

ANNEX II – TABLE OF EQUIVALENCES OF TEACHING LEVELS/YEAR GROUPS

Year	European School		National schools																		
			United Kingdom				Belgium	Denmark	Germany	Greece	Luxembourg	Netherlands	Austria								
			England, Wales Northern Ireland	Scotland																	
1 ^I	1st	Primary	year 2	Primary	2	Primary	1ère	Primaire	1.	Folkeskole	1.	Grund- schule	1st	Primary	2.1	Primaire <i>Enseignement fondamental</i>	Groep 3	Basisonderwijs	1.	Volks- schule	Grundschole
2	2nd		year 3		3		2ème		2.		2nd		2.2		Groep 4		2.				
3	3rd		year 4		4		3ème		3.		3rd		3.1		Groep 5		3.				
4	4th		year 5		5		4ème		4.		4th		3.2		Groep 6		4.				
5	5th		year 6		6		5ème		5.		5th		4.1		Groep 7		1.				
6	1st	Secondary	year 7	Secondary	7	Secondary	6ème	Secondaire	6.	Gymnasie- skole / hf	6.	Sekundarstufe I	6th	Lower Sec	4.2	Secondaire	Groep 8	School voor V.W.O.	2.	(Real) Gymnasium Unterstufe/ Mittelschule	Sekundar- stufe I
7	2nd		year 8		1		1ère		7.		1st		VII		1ste		3.				
8	3rd		year 9		2		2ème		8.		2nd		VI		2de		4.				
9	4th		year 10		3		3ème		9.		3rd		V		3de						
10	5th		year 11		4		4ème		10.		1st		IV		4de						
11	6th		year 12		5		5ème		1.		2nd		III		5de						
12	7th		year 13		6		6ème		2.		3rd		II		6de						
									13.					I					4.		Sekundarstufe II

Year	European School		National schools																										
			Italy					Ireland		Spain		France			Portugal			Finland		Sweden									
			1a	Scuola Elementare (Primary)			1st	Primary	1°	Educacion primaria	Cours préparatoire		1°	Ensino Básico	1° ciclo	1	Comprehensive school <i>Peruskoulu Grundläggande utbildning</i>	1	Comprehensive school <i>Grundskola</i>										
2	2a	2nd	2°				Cours élémentaire 1ère année		2°		2	2																	
3	3a	3rd	3°				Cours élémentaire 2ème année		3°		3	3																	
4	4a	4th	4°				Cours Moyen 1ère année		4°		4	4																	
5	5a	5th	5°				Cours Moyen 2ème année		5°		5	5																	
6	1st	Secondary	I <th colspan="3" rowspan="3">Scuola Media (Lower Secondary)</th> <td>6th<th rowspan="3">Junior Certificate</th><th>6°</th><th rowspan="3">Educación secundaria obligatoria</th><td colspan="2">VIème</td><th rowspan="3">Enseignement secondaire</th><th rowspan="3">1er cycle</th><th>6°</th><th rowspan="3">Ensino Secundário</th><th>2° ciclo</th><td>6</td><th rowspan="8">Upper Sec. <i>Lukio Gymnasie- utbildning</i></th><th rowspan="8">10/1 11/2 12/3</th><th rowspan="8">Upper Secondary Gymnasium</th></td>	Scuola Media (Lower Secondary)			6th <th rowspan="3">Junior Certificate</th> <th>6°</th> <th rowspan="3">Educación secundaria obligatoria</th> <td colspan="2">VIème</td> <th rowspan="3">Enseignement secondaire</th> <th rowspan="3">1er cycle</th> <th>6°</th> <th rowspan="3">Ensino Secundário</th> <th>2° ciclo</th> <td>6</td> <th rowspan="8">Upper Sec. <i>Lukio Gymnasie- utbildning</i></th> <th rowspan="8">10/1 11/2 12/3</th> <th rowspan="8">Upper Secondary Gymnasium</th>	Junior Certificate	6°	Educación secundaria obligatoria	VIème		Enseignement secondaire	1er cycle	6°	Ensino Secundário	2° ciclo	6	Upper Sec. <i>Lukio Gymnasie- utbildning</i>	10/1 11/2 12/3	Upper Secondary Gymnasium								
7	2nd		II				1st		1°		Vème				7°		7	7											
8	3rd		III				2nd		2°		IVème				8°		8	8											
9	4th		IV	Ginnasio	1st	3rd	Senior Certificate	2°	3°	Bachillerato	2ème cycle	9°	Ensino Secundário	3° ciclo	9	Upper Sec. <i>Lukio Gymnasie- utbildning</i>	10/1 11/2 12/3	Upper Secondary Gymnasium											
10	5th		V			4th Transition			4°			Seconde		10°															
11	6th		I	Liceo Classico	2nd	5th			1°			Première		11°															
12	7th		II			6th			2°			Terminale		12°															
			III	Liceo Scientifico	5th																								

