	(62%)
has not changed	355	(32.8%)
has become worse	22	(2%)

Furthermore, thanks to the project experience...

... I have a clearer idea about my further educational path		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Agree	621	(57.3%)
Disagree	383	(35.4%)

... I have a clearer idea about my professional career aspirations and goals		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Agree	665	(61.4%)
Disagree	339	(31.3%)

... I am planning to engage in further education opportunities (formal, non-formal, vocational)		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Agree	874	(80.7%)
Disagree	140	(12.9%)

... I believe that my job chances have increased		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Agree	663	(61.2%)
Disagree	335	(30.9%)

Have you been participating in any international/European initiatives since the end of the project, or you plan to do so in the future?

	Number of responses	% out of total
Yes	858	(79.2%)
No	175	(16.2%)

Now that the project is over

I can say that I was able to contribute with my views and ideas to the development and implementation of this project		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	538	(49.7%)
To some extent	398	(36.7%)
Not so much	78	(7.2%)
Not at all	24	(2.2%)

I would recommend the participation in a similar project to other young people		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	951	(87.8%)
To some extent	73	(6.7%)
Not so much	15	(1.4%)
Not at all	15	(1.4%)

I plan to participate in a similar project in the next years		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	713	(65.8%)
To some extent	201	(18.6%)
Not so much	90	(8.3%)
Not at all	35	(3.2%)

Overall, the participation in the project was a personally enriching experience for me		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	911	(84.1%)
To some extent	107	(9.9%)
Not so much	19	(1.8%)
Not at all	6	(0.6%)

Did you vote in the 2009 European elections for the European Parliament?

	Number of responses	% out of total
Yes	402	(37.1%)
No, I was not eligible to vote	374	(34.5%)
No, I was eligible, but I did not	266	(24.6%)

YOUTH WORKERS QUESTIONNAIRE SURVEY

Questionnaires sent 499
Total number of responses 213

Which of your following competences developed most by participating in the project?

Communication in the first language [mother tongue]		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	14	(6.6%)
To some extent	28	(13.1%)
Not so much	48	(22.5%)
Not at all	84	(39.4%)
No opinion or can't judge	21	(9.9%)

Communication in a foreign language		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	134	(62.9%)
To some extent	62	(29.1%)
Not so much	10	(4.7%)
Not at all	4	(1.9%)
No opinion or can't judge	2	(0.9%)

Mathematical competence		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	6	(2.8%)
To some extent	22	(10.3%)
Not so much	37	(17.4%)
Not at all	107	(50.2%)
No opinion or can't judge	27	(12.7%)

Basic competences in science and technology		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	9	(4.2%)
To some extent	43	(20.2%)
Not so much	48	(22.5%)
Not at all	81	(38%)
No opinion or can't judge	18	(8.5%)

Digital competence		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	13	(6.1%)
To some extent	41	(19.2%)
Not so much	54	(25.4%)
Not at all	78	(36.6%)
No opinion or can't judge	15	(7%)

Learning to learn		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	80	(37.6%)
To some extent	74	(34.7%)
Not so much	26	(12.2%)
Not at all	11	(5.2%)
No opinion or can't judge	9	(4.2%)

Interpersonal and social competences		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	152	(71.4%)
To some extent	52	(24.4%)
Not so much	5	(2.3%)
Not at all	0	(0%)
No opinion or can't judge	1	(0.5%)

Intercultural competences		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	158	(74.2%)
To some extent	48	(22.5%)
Not so much	5	(2.3%)
Not at all	0	(0%)
No opinion or can't judge	1	(0.5%)

Civic competence		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	83	(39%)
To some extent	85	(39.9%)
Not so much	22	(10.3%)
Not at all	3	(1.4%)
No opinion or can't judge	13	(6.1%)

Cultural awareness and expression (music, literature, arts, etc. For intercultural competence see the category further above)		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	75	(35.2%)
To some extent	76	(35.7%)
Not so much	37	(17.4%)
Not at all	12	(5.6%)
No opinion or can't judge	4	(1.9%)

Sense of initiative		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	102	(47.9%)
To some extent	80	(37.6%)
Not so much	17	(8%)
Not at all	4	(1.9%)
No opinion or can't judge	4	(1.9%)

