

Information Card for:

Smartschool



Context:

Smartschool is a digital learning platform that is mainly used in Flanders (and currently only available in French and Flemish) in primary and secondary schools. It was developed by Smartbit BVBA, and started in 2003 as an electronic learning environment, but has gradually grown into a larger platform that includes tools for administration, reporting and communication. It is offered as a service and can be accessed via a browser or an app.

Homepage:

<http://www.smartschool.be>

Smartschool aims for an effective exchange of information in educational establishments, both between management and teachers and between students, teachers and parents. Pupils and teachers can use the platform to exchange data for group work, tasks and exercises. Parents can also access Smartschool to share information. Smartschool can be used in different ways depending on the needs of the school.

Students with medical needs can access all kinds of educational material via their teachers, they can exchange documents, and participate in a discussion forum. Teachers can use a student tracking system where they can keep track and monitor the individual learning path of a student with medical needs.

What do teachers need to carry out this activity?

1. Access the Smartschool login and create an account
2. Access to computers/laptops/tablets in the school and student homes (and hospital if applicable)
3. Installed communications software (see Appendix A for a list of some possibilities)
4. Good internet/WIFI connections
5. Willing teachers, students and parents

Pupils, teachers and parents will need to be shown how to use the software. A comprehensive manual is available.

Teachers may choose to share films they make during this project on the LeHo YouTube channel:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCMD5zSd3x4VqoBwDUVK7n4w>

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Evaluation of the activity



Evaluation of how this activity worked for you in the field (Fieldwork Experience) is via a short questionnaire on Survey Monkey.

Questionnaires are available in English, Italian, Spanish, Catalan, German and Arabic as follows:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/LeHoFieldwork>

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/LeHoItalian>

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/LeHoSpanish>

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/LeHoCatalan>

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/LeHoGerman>

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/LeHoArabic>

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