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		European School	National schools																	
			Czech Republic			Cyprus		Estonia			Hungary				Latvia					
1 ^{III}	1 st	Primary	1	Základní vzdělávání 1. stupeň základní školy / BASIC SCHOOL (primary)			1 st	Primary	1 ^{IV}	Põhikool	I aste	1.	Általános iskola (Primary school)	Ált. isk. (Pr. sch.)	Ált. isk. (Primary sch.)	1 ^V	Pamat-izglītība (Compulsory basic education)	Pirmā posma pamatizglītība (First stage basic education)		
2	2 nd		2				2 nd		2			2.				2				
3	3 rd		3				3 rd		3			3.				3				
4	4 th		4				4 th		4			4.				4				
5	5 th		5				5 th		5			5.				5				
6	1 st	6	6	6	6.	6														
7	2 nd	7	Základní vzdělávání 2. stupeň základní školy / BASIC SCHOOL (lower secondary)	1	Gymnázium / Gymnasium	1 st	Lower Secondary (Gymnasium)	7	III aste		7.	Középiskola (Secondary school)	Középiskola (Secondary school)	7	Középiskola (Secondary school)	8		Otrā posma pamatizglītība (Second stage basic education)	Gimnāzija (Gymnasium)	
8	3 rd	8		2		2 nd		8			8.			8						
9	4 th	9		3		3 rd		9			9. (I.)			9						
10	5 th	Secondary	1	5	Gymnázium / Gymnasium	1 st	Upper Secondary	10	Gimnāzium				10. (II.)	Középiskola (Sec.sch.)	Középiskola (Secondary school)			10	Vidusskola (Secondary education)	
11	6 th		2			2 nd		(Lyseum or Technical school)		11			11. (III.)				11			
12	7 th		3			3 rd		12		12. (IV.) Certific.			12							
			4																	

		European School	National schools																
			Lithuania				Malta		Poland			Slovak Republic		Slovenia					
1 ^{VI}	1st	Primary	1st ^{VII}	Pradinė mokykla (primary)			Yr 2	PRIMARY	1	Szkoła podstawowa (primary)		1	Primary		1	9-letna osnovna šola (Primary)			
2	2nd		2nd				Yr 3		2			2		2					
3	3rd		3rd				Yr 4		3			3		3					
4	4th		4th				Yr 5		4			4		4					
5	5th		5th				Yr 6		5			5		5					
6	1st	Secondary	6th	Pagrindinė mokykla (Lower secondary)		Form I	LOWER SECONDARY	6			6	Lower Secondary	6	Gimnazija		Splošna Klasinė Umetinė Ekonomisk a Techninė			
7	2nd		7th			Form II		7			7		7						
8	3rd		8th			Form III		8			8		8						
9	4th		9th			Form IV		1			9		9						
10	5th		10th			Form V		2			1	Upper Secondary	1						
11	6th		11th	Vidurinė mokykla (Upper secondary)	Gimnazija	1st	GENERAL UPPER SECONDARY	3	Technikum (secondary)	Liceum ogólnokształcące (secondary)	2		Gimnazija						
12	7th		12th			2nd		4			3								3
						3rd		5			4								4

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	European School		National schools								
			Romania					Bulgaria		Croatia	
I ^{VIII}	1st	Primary	1st	Compulsory education (învățământ obligatoriu)	Primary education	Primary school (Învățământ primar)		1st	Primary	1st ^x	Osnovna škola (Primary education)
2	2nd		2nd					2nd			
3	3rd		3rd					3rd			
4	4th		4th					4th			
5	5th		5th					5th			
6	1st	Secondary	6th		Lower secondary Education (Învățământ secundar inferior)	Gymnasium (Gimnaziu)		6th	Lower secondary	6th	
7	2nd		7th					7th			
8	3rd		8th					8th			
9	4th		9th					9th			
10	5th		10th					High school -lower cycle- (liceu – ciclul inferior)		Vocational education – Arts and Trades School (învățământ profesional - Școala de arte și meserii)	10th
11	6th		11th		Upper secondary education (Învățământ secundar superior)	High school -upper cycle- (liceu – ciclul superior) ^{ix}	Vocational – education Completion year (învățământ profesional - An de completare)	11th	3rd		
12	7th		12th				Technical education - High school -upper cycle- (liceu – ciclul superior)	12th	4th		
			13th								

^I First year starts at age of 6

^{II} First year starts at the age of 6

^{III} First year starts at the age of 6

^{IV} **Estonia:** The legislation stipulates 7 as the age at which children must start compulsory schooling

^V **Latvia:** The legislation stipulates that part of nursery is compulsory education, 7 is the age at which children must start compulsory basic education.

^{VI} First year starts at the age of 6