Sense of entrepreneurship		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	50	(23.5%)
To some extent	66	(31%)
Not so much	45	(21.1%)
Not at all	26	(12.2%)
No opinion or can't judge	9	(4.2%)

Practical skills (e.g. planning and organising, project management, arts, etc.)		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	100	(46.9%)
To some extent	77	(36.2%)
Not so much	18	(8.5%)
Not at all	10	(4.7%)
No opinion or can't judge	3	(1.4%)

Emotional skills (e.g. having more self confidence and self esteem)		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	94	(44.1%)
To some extent	84	(39.4%)
Not so much	20	(9.4%)
Not at all	6	(2.8%)
No opinion or can't judge	4	(1.9%)

Please indicate the effects that your participation in this project has on your work/involvement in the youth field.

I have learned better how to foster non-formal learning in youth work		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	100	(46.9%)
To some extent	91	(42.7%)
Not so much	12	(5.6%)
Not at all	2	(0.9%)

I gained skills and knowledge which I would not be able to gain through the participation to similar projects organised at national level		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	114	(53.5%)
To some extent	70	(32.9%)
Not so much	16	(7.5%)
Not at all	9	(4.2%)

I have learned better how to develop, plan and implement an international youth project		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	101	(47.4%)
To some extent	74	(34.7%)
Not so much	24	(11.3%)
Not at all	8	(3.8%)

I have established contact with youth workers/leaders in other countries whom I intend to develop a project		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	128	(60.1%)
To some extent	55	(25.8%)
Not so much	18	(8.5%)
Not at all	5	(2.3%)

I have learned something which is useful for my work with young people		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	139	(65.3%)
To some extent	59	(27.7%)
Not so much	10	(4.7%)
Not at all	2	(0.9%)

I got involved in partnerships or networks providing opportunities for future cooperation in the youth field.		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	113	(53.1%)
To some extent	69	(32.4%)
Not so much	17	(8%)
Not at all	6	(2.8%)

If adequate, I now will give more attention to including an international dimension in my work with young people

	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	122	(57.3%)
To some extent	71	(33.3%)
Not so much	8	(3.8%)
Not at all	3	(1.4%)

I am now better able to acquire financial support for activities involving young people.

	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	48	(22.5%)
To some extent	82	(38.5%)
Not so much	55	(25.8%)
Not at all	18	(8.5%)

I am now better equipped to assure the quality of a youth project I am organising

	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	89	(41.8%)
To some extent	82	(38.5%)
Not so much	25	(11.7%)
Not at all	5	(2.3%)

I got to know methods which I intend to use in my work/involvement with young people

	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	111	(52.1%)
To some extent	70	(32.9%)
Not so much	21	(9.9%)
Not at all	3	(1.4%)

I now understand better how youth policies are developed

	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	62	(29.1%)
To some extent	76	(35.7%)
Not so much	50	(23.5%)
Not at all	14	(6.6%)

I now know more about the content of youth policies

	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	68	(31.9%)
To some extent	70	(32.9%)
Not so much	48	(22.5%)
Not at all	16	(7.5%)

The project might have also affected you as an individual, beyond the professional dimension. If this was the case, which of the following effects did the participation in the project have on your personal development?

I now participate in social and political life		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	76	(35.7%)
To some extent	87	(40.8%)
Not so much	25	(11.7%)
Not at all	11	(5.2%)

I am now interested in European topics		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	99	(46.5%)
To some extent	80	(37.6%)
Not so much	17	(8%)
Not at all	6	(2.8%)

I am now committed to work against discrimination, intolerance, xenophobia or racism		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	102	(47.9%)
To some extent	71	(33.3%)
Not so much	24	(11.3%)
Not at all	5	(2.3%)

Disadvantaged people now have my support		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	97	(45.5%)
To some extent	64	(30%)
Not so much	31	(14.6%)
Not at all	6	(2.8%)

I have become aware of common European values (e.g. human rights, democracy, peace, tolerance, gender equality etc.)		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	118	(55.4%)
To some extent	63	(29.6%)
Not so much	15	(7%)
Not at all	3	(1.4%)

