Thematic workshop: from initial ideas to VET Mobility projects

Theme 3: E+ ABC – Getting to know the E+ VET Glossary (Quizz)

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An eligible VET organisation must have Erasmus+ VET Mobility Charter to apply for funding

YES ☑️  NO ❌
NO

Organisation may apply for a VET learners and staff mobility projects in two ways:

- Any eligible organisation may apply for funding for Mobility projects for VET learners and staff without the Erasmus+ VET Mobility Charter

- Organisation with a proven track record holding a valid Erasmus+ VET Mobility Charter may use a fast-track procedure
A VET mobility project has to be based on an organisation global strategy

YES

NO
Before applying, a VET provider or a national mobility consortium coordinator must develop a European Development Plan; this plan is part of the application form.

This section indicates how the planned mobility activities are inscribed in a wider and long-term strategy of development and modernisation of the VET providers involved in the project (Erasmus+ programme guide p279)
Can a VET provider submit several projects across several educational sectors?

YES  ✅  NO  ❌
YES

A VET provider (or its subsidiary/branch) or national mobility consortium can apply only once per selection round (ex: KA102).

However, a VET provider may be part of or coordinate several different national mobility consortia applying at the same time.
The status of the applicant organisation determines the Erasmus+ educational sector in which it is part.
No a same structure can apply for different educational sectors. It is the target group for mobility and the type of activity that determines the sector.
A receiving organisation and an intermediary organisation are the same thing

YES ✓  ❌  NO
A receiving organisation: in charge of receiving foreign VET learners/staff and offering them a programme of activities, or benefiting from a training activity provided by VET staff /
An intermediary organisation: this is an organisation active in the labour market or in the fields of education, training and youth which is not a sending organisation, but whose expertise allows it to assist the sending VET providers with administrative procedures, practical arrangements, matching apprentice/learner profiles with the needs of companies in case of traineeships, and preparing the participants.
Learners and staff VET mobility is possible in non EU countries

YES  NO
In addition to the EU member states, VET mobility is also possible to and from North Macedonia, Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Turkey and Serbia (Serbia: new Erasmus+ programme country since call for proposals 2019.)
Can a VET provider located in Italy apply for a grant to finance the hosting of a trainer working in a Finnish company as part of a teaching assignment?

YES  ☑  NO
Quizz on VET Mobility projects (7/19)

YES

Possibility to finance incoming mobility for company trainers within KA102
Through VET mobility activities, teachers from a VET institution can follow languages courses abroad

YES ✔️ ❌ NO
No, the eligible activities for staff mobility within VET mobility action (KA102) are:

- **Teaching/training assignments**: this activity allows staff of VET providers to teach at a partner VET provider abroad. It also allows staff of companies to provide training at a VET provider abroad.
- **Staff training**: this activity supports the professional development of VET staff in the form of a work placement or a job shadowing/observation period abroad in a company or any other VET provider.

However it should be noted that the eligibility rules for participants may differ from one country to another (refer to the regulatory framework specifying the national procedures for programme access). For instance in France VET staff mobility is eligible to follow a language course abroad within the activity "structured courses, training events and job shadowing" within "mobility project for school education staff" action (i.e KA101)
Quizz on VET Mobility projects (9/19)

Are VET learners going on mobility for 18 days or longer eligible to receive a linguistic support?

YES  ✓  NO
NO

VET learners going on mobility for **19 days or longer** are eligible to receive a linguistic support.
Quizz on VET Mobility projects (10/19)

All european languages are available on the OLS platform

YES  NO
All languages are available for the language assessment, but only some of them are available for courses. However even if the language is not available for courses, Erasmus+ programme provides fundings (250€ per participant) to follow a language course in a public or private institute.
As part of my project, I send learners and teachers to different places (Lithuania, Belgium and Sweden). Will the financing of subsistence costs (individual support) be the same for each mobility?

YES ✓  NO ❌
Funding varies according to the length of stay, the type of mobility (learner or staff) and the country of destination. The countries of destination are classified into three groups, the flat rate varies according to the cost of living.
The travel expenses for my project mobilities are estimated at 12 000 euros (plane tickets, buses etc.). Will my Erasmus+ grant reimburse me for this amount?

YES ☑️ NO ✗
No, travel expenses are not reimbursed at the actual cost but at the fixed rate. The amount is calculated using the European Commission's distance calculator, which establishes a scale based on the distance between the sending city and the host city.
A learner who is preparing a higher education diploma in an apprenticeship scheme is eligible for an Erasmus+ VET mobility activity.
Quizz on VET Mobility projects (13/19)

No he/she is only eligible for the Erasmus+ higher education mobility.
The duration of a staff mobility activity is between 2 days and 2 months. Can the 2 days be non consecutive?

YES ✅ NO ❌
Quizz on VET Mobility projects (14/19)

NO

The minimum 2 days must be consecutive (Erasmus+ Programme Guide p54)
Is it possible to do an APV (Advanced Planning Visit) within the framework of a mobility lasting less than 3 months?

YES  ✔️  NO  ❌
No APV are only reserved for mobility projects lasting more than 3 months. "In the framework of ErasmusPro activities, short "Advance Planning Visits" (APV) of staff from sending to hosting organisations (VET providers and/or companies) may be funded in order to facilitate interinstitutional cooperation, better prepare the mobilities and ensure their high quality” (Erasmus+ Programme Guide p51)
Quizz on VET Mobility projects (16/19)

Within the framework of an APV, the applicant can send several participants

YES  ❑  NO
Quizz on VET Mobility projects (16/19)

Within the framework of an APV, the following eligibility criteria must be respected:
- duration: maximum 3 working days, excluding travel time;
- each APV is limited to one participant;
- only one APV may be carried out per hosting organisation.
Quizz on VET Mobility projects (17/19)

Recent graduates from an IVET diploma (level 4 EQF) are eligible for VET mobility

YES  ✔  NO
Recent graduates from a VET provider (including former apprentices) may also participate in the activity. Recent graduates must undertake their training placement abroad within 12 months after their graduation. For those countries where recent graduates must enrol in obligatory military or civil service after graduation, the period of eligibility for recent graduates will be extended by the duration of that service. *(Erasmus+ Programme Guide 2019 p54)*
Recent graduates from an IVET diploma (level 4 EQF) can also participate to long-term mobility (ErasmusPro)
Quizz on VET Mobility projects (18/19)

YES

These activities are open to VET learners (including apprentices) in vocational training organisations (VET providers). To strengthen the employability of VET learners and to facilitate their transition to the labour market, recent graduates (less than 12 months after graduation), can also participate in these activities. 

(Erasmus + Programme Guide 2019 p51)
One of the trainees suffers from a major motor disability that requires the support of medical staff throughout her mobility. The estimated cost of employing this person is €3,000 (travel, activities and salary). Can this amount be covered by Erasmus+ funding?

YES ✅  NO ❌
The Erasmus+ programme pays particular attention to people with special needs. The amount will be covered at real cost if the request is made and justified at the time of application ("Special Needs" section).
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