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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION
(Education, Youth, Culture and Sport)

Europa building, Brussels

27 and 28 November 2025 (10:00, 09:00)

Format: 2+2 (+2 in listening room)

MEETING ON THURSDAY 27 NOVEMBER 2025 (10:00)

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

Non-legislative activities

YOUTH

Strengthening resilience among young people through Erasmus+ 2028-2034¹

Exchange of views



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¹ In the presence of a representative of the Danish Youth Council (DUF).

EDUCATION

Legislative deliberations

(Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

Regulation on Erasmus+
Progress report



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Non-legislative activities

Resolution on the second cycle of the strategic framework for
European cooperation in education and training towards the European
Education Area (2026-2030)
Approval



The role of vocational education and training in competitiveness and
resilience
Exchange of views



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Any other business

Youth

- a) Outcomes of the discussion at the informal EU Youth Dialogue
breakfast meeting²
Information from the Presidency
- b) Work programme of the incoming Presidency
Information from Cyprus



Education

- c) Work programme of the incoming Presidency
Information from Cyprus

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p.m.:

Ministerial lunch on “Mobility in initial and higher vocational education and training (VET)”

² In the presence of a representative of the Danish Youth Council (DUF) and a representative of the European Youth Forum.

MEETING ON FRIDAY 28 NOVEMBER 2025 (9:00)

CULTURE, AUDIOVISUAL AND MEDIA

Non-legislative activities

Conclusions on the strategic role of culture, cultural heritage and audiovisual works in upholding European values and democratic resilience
Approval

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Conclusions on access to reliable news as part of the European Democracy Shield
Approval



Legislative deliberations

(Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

AgoraEU Programme
Progress report

SPORT

Non-legislative activities

Resolution reviewing the EU Member States' representation and coordination for WADA
Approval

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Democracy and transparency in sport
Exchange of views

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Any other business

Culture, Audiovisual and Media

a) Informal Meeting of Culture and Media Ministers
(Copenhagen, 3-4 November 2025)
Information from the Presidency








b) European Capital of Culture 2026: Trenčín
Information from Slovakia

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c) Safety of Journalists as a Prerequisite for Media Freedom
Information from Slovenia

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| d) | Results of Mondiacult meeting in Spain
(Barcelona, 29 September – 1 October 2025)
<i>Information from Spain</i> |  | 15181/25 |
| e) | Protection of cultural heritage in Gaza
<i>Information from Spain</i> |  | 15182/25 |
| f) | The European Democracy Shield
<i>Information from the Commission</i> |  | |
| g) | A Culture Compass for Europe
<i>Presentation from the Commission</i> |  | |
| h) | Work programme of the incoming Presidency
<i>Information from Cyprus</i> |  | |

Sport




- i) Work programme of the incoming Presidency
Information from Cyprus

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Ministerial lunch on “Shaping the future of culture in the age of artificial intelligence”

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|  | Public debate proposed by the Presidency (Article 8(2) of the Council's Rules of Procedure) |
|  | First reading |
|  | Item based on a Commission proposal |

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