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The Nordplus Junior Programme is about classes visiting their counterparts, and by that removing the borders of the classroom walls. Developments of new projects and job-switching for teachers between schools are also examples of the activities in the programme.

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The programme may support:

Mobility

- Mobility of classes/pupils in primary and secondary education
- Mobility of individual pupils in secondary education
- Individual pupil mobility includes workplace based education and training for both vocational education pupils and pupils in secondary education (theoretical).
- Mobility of teachers and other pedagogical staff in pre-school, primary and secondary education.
- Teacher mobility includes teacher exchange (?job-switching?) between schools, teacher round-trip, which enables the teacher to take part in the education/to teach in several schools in different countries.
- Mobility in the form of preparatory visits, work experience visits, etc.

The programme may also support:

Projects

- Schools may establish project partnerships linked to a specific theme corresponding to the aims of the Nordplus Junior programme.
- The projects are meant to broaden the perspective on the subjects chosen. Here are some examples of subject fields for project partnerships:
 - Quality assurance
- Dissemination of project results
- Development and improving of teaching methods
- Curriculum development

Networks

- The overall purpose is to give schools an opportunity to become part of a network to establish long-term educational collaborations.
- Participants may work on a joint theme corresponding to the aims of the Nordplus Junior programme.
- Activities eligible for network support include:
 - Administrative meetings to establish and develop the network
- Information activities and the dissemination of results

The specific aims of Nordplus Junior are:

- Strengthening and developing co-operation and creating networks of pre-schools, primary, secondary and upper secondary schools (general and vocational) in the participating countries
- Promoting the development of quality, creativity and innovation in education
- Learning for all; to promote equal opportunities in inclusive education
- Strengthening the Nordic languages and promoting knowledge and understanding about Nordic cultures, languages and ways of life in schools, and in daily life
- Promoting knowledge and understanding of Nordic and Baltic languages and cultures
- Promoting co-operation between schools (including pre-schools) and working life

