



INVITATION

Wednesday, 30 November 2022, from 14:00 to 16:00 (CET)

Russian aggression against Ukraine: educational dilemmas

Online high-level conference on the integration of Ukrainian pupils and students into national education systems in the EU

It is our pleasure to invite you to the online conference “**Russian aggression against Ukraine: educational dilemmas**”. This conference is organised jointly by the Czech Presidency of the Council of the EU and the General Secretariat of the Council. It will take place fully **online** on **30 November from 14:00 to 16:00 (CET)**.

Following Russia’s military aggression against Ukraine, one of the Czech Presidency’s main priorities has been to **protect Ukrainian children** and ensure their access to education. With this in mind and against the background of the **European Year of Youth 2022**, addressing key issues and dilemmas relevant to several decisive steps in the process – from the reception stage of Ukrainian pupils and students right through to longer-term measures – will be crucial in tackling this challenge.

The objective of this conference is to **exchange views about the lessons learned** from the first months of integration of Ukrainian refugees into the national education systems, as well as **to focus on concrete initiatives undertaken by Member States** in this context.

By bringing together several high-level speakers as well as policymakers, local authorities, educators and other relevant stakeholders, this conference will provide a forum for exploring different perspectives and sharing experiences **on the integration of Ukrainian pupils and students into national education systems in the EU**. Most importantly, the event will put the spotlight on testimonials from people with direct experience of including displaced children from Ukraine in host-country education systems.

Please note that **the conference will take place in English**.

You can **view the programme [here](#) and register [here](#) by 11:00 am (CET) on 28 November 2022**.

Looking forward to welcoming you to our event.

Your sincerely,

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