The project has made me more receptive for Europe's multi-culturality		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	140	(65.7%)
To some extent	42	(19.7%)
Not so much	16	(7.5%)
Not at all	2	(0.9%)

I have become more aware of how important foreign language skills are for my personal and professional development		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	150	(70.4%)
To some extent	36	(16.9%)
Not so much	9	(4.2%)
Not at all	2	(0.9%)

In the future, I will be more committed to the inclusion of disadvantaged people		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	107	(50.2%)
To some extent	62	(29.1%)
Not so much	22	(10.3%)
Not at all	4	(1.9%)

I now feel more as a European than before		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	87	(40.8%)
To some extent	64	(30%)
Not so much	37	(17.4%)
Not at all	6	(2.8%)

I have established contacts with people in other countries which are useful for my involvement in social or political issues		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	129	(60.6%)
To some extent	56	(26.3%)
Not so much	16	(7.5%)
Not at all	2	(0.9%)

Through my participation in the project, my image of the European Union ...

	Number of responses	% out of total
...has become better	115	(54%)
...has not changed	88	(41.3%)
...has become worse	4	(1.9%)

Furthermore, thanks to the project experience...

...I have a clearer idea about my professional career aspirations and goals		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Agree	154	(72.3%)
Disagree	47	(22.1%)

...I am planning to engage in further education opportunities (formal, non-formal, vocational)		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Agree	188	(88.3%)
Disagree	16	(7.5%)

...I see new kinds of job and career possibilities		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Agree	141	(66.2%)
Disagree	60	(28.2%)

... I believe that my job chances have increased		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Agree	119	(55.9%)
Disagree	75	(35.2%)

I have been participating in international/European initiatives since the end of the project, or plan to do so in the future

	Number of responses	% out of total
Yes	201	(94.4%)
No	9	(4.2%)

Finally, I can say that the project met my needs...

in terms of professional development (work/involvement in the youth field)		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	115	(54%)
To some extent	73	(34.3%)
Not so much	20	(9.4%)
Not at all	2	(0.9%)

in terms of personal development		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	141	(66.2%)
To some extent	63	(29.6%)
Not so much	4	(1.9%)
Not at all	1	(0.5%)

Now that the project is over:

In the overall, I can say that the participation in the project was a personally enriching experience for me		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	166	(77.9%)
To some extent	39	(18.3%)
Not so much	3	(1.4%)
Not at all	0	(0%)

I would recommend participation in a similar project to other youth workers		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	193	(90.6%)
To some extent	13	(6.1%)
Not so much	3	(1.4%)
Not at all	1	(0.5%)

YOUTH ORGANISATIONS QUESTIONNAIRE SURVEY

Questionnaires sent 1 254
Total number of responses 657

Please state the extent to which you were directly involved in the project activities:

	Number of responses	% out of total
Throughout/Most of the time	558	(84.9%)
For more than half of the project	59	(9%)
For less than half of the project	25	(3.8%)
Hardly/Not at all	15	(2.3%)

Please indicate your role/function in this project:

	Number of responses	% out of total
Primarily educational [socio-pedagogic]	27	(4.1%)
Primarily organisational	225	(34.2%)
In equal shares educational and organisational	405	(61.6%)

Which of the following effects of participation in the project did you notice or hear about during and after the project?

Participants increasingly began to ask questions about the topic "Europe"		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	18	(2.7%)
Not very true	88	(13.4%)
Somewhat true	268	(40.8%)
Very True	228	(34.7%)
No opinion or can't judge	42	(6.4%)

Participants now feel more "European"		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	9	(1.4%)
Not very true	47	(7.2%)
Somewhat true	268	(40.8%)
Very True	264	(40.2%)
No opinion or can't judge	53	(8.1%)

Participants became more receptive for Europe's multi-culturality		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	4	(0.6%)
Not very true	19	(2.9%)
Somewhat true	152	(23.1%)
Very True	449	(68.3%)
No opinion or can't judge	19	(2.9%)

