

# PROJECT BASED LEARNING

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Erasmus+ KA1 Training Course in Córdoba (Spain)



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Project-based learning (PBL) is an innovative approach to education that promotes active, hands-on learning experiences centered around real-world problems or challenges. In PBL, students engage in inquiry, critical thinking, collaboration, and problem-solving as they work on projects that are meaningful and relevant to their lives.

These projects often require students to apply knowledge and skills from multiple disciplines, fostering a deeper understanding of content and promoting connections between academic concepts and the world beyond the classroom. PBL encourages students to take ownership of their learning, allowing them to explore topics of interest, pursue their passions, and develop key competencies such as creativity, communication, and resilience.

By immersing students in authentic, project-based experiences, educators can cultivate lifelong learners who are equipped with the skills, knowledge, and mindset to succeed in the 21st century.

## Project Based Learning, benefits

- **Enhanced Engagement** providing authentic, real-world tasks that are meaningful and relevant to students' lives.
- **Deeper Learning** promotes deeper understanding of content, as students apply knowledge and skills in context-rich environments.
- **Development of 21st Century Skills.** Students learn to work effectively in teams, communicate their ideas clearly, and adapt to diverse challenges.
- **Increased Retention.** By connecting learning to real-world applications, PBL helps students retain
- **Cultivation of Lifelong Learners.** Students become active participants in their own education, developing the skills and habits of lifelong learners.
- **Authentic Assessment** provides a more holistic view of student achievement and fosters deeper insights into student growth and development.
- **Increased Student Ownership** promotes self-directed learning and builds confidence and independence.

# Course description

Project Based Learning (PBL) is emerging as one of the innovative educational lines that contribute to the improvement of meaningful learning by our students and, therefore, increases the quality of teaching, as well as the quality of the education system in general.

In the current educational moment, in which there is talk of the need to develop key competencies in students and a change of methodology, project work is a very valuable tool for the entire educational community

## Learning outcomes

- Differentiate the terminology associated with Project Based Learning (PBL) and Project Work (PxW).
- To know the psycho-pedagogical bases underlying this educational approach in order to understand how it works.
- To go deeper into the process of implementing PBL and PxT.
- To be able to apply a project in the classroom.

## Details

- One week course
- Starting from 480€ (Cultural activities included) \*
- Min. 4 - max. 14 participants
- Certificate of attendance included (80% of attendance required)
- Available in Córdoba
- Also available in Spanish

\* A 60 € late registration fee will be applied if you register less than 8 weeks before the course start date.

# Tentative schedule

## Day 1. Course introduction

- Introduction and welcome
- CHECK IN. Emotions, expectations and focus
- Meaning and value of Project Based Learning (PBL)
- PBL as an active methodology

## Day 2. Project-Based Learning and Project Work

- PBL and PxW
- Psychopedagogical bases of this methodology

## Day 3. The curriculum and our programming

- Importance of programming by competences
- Strategies for linking PBL with the school curriculum: objectives and standard content
- Timing in PBL

## Day 4. Evaluation of a PBL

- Introduction
- Importance of evaluation in this methodology
- Tools for the evaluation of a PBL and PxW

## Day 5. PBL In Practice

- Introduction
- Examples of WxP and PBL
- Advantages and benefits of this methodology
- Disadvantages and difficulties in the implementation of PBL

This schedule describes likely activities but may differ significantly based on the requests of the participants, and the trainer delivering the specific session.

Course modifications are subject to the trainer's discretion. If you would like to discuss a specific topic, please indicate it at least 4 weeks in advance.

## About the provider

Andalusia Teacher Training is a training company founded in 2018 focused in the attitudinal training and the improvement of human performance. The company works with clients with the aim of increasing their results both in personal or professional areas, developing techniques and strategies in the areas of coaching, Emotional Intelligence, soft skills and Neuro Linguistic Programming (NLP).

Andalusia Teacher Training learns from the experience gained by its staff, professionals with years of background in the fields of training and the development and management of transnational projects in the frame of Erasmus + Program. Andalusia Teacher Training is currently made up of a multidisciplinary team of 8 people, with backgrounds in languages, translation and interpreting, psychology, international relations, pedagogy and communication.

In the field of international projects, the staff has a solid background in the development and implementation of funded projects in the frame of Erasmus+ and in the areas of entrepreneurship, leadership and application of coaching, Emotional Intelligence and soft skills to different fields. In the last five years we have been involved in more than 50 KA2 projects, of which more than 25 have been developed by our staff.



**José Antonio Alonso:** Has studies in Economics and Psychology. He is Master in Coaching and EI, Master Trainer in NLP (Spanish NLP Association), Expert in Gestalt therapy and Master in Ericksonian hypnosis.

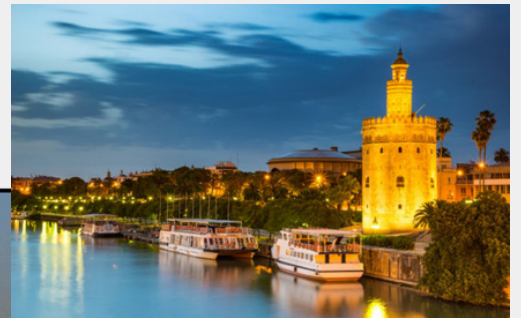
**José Carlos León:** Coach with a large experience training teams, persons and organizations using EI tools. With a degree in English Philology, he has also been tutor in the Master of Coaching of the University CEU San Pablo and facilitator in the areas of EI and NLP.



# Enjoy training... and Andalusia

Obviously, training is a key aspect, but the environment makes the experience complete. That's why Cordoba is the best possible setting, the only city in the world with four World Heritage Sites by UNESCO, a city steeped in history and culture, and also the ideal place to discover Andalusia.

Less than an hour away by train you can enjoy the bewitching Seville, the cosmopolitan Malaga and the haunting Granada, as well as having some of the best beaches just two hours away by car. All in the best connected city in Spain by high-speed train, 1.45 minutes from Madrid and in the centre of Spain's most charming region. Are you going to miss it?





# How to get to Córdoba?

Córdoba has no airport, but there are excellent connections to our city from three international airports thanks to the AVE (High Speed Train):

- Madrid. 400 kilometres, 1.45 hours to Córdoba by train.
- Seville. 130 kilometres, 45 minutes to Córdoba by train.
- Málaga. 145 kilometres. 50 minutes to Córdoba by train.

**Málaga** is the best option, due to the high amount and variety of international destinations and the facilities to link your flight to the train.

**Madrid** International Airport Adolfo Suárez is the biggest airport in Spain and it has connections with all the important destinations in Europe. Flights use to be cheaper and both the frequency and the options are higher, so it is also a good chance.

**Seville** is another option, though destinations and frequencies are not the best. Check if it fits your plans.

**Train.** There are different companies offering connections from and to Madrid, Málaga and Sevilla to Córdoba. The sooner you book, the cheaper!!

- RENFE ([www.renfe.es](http://www.renfe.es)). In trains from and to Seville or Málaga, you will find AVE and AVANT. The service is the same, though this last one is cheaper. It happens the same from Madrid with AVE and ALVIA.
- IRYO. (<https://iryo.eu>). Cheap tickets if booked with months in advance.
- AVLO (<https://avlorenfe.com>). From June 1st 2023. Renfe low cost brand.

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