



Internationalization  
by Innovative  
Technology

# Welcome to the Essential Skills course

Essential Skills for academic and professional  
excellence in a global context

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The Erasmus+ logo is centered on a white page of a spiral-bound notebook. It features the word "Erasmus+" in a bold, white, sans-serif font, set against a blue, pixelated, cityscape-like background. The notebook is placed on a light-colored wooden desk. In the background, there is a white plate with some fruit, a white pen, and a white tray with several white pills.

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# Who is taking part in the In2It project?

14 institutions for higher education:  
7 institutions from Israel and  
7 from across Europe



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# The project objective:

To develop and deliver a multidisciplinary international curriculum in the form of four online courses which will be available to all students.

*Internationalization in HEIs contributes to the development of students' skills and employability in the 21st century.*



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# The In2It courses

The four courses that will be offered are:

- Essential Skills
- Global Entrepreneurship
- Embracing Diversity
- English for Internationalisation Purposes



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# We are presenting the Essential Skills course!



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# soft skills vs. hard skills

The term '*soft skills*' (or *essential skills*) is often used to describe the skills that characterise relationships with other people, or are about how you approach life and work.

'*Hard skills*', by contrast, is a term usually used to describe professional skills like accountancy or medical expertise etc.



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# So why do we need Soft (Essential) Skills?

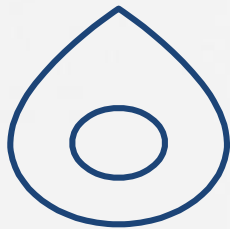
Many employers report that entry-level employees in a variety of professions were lacking in **soft skills** that are **essential** for businesses to move forward.

*That's why we refer to them as **Essential Skills!***



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**Soft  
skills**

**Hard  
skills**



**Employment  
experts agree that  
tech skills may get  
you an interview  
but soft skills will  
get you the job and  
help you keep it!**



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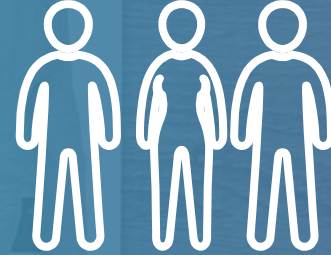
# What is the course like?



**Students will be  
working in a  
virtual project  
team**



**There are  
individual sessions**



**& collaborative  
sessions... work  
together online**



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# The course modules



**Team  
Work**



**Leadership**



**Creative  
Thinking**



**Problem  
Solving**

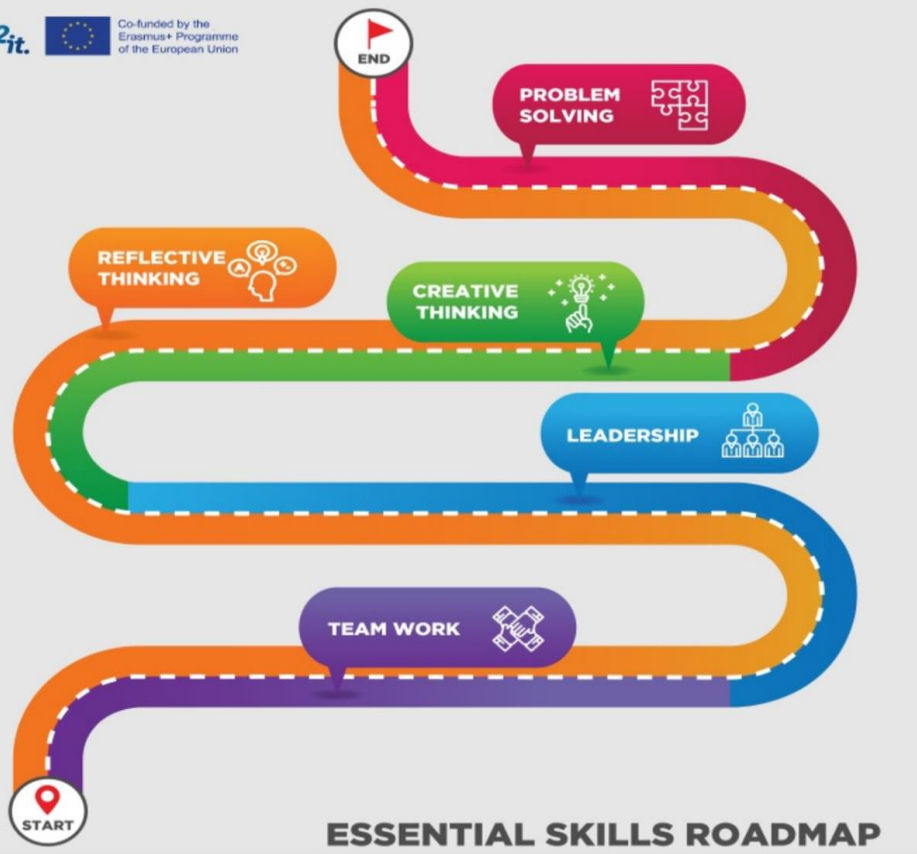


**Reflective Thinking**



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# Road Map

# The Course Sections

## Course Information

Essential Skills for academic and professional excellence in a global context

## Face 2 Face Meeting



## Reflective Thinking



## Coaching Skills (optional)



## Team Work



## Personal Leadership



## Creative Thinking



## Problem Solving



## Summary Through Reflective T...



## Personal e-Portfolio



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