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Project Closure — But Not the End

Although IL4SH is formally concluding, the consortium is committed to ensuring long-term sustainability and exploitation of the project results. The Virtual Toolkit, DIY manuals and ready-to-use workshops are now available — or in the process of final translation — in all partner languages (EN, DE, ES, EL, HR).

This means that teachers, schools and organisations across Europe can continue to:

- integrate intergenerational learning into classroom practice
- implement citizen science projects with families
- promote sustainable household behaviours

The partnership firmly believes that the IL4SH materials will continue to support educators and communities for years to come.



Wrapping Up and Looking Ahead

As the IL4SH journey comes to a close, we are proud to share the final developments and achievements of the project. Over the past months, partners, schools, teachers, students and families have worked hand in hand to bring intergenerational learning and citizen science for sustainable households to life.

Experiential Labs

BRING SUSTAINABILITY HOME

A major highlight of this period was the successful implementation of Experiential Labs across the two partner schools and two associated schools. Building on the foundations laid in earlier work packages and teacher trainings, educators guided students and their families through hands-on sustainability activities directly connected to everyday household practices



Across the participating schools, learners explored topics such as:

- sustainable laundry practices
- composting at home
- circular economy thinking
- energy use in daily life

What made these labs particularly powerful was the intergenerational dimension.



Students worked closely with parents and family members, exchanging experiences and jointly reflecting on how small behavioural changes can contribute to more sustainable households. Teachers reported high levels of engagement and meaningful dialogue between generations, confirming the strong relevance of the IL4SH approach.

Environmental Task Contest: Creativity Meets Sustainability

Another exciting highlight was the IL4SH Environmental Task Contest, which invited students to transform their experiential learning into creative video messages. Participating teams from different countries showcased how intergenerational learning can lead to real behavioural change.

The submitted videos demonstrated strong awareness of sustainability challenges and creative storytelling approaches.

The contest generated enthusiasm and healthy competition while reinforcing key transversal skills such as communication, teamwork and critical thinking.

Congratulations once again to all participating teams for their inspiring contributions!

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Science Café in Göttingen

LEARNING ACROSS GENERATIONS

In November, the final partner meeting in Göttingen was combined with a lively Science Café hosted by IGS Bovenden, bringing together international partners, teachers, students, parents, and community members in a dynamic and collaborative learning environment.

The Science Café clearly demonstrated the IL4SH philosophy in action: learning that is collaborative, practical and community-based. The presence of international partners further enriched discussions and highlighted the European dimension of the project.



A heartfelt Thankyou

The IL4SH journey would not have been possible without the strong commitment of all partners, schools, teachers, students, parents and associated stakeholders. The consortium would like to express sincere appreciation for the collaborative spirit, professionalism and enthusiasm that characterised the project throughout its duration.

Together, we have shown that intergenerational learning and citizen science can be powerful drivers of sustainable change.

We look forward to seeing the IL4SH approach continue to grow and inspire new initiatives across Europe.

Stay connected and keep learning across generations!

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