

## PRESS RELEASE

**GIS4Schools 1st Local Multiplier Event: Climate Change awareness for new generations through innovative tools**

**October 14<sup>th</sup>**

**11 am to 13.30 pm**



The Erasmus+ funded project GIS4Schools aims at promoting a new innovative approach to foster the teaching of STEAM subjects in secondary schools. This objective will be achieved by allowing pupils to learn about GIS technology and how to use GIS to respond to climate change challenges.

In the project's frame, a series of Local Multiplier Events will be organized to disseminate the project's outcomes to a wide audience. The Multiplier Events also represent the occasion to discuss the local challenges identified by the schools with external experts of GIS, EO, climate resilience and city management, to provide audience and project's partners with additional expertise useful for the implementation of the future activities. In addition to this, the exchange with experts can lead to the implementation of partnerships with schools to support a long-term sustainability of the activities launched during the project' lifecycle.

The first Local Multiplier Event of the series will be organised by the Romanian secondary school based in Bucharest "Ion Neculce" and the project partner Urban2020 Association. Due to current sanitary crisis, the event will take place online on **October 14<sup>th</sup> from 10 am to 12:30 pm**. The event will be in Romanian and English.

The webinar, **Climate Change awareness for new generations through innovative tools**, aims at introducing the GIS4Schools project to the local community and present them the first-year project's achievements. It will also be an occasion to present the activities that will be conducted with Ion Neculce's students that will address the local issue of air pollution, analysing the phenomenon using GIS technology. Local associations active in the field, educational representatives and experts will be present at the event to support the development of the GIS4Schools project and to increase its impact at local level.

Additional information on the event is available here: <https://bit.ly/3j3EdHh>