Participants are better prepared to study, work, or live in another country		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	12	(1.8%)
Not very true	64	(9.7%)
Somewhat true	216	(32.9%)
Very True	285	(43.4%)
No opinion or can't judge	62	(9.4%)

Participants intended to get more involved in social and political life		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	11	(1.7%)
Not very true	74	(11.3%)
Somewhat true	284	(43.2%)
Very True	220	(33.5%)
No opinion or can't judge	54	(8.2%)

Participants became more self confident and gained personal orientation		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	2	(0.3%)
Not very true	12	(1.8%)
Somewhat true	158	(24%)
Very True	440	(67%)
No opinion or can't judge	35	(5.3%)

Participants got a clearer idea about their further educational path		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	14	(2.1%)
Not very true	83	(12.6%)
Somewhat true	279	(42.5%)
Very True	169	(25.7%)
No opinion or can't judge	99	(15.1%)

Participants got a clearer idea about their professional career aspirations and goals		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	9	(1.4%)
Not very true	90	(13.7%)
Somewhat true	259	(39.4%)
Very True	174	(26.5%)
No opinion or can't judge	105	(16%)

Participants' job chances increased		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	31	(4.7%)
Not very true	114	(17.4%)
Somewhat true	225	(34.2%)
Very True	138	(21%)
No opinion or can't judge	128	(19.5%)

Participants are readier to pursue further education or training (formal, non formal, vocational)		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	6	(0.9%)
Not very true	30	(4.6%)
Somewhat true	226	(34.4%)
Very True	306	(46.6%)
No opinion or can't judge	70	(10.7%)

Which of the participants' competences were most likely developed through their participation in the project?

...communication in the first language [mother tongue]		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	86	(13.1%)
Not very true	144	(21.9%)
Somewhat true	159	(24.2%)
Very true	168	(25.6%)
No opinion or can't judge	65	(9.9%)

...communication in a foreign language		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	22	(3.3%)
Not very true	46	(7%)
Somewhat true	124	(18.9%)
Very true	427	(65%)
No opinion or can't judge	16	(2.4%)

...mathematical competence		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	201	(30.6%)
Not very true	184	(28%)
Somewhat true	114	(17.4%)
Very true	30	(4.6%)
No opinion or can't judge	83	(12.6%)

...basic competences in science and technology		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	156	(23.7%)
Not very true	181	(27.5%)
Somewhat true	139	(21.2%)
Very true	63	(9.6%)
No opinion or can't judge	70	(10.7%)

...digital competence		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	96	(14.6%)
Not very true	104	(15.8%)
Somewhat true	228	(34.7%)
Very true	147	(22.4%)
No opinion or can't judge	47	(7.2%)

...learning to learn		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	6	(0.9%)
Not very true	38	(5.8%)
Somewhat true	236	(35.9%)
Very true	322	(49%)
No opinion or can't judge	27	(4.1%)

...interpersonal and social competences		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	2	(0.3%)
Not very true	6	(0.9%)
Somewhat true	102	(15.5%)
Very true	522	(79.5%)
No opinion or can't judge	8	(1.2%)

...intercultural competences		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	3	(0.5%)
Not very true	12	(1.8%)
Somewhat true	112	(17%)
Very true	485	(73.8%)
No opinion or can't judge	14	(2.1%)

...civic competence		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	5	(0.8%)
Not very true	33	(5%)
Somewhat true	214	(32.6%)
Very true	318	(48.4%)
No opinion or can't judge	35	(5.3%)

...cultural awareness and expression (music, literature, arts, etc. for intercultural competence see the category further above)		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	11	(1.7%)
Not very true	52	(7.9%)
Somewhat true	169	(25.7%)
Very true	329	(50.1%)
No opinion or can't judge	26	(4%)

...sense of initiative		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	2	(0.3%)
Not very true	23	(3.5%)
Somewhat true	206	(31.4%)
Very true	385	(58.6%)
No opinion or can't judge	19	(2.9%)

...sense of entrepreneurship		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	40	(6.1%)
Not very true	98	(14.9%)
Somewhat true	219	(33.3%)
Very true	201	(30.6%)
No opinion or can't judge	65	(9.9%)

...practical skills (e.g. planning and organising, project management, arts, etc.)		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	8	(1.2%)
Not very true	35	(5.3%)
Somewhat true	219	(33.3%)
Very true	353	(53.7%)
No opinion or can't judge	20	(3%)

...emotional skills (e.g. having more self confidence and self esteem)		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	3	(0.5%)
Not very true	13	(2%)
Somewhat true	156	(23.7%)
Very true	448	(68.2%)
No opinion or can't judge	22	(3.3%)

Which effects did the project have on your organisation/group/body?

