

Using EduLand: a quick guide for teachers

What is EduLand?

EduLand is an Erasmus+ project that promotes European history, language diversity and European values through multilingual educational resources centred on the life of Milan Rastislav Štefánik. The website offers a comic book, videos, exercises and additional learning materials in English, French and Slovak. You can use the language version which is best suited to your learners and teaching context, or work from the bilingual English–Slovak and French–Slovak versions.

Who are the resources for?

EduLand is primarily designed for **secondary-school students at around B1–B2 level** (Modules 2 and 3). Module 1 is intended for beginners who are interested in Slovak, French or English as a foreign language.

The resources can be used in:

- language lessons;
- history and European studies;
- interdisciplinary activities combining language and subject content;
- individual, small-group or whole-class work.

Different resources have different levels of difficulty, allowing you to select what is relevant for your learners.

Two ways to use EduLand

EduLand can be approached either through a **topic** or a **teaching methodology**. The two approaches are complementary, and teachers are encouraged to combine resources from across the website.

1. Start from a topic

The three thematic modules cover:

- **Crash Course English** – English language learning;
- **About History** – Štefánik and his historical context;
- **About the European Union** – European integration, cooperation and related topics.

You can follow a unit or simply select the resources you need. For example, you can use a section of *About History* in a History lesson and combine it with an exercise from *Crash Course English*.



2. Start from a methodology

The **Guided Reading** and **CLIL** paths provide ready-to-use ways of working with EduLand resources. Each unit comes with a **Lesson Plan** outlining the learning objectives, activities and practical steps.

You can use a Lesson Plan as it is, adapt it to your class, or combine it with resources from the three thematic modules. **There is no single way to use EduLand:** mix and match the resources, approaches and activities to build the sequence that works for your class.

Adapt, create and contribute

You can also help develop EduLand further. If you have an idea that works well with your students, you can:

- **Create and share a Lesson Plan** using the Guided Reading or CLIL approaches.
- **Develop a Lesson Plan based on another teaching methodology** to show how EduLand resources could be used with it.
- **Create additional materials or exercises** based on the needs of your students.

For additional or differentiated exercises, you can use **TestU** (<https://www.testu.eu/>), a free and easy-to-use website developed by E@I and its partners as part of another Erasmus+ project. It allows you to create exercises in different formats and languages—for example, to give your students more practice on a particular topic or to create an easier or more challenging version of an existing EduLand activity.

EduLand is a resource to build on, not a fixed course to follow. Use what works for your students, adapt it to your context, and do not hesitate to share what you develop with the project team at the following address: erasmus@inalco.fr.