

1. Institution

Geschwister-Scholl-Schule (Secondary School) and University of Hildesheim, Institute for economics

2. Name and duration of the sub-project:

01.07.05 – 31.12.07

Curriculum: vocational orientation and - preparation close to enterprises

3. Target-group

a) general information:

- size of the group: 8. and 9. grades with approx. 24 pupils each
- range of ages: from 14-17
- average age: 15

b) background: disadvantaged young people at secondary schools

- pupils from migration backgrounds
- pupils, who have to repeat school years
- pupils from socially disadvantaged families with little or no support from parents
- pupils with language-problems in German

4. Objectives

- raise chances for vocational education by intense individual vocational orientation
- development of curricular modules for the subject “economy” to prepare placements
- creation of an internet-platform for vocational orientation and preparation of placements
- sensitization of university-students for vocational preparation at secondary schools
- preparation of university-students for their role as teachers by group work in classes

5. Project description / activities

- preparation of placements: find out competences, develop teaching units, acquisition of placements, first vocational preparation measures in class
- “tandem-placements”: university-students coach pupils during their placements
- evaluation of the 3-week placement
- internet-portal: portraits of companies and pupils (for use of employers), placement diaries, material, information (on further education and other possibilities)

6. Contact

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