More contacts with other countries		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	37	(5.6%)
Not very true	47	(7.2%)
Somewhat true	136	(20.7%)
Very true	356	(54.2%)
No opinion or can't judge	25	(3.8%)

More international projects		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	44	(6.7%)
Not very true	80	(12.2%)
Somewhat true	198	(30.1%)
Very true	292	(44.4%)
No opinion or can't judge	21	(3.2%)

Increased promotion of participation of young people in the organisation/group/body		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	13	(2%)
Not very true	30	(4.6%)
Somewhat true	178	(27.1%)
Very true	396	(60.3%)
No opinion or can't judge	17	(2.6%)

Increased involvement in partnerships or networks providing opportunities for future cooperation in the youth field		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	10	(1.5%)
Not very true	42	(6.4%)
Somewhat true	235	(35.8%)
Very true	333	(50.7%)
No opinion or can't judge	16	(2.4%)

Increased appreciation of cultural diversity		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	6	(0.9%)
Not very true	28	(4.3%)
Somewhat true	177	(26.9%)
Very true	419	(63.8%)
No opinion or can't judge	6	(0.9%)

Increased commitment to the inclusion of young people with fewer opportunities		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	33	(5%)
Not very true	85	(12.9%)
Somewhat true	177	(26.9%)
Very true	290	(44.1%)
No opinion or can't judge	39	(5.9%)

More intensive involvement in European issues		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	15	(2.3%)
Not very true	60	(9.1%)
Somewhat true	277	(42.2%)
Very true	252	(38.4%)
No opinion or can't judge	27	(4.1%)

Increased project management competence of the organisation/group/body		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	5	(0.8%)
Not very true	27	(4.1%)
Somewhat true	174	(26.5%)
Very true	410	(62.4%)
No opinion or can't judge	20	(3%)

Increased opportunities for development and growth as an organisation/group/body, compared to other similar projects carried out at national level		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	12	(1.8%)
Not very true	49	(7.5%)
Somewhat true	197	(30%)
Very true	329	(50.1%)
No opinion or can't judge	45	(6.8%)

The network of the project organisers with local structures was strengthened		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	13	(2%)
Not very true	66	(10%)
Somewhat true	221	(33.6%)
Very true	308	(46.9%)
No opinion or can't judge	25	(3.8%)

Which effects did the project have on the community, in which it was carried out?

The local environment/community was actively involved in the project		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	19	(2.9%)
Not very true	61	(9.3%)
Somewhat true	264	(40.2%)
Very true	278	(42.3%)
No opinion or can't judge	20	(3%)

The project was perceived as enrichment by the local environment/community		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	8	(1.2%)
Not very true	32	(4.9%)
Somewhat true	195	(29.7%)
Very true	380	(57.8%)
No opinion or can't judge	28	(4.3%)

The local environment/community became more aware of the concerns and interests of young people		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	19	(2.9%)
Not very true	75	(11.4%)
Somewhat true	263	(40%)
Very true	227	(34.6%)
No opinion or can't judge	53	(8.1%)

The intercultural dimension was appreciated by the local environment/community		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	13	(2%)
Not very true	34	(5.2%)
Somewhat true	205	(31.2%)
Very true	338	(51.4%)
No opinion or can't judge	44	(6.7%)

The local environment/community became more committed to the inclusion of young people with fewer opportunities		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	43	(6.5%)
Not very true	139	(21.2%)
Somewhat true	193	(29.4%)
Very true	130	(19.8%)
No opinion or can't judge	121	(18.4%)

The European dimension was received with interest by the local environment/community		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	21	(3.2%)
Not very true	55	(8.4%)
Somewhat true	241	(36.7%)
Very true	270	(41.1%)
No opinion or can't judge	46	(7%)

