



## GREETINGS!

Our project is in the process of finalising its piloting phase to ensure that our products actually do fulfil the standards we set ourselves and where there might be room for improvement. So for this second Newsletter, we thought we'd share with you the different activities that happened in the partner countries to this effect and the generally positive feedback we received.



## BULGARIA

In Bulgaria the piloting of the Eco Track app with 30 participants is finalised. The young people gave some suggestions for improvement of the layout, interactivity and texts of the app, but the overall feedback is very positive. The young people find the app "needed", "simple to use", "inspiring", "necessary". They like the practical tips, how to reduce their own ecological footprint and the footprint calculator. They believe that the app helps to understand climate change better and they would like the content of the app to be regularly updated with additional information.



## FRANCE

Pistes-Solidaires has organised the testing of mobile application with three groups of young people who participated in the international youth exchange programmes during the summer. These were groups of French youth, as well as international youth which allowed for testing and feedback from a diverse group. The young people found the app instructive and appreciated the interactive parts of the Factbook, as well as the Ecological Footprint calculator. Many of them commented that they would change something in their daily habits as a result.





## SPAIN

In Spain, the app was tested with 30 young people as well to test it's ability to give an engaging and interesting insight into the matter of climate change and we generally found responses to be favourable. The showcasing of the app to 16 youth workers and has been lauded as "dynamic" and "sensible" and praised for its graphics, which allow for handily showing and juxtaposing data. The guidelines to youth workers has been scheduled for the 26th of September and will be done with members of Asociación Arrabal-AID and Asociación Dyar.

## GREECE

Active Citizens Partnership during the summer piloted the mobile application with young people who live in different parts in Greece in rural and urban settings. All of them found the app very interesting and enjoyed the ecological footprint calculator. They mentioned the fact that the app can be used on the go without much direction from a trainer or a facilitator and can be easily shared with friends or family members. Most of the comments done have to do with the personal engagement of young people and the environmental.



## BELGIUM

EUROGEO held a dissemination and multiplier event on climate change for educators at the University of Ghent, Belgium in August 28th. This event was an introduction to climate change for teachers and explained the work of the My Eco Track project. It was attended by 17 teachers from different countries, The Climate Factbook was explored and the Web application demonstrated.

## AUSTRIA

Die Berater conducted the app piloting with 38 participants who evaluated it in German, and 7 participants who did it in English. The results and the response to the My Eco Track app were overall positive and several participants even suggested expanding the language options within it. As concerns the piloting of the Guidelines for Curricula Implementation and Training, conducted with 15 youth workers in Austria, the results were also overwhelmingly positive, with many of them expressing how the My Eco Track products can be used in a variety of ways both inside and outside the classroom.

