



## What is the European Profiling Grid?

It's a **tool for mapping and assessing language teacher competencies internationally**. It contains sets of descriptors organised over six phases of professional experience as a language teacher (novice to very experienced) and summarises the main competencies of language teachers and the background in training and experience that would be expected at each phase.

## What does it cover?

- Language and culture
- Qualifications and experience
- Core language teaching competencies
- Professional conduct

## What could it be used for?

The main purpose is to **assess language teachers working in an institution**, and to enable them to assess themselves. This is useful when planning how to deploy teachers and when designing in-service training and professional development.



## The EPG partners



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# EUROPEAN PROFILING GRID

## The EPG project



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## Designed for language teachers as well as their managers and trainers, the European Profiling Grid aims to:

- help better identify training needs
- provide a reliable means of assessing and self-assessing language teaching competences
- facilitate recruitment thanks to a transparent evaluation system
- foster mobility by enhancing professional skills



### [DE]

Das EPG-Projekt ist eine europäische Initiative, die sich die Verbesserung der Qualität und Effektivität von Sprachkursen zum Ziel gesetzt hat. Zu diesem Zweck hat sie ein innovatives Instrument entwickelt:

**das europäische Profiltraster für Sprachlehrende.**

### [EN]

The aim of the EPG project is to help improve the quality and effectiveness of language training thanks to an innovative instrument:

**the European Profiling Grid.**

### [ES]

El proyecto EPG es una iniciativa europea que tiene como objetivo mejorar la calidad y eficacia de los programas de formación gracias a un instrumento innovador:

**la parrilla de competencias EPG.**

### [FR]

Le projet EPG est une initiative européenne qui a pour objectif d'accroître la qualité et l'efficacité de l'enseignement des langues grâce à un outil innovant:

**la grille de compétences EPG.**

## Are you a language teacher, a teacher trainer or a manager of a school or a language centre?

The EPG Grid might be just what you've been looking for!

### Teachers

Do you want to assess yourself in different areas in order to improve your teaching skills?

### Teacher trainers

Do you plan in-service training and need to assess how your trainees are progressing?

### Managers

Do you need to supervise teachers' performance and maintain quality in your institution? Are you also responsible for supporting collective and individual professional development?

Get involved!

