

## KNOW YOUR FOREIGN PEER

### *Education and Career Passions*

The project is to engage our students to use English as a tool to find common ground with a foreign peer in order to know each other better as far as education and career passions are concerned and try to create a technical project on an agreed topic.

The aim of this project is to make our students aware of educational and cultural diversity that exists between teenagers of the same age but from different countries. Students, by asking questions and giving replies, establish to what extent growing up and learning in a foreign country influence their education choices, future career preferences, their passions and interests, and the ways of perceiving the reality.

A group of students from one country (age: 16-18, number of students in each partner group: 30-40) prepare together a questionnaire consisting of 20 questions in a written and/or video form. The questions should cover the main areas of a teenage life (education, interests, career) in a particular country and give students a clue about the differences and similarities. After receiving questions, students give answers to them in a written and/or video form, and finally, on the basis of the replies, they prepare a short analysis concerning the similarities and differences between peers from Poland and France.

### **Results**

Finding answers to questions:

*Is my foreign peer more similar or different in their education and career choices? What vocational passions or interests do we have in common/share? How are those passions developed and supported by school and teachers in a particular country? Are we able to create a common project involving our technical knowledge?*

The analysis will be made in a written and/or video form and that will be published on partner schools' websites. Long-term cooperation between the schools from France and Poland provides for creating a technical project based on common vocational interests of students from both countries.