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The European Observatory on Infringements of Intellectual Property Rights: IP in Education

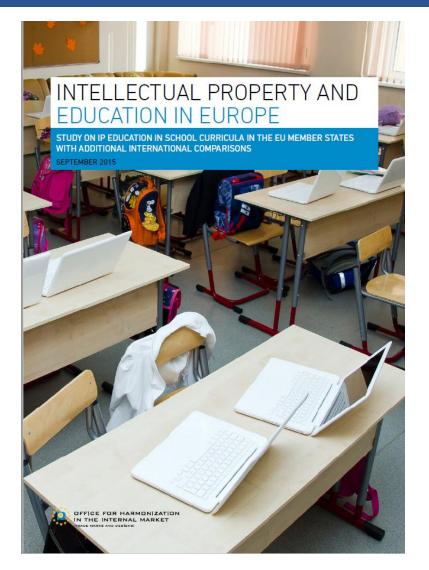


YOUNG EUROPEANS AND IP

- **Contribution of IP intensive industries.** 42% of the EU GDP and 28% of all EU jobs. Wage premium of 46 %.
- **Recognition by Europeans.** 97% believe that creators and inventors need to be rewarded.
- Yet it is challenged by young people more than others when it comes to personal behaviour: 27% young Europeans surveyed accessed pirated digital content and 15% bought fakes (vs 10 and 7% for EU citizens).
- This threatens industries creating the jobs of the future.
- Youth scoreboard: lack of information and effective communication about IP as key factors.



STUDY ON IP AND EDUCATION



Need to act: Education must be part of the equation



KEY COMPETENCES ON IP

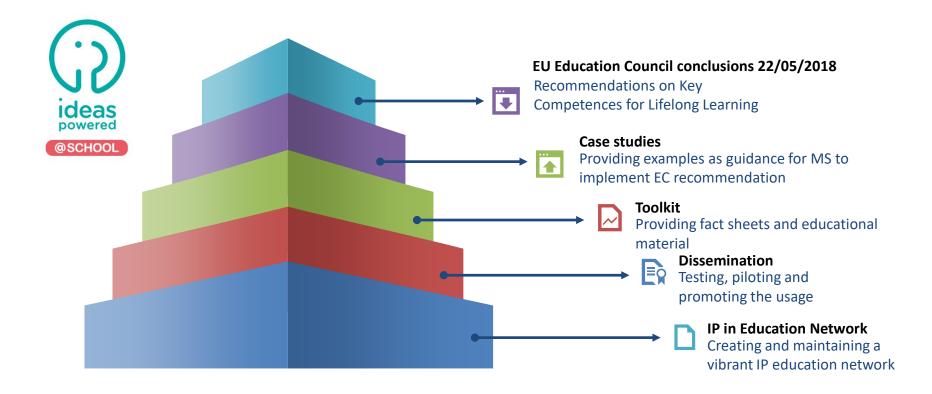
Key Competences for Lifelong learning related to IP, as recommended by the Educational Council of the EU on 22 May 2018:

- **Digital**: '...to acquire information in intellectual property related questions...'
- **Citizenship**: '...act as responsible citizens...'
- Entrepreneurship: '...know how to transform ideas into values for others...'
- Cultural Awareness and Expression: ...develop an ethical and responsible approach to intellectual ownership...'



IP IN EDUCATION

A project about teaching young Europeans how to protect the results of their investments in creativity, innovation and entrepreneurship.





IDEAS POWERED

 Online community on Facebook, Twitter and

Instagram: over 50,000 followers

Website <u>www.ideaspowered.eu</u>





with dedicated pages for education and resources

IP awareness in schools- promotional video (also in Czech)

• Events with influencers and multipliers at EU (e.g LEAP Summit) and national level



PERSPECTIVES

- Legislation and criminal sanctions not enough
- IP awareness of young generations is crucial
- IP is only a means: Creativity and innovation as key to a better future

Need long-term commitment to IP in education: implement Council conclusions



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