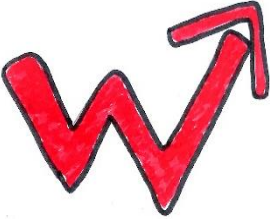

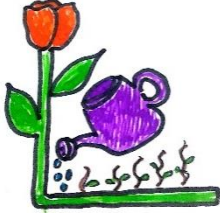


## ECVET for work-based learning

# Why work-based learning?

Because work-based learning is

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A better understanding of the <b>workplace culture</b>, its expectations and good work habits.</li> <li>• A stronger <b>experience</b> for a smoother school-to-work transition.</li> <li>• The creation of <b>connection</b> between school and work, future employment opportunities and contacts, to access to European markets and networks.</li> <li>• The <b>application</b> and improvement of academic and technical learning to real work.</li> <li>• An experience and a qualification <b>recognized all over Europe</b>.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The acquisition of <b>interpersonal skills</b> such as personal development, motivation, self-confidence, autonomy, independence.</li> <li>• The achievement of <b>career awareness</b>, mainly career development and career management skills.</li> <li>• The gaining of <b>entrepreneurial spirit</b> like risk-taking, decision making, change management, spirit of initiative.</li> <li>• The development of <b>intercultural competences</b> as adaptability, flexibility, European and transnational mindset, which are essential to practice a given profession transnationally.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The acquirement of <b>hard skills</b>, technical expertise and tacit knowledge that can be achieved only with practical experience.</li> <li>• The acquisition of <b>soft skills</b>, other competences and behaviors (e.g. taking responsibility, communication, problem-solving skills).</li> <li>• The improvement or acquisition of <b>language competencies</b>.</li> <li>• The <b>exploration</b> of a new culture.</li> </ul>