The local environment/community showed interest in similar projects in the future		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	14	(2.1%)
Not very true	42	(6.4%)
Somewhat true	180	(27.4%)
Very true	353	(53.7%)
No opinion or can't judge	50	(7.6%)

The local environment/community expressed readiness to support similar projects in the future		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	23	(3.5%)
Not very true	68	(10.4%)
Somewhat true	198	(30.1%)
Very true	270	(41.1%)
No opinion or can't judge	80	(12.2%)

In some cases the project might have also affected you as an individual, beyond the impact on the organisation/group/body you represent. If this is the case, which of the following effects did participation in the project have on your personal development?

I am more interested in European topics		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	9	(1.4%)
Not very true	35	(5.3%)
Somewhat true	210	(32%)
Very true	350	(53.3%)
No opinion or can't judge	23	(3.5%)

I now feel more "European"		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	22	(3.3%)
Not very true	66	(10%)
Somewhat true	204	(31.1%)
Very true	295	(44.9%)
No opinion or can't judge	31	(4.7%)

I have become more receptive for Europe's multi culturality		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	10	(1.5%)
Not very true	28	(4.3%)
Somewhat true	148	(22.5%)
Very true	410	(62.4%)
No opinion or can't judge	21	(3.2%)

I am more prepared to work, study or live in another country		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	30	(4.6%)
Not very true	67	(10.2%)
Somewhat true	186	(28.3%)
Very true	264	(40.2%)
No opinion or can't judge	56	(8.5%)

I am more strongly involved in social and/or political life		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	17	(2.6%)
Not very true	64	(9.7%)
Somewhat true	225	(34.2%)
Very true	270	(41.1%)
No opinion or can't judge	34	(5.2%)

I became more self-confident and gained personal orientation		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	21	(3.2%)
Not very true	57	(8.7%)
Somewhat true	143	(21.8%)
Very true	339	(51.6%)
No opinion or can't judge	48	(7.3%)

I have a clearer idea about my professional career aspirations and goals		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	32	(4.9%)
Not very true	67	(10.2%)
Somewhat true	166	(25.3%)
Very true	288	(43.8%)
No opinion or can't judge	53	(8.1%)

I believe that my job chances increased		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	42	(6.4%)
Not very true	88	(13.4%)
Somewhat true	176	(26.8%)
Very true	226	(34.4%)
No opinion or can't judge	67	(10.2%)

I am now planning to engage in further education and training (formal, non-formal, vocational).		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	20	(3%)
Not very true	62	(9.4%)
Somewhat true	154	(23.4%)
Very true	326	(49.6%)
No opinion or can't judge	38	(5.8%)

I have learned better how to plan and organise a project		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	16	(2.4%)
Not very true	16	(2.4%)
Somewhat true	114	(17.4%)
Very true	462	(70.3%)
No opinion or can't judge	19	(2.9%)

I have learned methods which could be used in my work/involvement with young people		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	9	(1.4%)
Not very true	20	(3%)
Somewhat true	142	(21.6%)
Very true	437	(66.5%)
No opinion or can't judge	19	(2.9%)

I have increased my understanding of how youth policies are developed		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Not at all true	20	(3%)
Not very true	68	(10.4%)
Somewhat true	200	(30.4%)
Very true	288	(43.8%)
No opinion or can't judge	40	(6.1%)

In the overall, the participation in the project was an enriching experience for ...

...the participants involved		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	621	(94.5%)
To some extent	28	(4.3%)
Not so much	4	(0.6%)
Not at all	0	(0%)

...my organisation		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	559	(85.1%)
To some extent	87	(13.2%)
Not so much	5	(0.8%)
Not at all	1	(0.2%)

...me personally		
	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	562	(85.5%)
To some extent	73	(11.1%)
Not so much	13	(2%)
Not at all	2	(0.3%)

My organisation/group/body plans to participate in a similar project in the next years

	Number of responses	% out of total
Definitely	555	(84.5%)
To some extent	76	(11.6%)
Not so much	17	(2.6%)
Not at all	3	(0.5%)

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