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The European Schoolnet (EUN) is a network of networks. The objective of the EUN is to promote the use of information and communications technologies (ICT) among schools in Europe:

- to strengthen collaboration between schools
- to foster a European dimension in education
- to develop the use of ICT in schools

The EUN is a unique initiative, a framework organisation for collaboration between European Ministries of Education that brings together national and other education networks. The users are the schools, the teachers, the learners, and others who want to be part of the collaborative efforts to develop education in a European and global perspective.

The EUN web site, <u>www.eun.org</u>, is a multilingual platform for teachers, pupils and others that offers the following main areas: resources, innovation, and teacher training.

The Virtual School is one of the main initiatives in the resources area. In the Virtual School you can find resources and services for learning activities structured by subject areas (departments) and also cross-curricular places like the School Library and Special Needs Education. The concept of the Virtual School is teachers meeting teachers and colleagues having discussions on everyday-problems and exchanging materials, ideas and experiences. Virtual School will help schools and teachers to find quality resources in the Internet.

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