

Chios Education Sector sub-Working Group
MEETING MINUTES

MONDAY, 18 JUNE 2018 (10.00-11.00AM) @ METADRASI EDUCATION CENTRE, CHIOS, GREECE

MEETING AGENDA

- Review of action points
- Updates from formal education
- Updates from non-formal education actors
- AOB

AGENDA ITEM	DISCUSSION POINTS	ACTION POINTS
<i>Review of action points</i>	<p>The date of the Refugee Trauma Initiative organized by Action for Education is pending.</p> <p>Information on new education centre close to Vial was refuted.</p>	<p>Action for Education: confirm the date of the Refugee Trauma Initiative</p>

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<p>Updates from Formal Education</p>	<p>4-5 years old: (FE/ VIAL RIC): The REC informed on the school closing ceremony that took place on 15/06 with the attendance of parents, actors and authorities. .</p> <p>No information is yet available for the education activities to take place during summer for the kindergarten-aged children (2012-2013). The REC informed that there are no updates from MoE on the establishment of DYEP for 2018-2019. The Individual Health Card for Students (ADYM) is required for the children to be enrolled in DYEP and the REC will clarify whether the procedure will be undertaken by KEELPNO, any other available medical actor (MSF) or by the Hospital, upon appointments scheduled by KEELPNO.</p> <p>UNHCR informed on new guidance regarding the procedure to be established for the transfer of enrollments in case of persons transferred from the islands to the mainland.</p> <p>The REC raised the need for timely information on the number of eligible school-age children in apartments for the school year 2018-2019.</p>	<p>REC/UNHCR/Metadrasi: update on the planning for education activities during summer for kindergarten-aged children</p> <p>REC: update on any development/feedback from MoE on the establishment of DYEP for 2018-2019 and on the ADYM process</p> <p>UNHCR/ARSIS: finalize the procedure on the transfer of enrollment</p> <p>UNHCR: share with the REC the total figure and breakdown per education grade of eligible school-age children in apartment for school year 2018-2019</p>
<p>Updates for Non-Formal Education.</p>	<p>6-11 years old (NFE/VIAL RIC and off-site):</p> <p>On an average, 90 children attended the classes on a regular basis..</p> <p>12-22 years old (NFE/VIAL RIC and off-site):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Action for Education: Given the low attendance during Ramadan, AfE would like to know how many adolescences/young adults left, in order to finalize the number of their students. UNHCR highlighted the established info-sharing procedure between RIS and actors regarding arrivals and departures, following request submitted to RIS and upon approval by the RIC Director. <p>Action for Education informed that the attendance of girls between 15-22 in their school is recently higher.</p>	<p>Action for Education: inform on whether the procedure of info-sharing on arrivals and departures of students is implemented</p>

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	<p>18+ years old (NFE/VIAL RIC and off-site):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Imagine center informed on the low attendance observed during Ramadan. Students returned to their routine which previously was disturbed because of fasting. Imagine Centre informed that, due to the increase of French-speaking people, targeted English lessons are provided by volunteers who, besides Arabic, also speak French. The number of women at Imagine Center increased and that may lead to the creation of a female group based on future needs. - UNHCR requested from non-formal education providers to inquire the possibility of including in their education activities during summer the children in apartments who were until recently attending formal school. 	<p>Imagine Centre: update on the possibility of creating a separate female group</p> <p>Action for Education: revert with feedback on whether they could provide education activities during summer to the children in apartments</p>
AOB	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ A joint activity was organized by Metadrasi, UNHCR and the 7th primary school of Chios on the occasion of the WRD, during which students from the Metadrasi Education Centre met with students from the public school under a “twinning schools” concept. Several activities were organized for the children including singing in Greek, games and exchange of handmade gifts and memorial presents. ➤ UNHCR informed on an interview conducted by three students of 7th Chios Primary School, who in the role of a journalist made questions to the UNHCR team in Chios. The occasion for this interview was the letters they had written in their class a few months ago with UN Secretary-General as their recipient asking for his help on the issue of the refugees on their island, the conditions in which they live and their future. The result of the interview was posted in the school newspaper. ➤ Imagine Centre provided information on the Humanitarian Training conducted by the Founding Director of the Israeli School of Humanitarian Aid. 	

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NEXT MEETING:

MONDAY, 02 JULY 2018 (10.00-11.00AM) @ THE EDUCATION CENTER OUTSIDE VIAL- CHIOS.

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