



Project Summary

The FAST KA210-SCH Project (2025-2026) aims to develop and implement an innovative teaching approach to introduce the Holocaust within the context of visual Holocaust narratives in English Language Teaching to support Global Citizenship Education. The selected visual literature, picturebooks and graphic novels, centre on Jewish lived experiences during the Holocaust and will be used as a teaching resource for learners in upper-primary and lower secondary ELT education (age 10-14) to inspire young global agents of change using English as a lingua franca.

The FAST Project will select four picturebooks and four graphic novels and develop eight lesson plans with ELT and cross-curricular activities and a project handbook. The project will conduct teacher training, pilot materials in-school, finalize and disseminate the educational resources. These activities will help schools implement a purposeful set of resources to fight antisemitism, discrimination and hatred and, at the same time, foster tolerance.

The selected picturebooks and graphic novels will be relevant, historically accurate, and engaging for English language learners aged 10-14 with a message of hope accompanied by culturally sensitive lesson plans and activities. The expected results include improved teaching skills due to targeted training; enhanced engagement, understanding and developed English language skills of both teachers and learners; wide dissemination of the resources within educational communities.

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