



of Libraries in Europe

## Case studies template

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## Introduction

This document provides the template for the development of the Case Studies on digital transformation in libraries.

The ADELE project aims to contribute to the internationalisation of organisations that choose a path of digital transformation. Through the network they can connect, collaborate, compare, and exchange ideas with organisations across Europe and beyond.

The 100 case studies are aimed at initiating the digital transformation of libraries and inspiring libraries that want to improve their performance on certain areas of the tool.

The areas of the ADELE tool cover the use of digital technologies in libraries from different perspectives: management, infrastructure and equipment but also lifelong learning, users training opportunities and community and stakeholders involvement.

The case studies may be linked to an activity, a service, a new professional profile, an initiative, a place or a library infrastructure in line with the areas and the statements of the ADELE tool. We aim to create a database of good practices to foster innovation and the adoption of digital practices in the library.







| Library presenting the case study<br>(Name, city, website and contact<br>details)                       | Public Library in Emmerich am Rhein, Germany<br>Contact email: andrea.joosten@stadt-emmerich.de  |
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| Title of the case study   | BIPARCOURS Emmerich am Rhein   |
| Area of ADELE tool illustrated by<br>the case study<br><i>Please underline the selected area</i>        | <ul> <li>Management</li> <li>Infrastructure, Equipment and Support</li> <li>Continuing Professional Development</li> <li>Self-reflection on digital competences</li> <li>x Learning opportunities on digital competences for users</li> <li>Collaboration, Networking, and Community</li> </ul>  |
| Description of the experience:<br>aim, methods and outcomes   | BIPARCOURS is a free digital learning tool from Bildungspartner<br>NRW to support school learning and extracurricular learning<br>locations in North Rhine-Westphalia (NRW). Based on the<br>Actionbound software, the app can be used to create quiz<br>applications and themed rallies on educational topics in the city and<br>in nature. The themed routes consist of information, media and quiz<br>elements that are linked to specific locations.<br>With the help of BIPARCOURS, the Public Library in Emmerich am<br>Rhein has created a rally through the library for class tours to help<br>pupils get to know the library. |
| Resources needed to implement<br>the idea<br>Please, provide any link and/or<br>send them in attachment | The rally can only be loaded in the Biparcours app.  |
| Target groups   | High school students   |
| Elements of innovation  | The innovation is the playful exploration of the library as opposed to<br>a traditional library tour by library staff. With Biparcours, the pupils<br>become active themselves and work out what they have learned.<br>Internet connection is not necessary when using the app on the go.<br>However, courses with GPS navigation require a small amount of<br>data during the course.   |
| Tips to other library staff using<br>this idea  | Biparcours works text- and image-based. The photos on the app<br>must be attractive and meaningful. The texts must appeal to the<br>children, have to be understandable and make them want to<br>answer the questions.   |
| Keywords  | #localexploration #gaming #quiz #app #discoverygame  |
| References  | Information about Biparcours: <u>https://biparcours.de/</u><br>Our Biparcours Emmerich am Rhein  |



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(only to be open in the Biparcopurs-App!):







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