

# Greek Language Program and Mediation Services for Minor Third-Country Nationals (TCNs)

# **Information for Schools**

The Program "Greek Language Program and Mediation Services for Minor Third- Country Nationals" (TCNs) («Mαθαίνω ελληνικά! ») is addressed to students attending a primary education class during the school year 2020 - 2021 and 2021 - 2022.

The program is being implemented by the Research Centre CARDET, in cooperation with the Frederick University and the Advisory Company INNOVADE, in collaboration with Cyprus Ministry of education, culture, sport and Youth.

It is funded by the Migration and Asylum Fund for the Integration of the Republic of Cyprus.

The program is specifically designed to meet the needs and expectations of TCN students. Through the program students are expected to acquire basic language skills by attending second language classes.

#### These skills are:

- Listening and speaking.
- Reading and writing.

\* The specific skills will be taught in alignment with the school curriculum and syllabus and following the Common European Framework of Reference for Language Levels.

#### **Program Implementation**

- The courses will be offered on four (4) levels of language instruction (A1/A2 και B1/B2. The courses will be implemented in all government-controlled areas of the Republic of Cyprus at **specific schools**.
- The total duration of each round of courses is 60 hours.
- There will be four Round of Courses
- The courses will be offered at the same schools that students are attending.
- Participants will be offered a snack at the beginning of each lesson, upon completion of the school day, 2 or 3 times a week for 1.5 hours each time.
- Each child is entitled to attend the final exam, after attending to more than 60% of the course.
- Children who will successfully complete the course will be rewarded.

#### The benefits for the children-participants in the program:

Language skills are essential for the smooth integration of TCN children in the school environment and in Cypriot society in general, as the development of language skills facilitates the daily activities of students and improves their integration skills into society. In addition, the risk of social exclusion is minimized. The students will get acquainted with the everyday life and culture of the Cypriot society.

# **APPLICATION**

### **CONTACT INFORMATION OF THE STUDENT**

Name:		Age:
Nationality:	Mother tongue:	Gender: 🗌 Girl 🗌 Boy

### **CONTACT INFORMATION PARENT / GUARDIAN**

Name:	Phone number:
Address:	

### I have been informed that:

- Participants will be offered a snack at the beginning of each lesson.
- Each child is entitled to attend the final exam, after attending to more than 60% of the course.
- Children who will successfully complete the course will be rewarded.
- The Final Beneficiary and its partners are not responsible for any incident / accident happened before, during and after the course, other than the teaching of the language.
- I agree with the participation of my child in the above program, based on the above information.

SIGNATURE OF PARENT / GUARDIAN.....

DATE.....

### **Consent Form**

Dear Parents,

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Your child's school participates in "Matheno ellinika" project and students are expected to engage in several teaching activities. For dissemination to the general public of the aforementioned activities some photos/videos will be uploaded on the websites and social media pages. With this consent form, you give authorization to the teachers of your school unit and the CARDET researchers to make and upload online some photos that may show your child and only relate to the project activities for dissemination purposes the general public.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ the undersigned, the legal parent/guardian of

\_\_\_\_\_\_consent that I accept my child participating in the activities of the project "Matheno ellinika" and authorize CARDET to use photographs showing the above-mentioned minor, at present or in future without restriction, only for purposes of the project through the use of the internet, social media and other similar means, to respect and protect the personal status of children. The above rights shall be granted without a fee and CARDET is released from any financial burden and risk of misappropriation of personal data and photographs by third parties.

SIGNATURE OF PARENT / GUARDIAN.....



Phone number: 22080982



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