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International Kick-Off Meeting Brings Together NGO Leaders in Rezekne

Rezekne, Latvia – May 27-30, 2025 - European Association "World-Our Home" hosted the Kick-off Meeting of the Erasmus+ KA2 project "Youth – Centered Digital Society".

From May 27th to 30th, youth leaders and representatives from Turkiye (Openact Association), Italy (YouNet APS) and Latvia (European Association "World-Our Home") have gathered in Rezekne to launch this important project focused on empowering young people in the digital age. Through interactive workshops and roundtable sessions, the group was exploring ways to build digital resilience and promote mental well-being among youth.

A central theme of the discussions has been digital anxiety - a growing challenge for young people navigating social media, information overload and constant connectivity.

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KICK-OFF MEETING IN REZEKNE, LATVIA

The team has also worked on finalizing the project methodology, defining clear roles and responsibilities and setting up effective communication and dissemination strategies. Concrete plans for the next phases of the project.

In addition to the working sessions, participants were enjoying cultural experiences in Rezekne, strengthening the bonds of European cooperation through informal exchange and shared values.

As the meeting progresses, one message is clear: Youth empowerment in the digital age is a shared European priority, and this project is paving the way for more inclusive, mindful and digitally resilient societies.