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<u>Austria</u>	26 Sept	Pinocchio & multilingualism in Europe <u>AM:</u> Pupils' contributions/ presentations on projects Presentation of book collection in about 35 languages <u>PM:</u> Pinocchio workshop, creating dolls, masks, noses etc. <u>Evening:</u> Multilingual readings	Representation Vienna	EUNIC Austria, EtArcadia (Italian Cultural Association), Vienna School Board, Federal Chancellery, Ministry of Education	AM: Pupils PM: Children and young people Registration required
	27 Sept	Pinocchio travelling exhibition (part of the Language festival) Presentation of book collection in about 35 languages	Language festival, Graz	ECML Graz, EDIC Styria, Graz Museum	Open to all
<u>Bulgaria</u>	17 Sept- 25 Sept	Online quiz to precede the speak- dating, with focus on language and culture-related questions on European Year of Cultural Heritage	<u>Online</u>	EUNIC Cluster Bulgaria	General public, school and university students, expats Open to all
	26 Sept	Speak-dating: 10 min conversations or taster classes in various European languages. Information stands with language games, quizzes and activities.	Earth and Man National Museum, Sofia	EUNIC Cluster Bulgaria	General public, school and university students, expats Open to all; Registration for speak-dating sessions
	4 Oct- 24 Oct	Pinocchio touring exhibition Presentation of book collection in about 35 languages. Multilingual reading, language quiz, animated games and more	Stolichna Library, Sofia	Field office Austria	Exhibition open to all Multilingual reading by invitation

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<u>Croatia</u>	26 Sept	Speak dating: 10 min taster classes in EU languages, information stands on languages and European Year of Heritage	Kino Europa, Zagreb city centre	EU28 embassies and cultural/language institutes (EUNIC cluster Croatia)	Open to all
<u>Cyprus</u>	26 Sept- 26 Oct	Online competition; quiz (in EL, EN, TUR) with questions related to languages and culture in the EU	<u>Online</u>		Open to all; registration required
<u>Czech Republic</u>	June-25 Sept	Web quiz	<u>Online</u>		Open to all
	26 Sept	Speak dating: Interactive micro-lessons in about 30 languages	Lucerna Gallery, Prague	EUNIC, in particular Goethe Institut, Institut Français, British Council, Italian Cultural Institute, Instituto Cervantes and Charles University's Institute for Language and Preparatory Studies	Schools and general public Open to all
<u>Denmark</u>	1 Sept- 30 Sept	Online language quiz	<u>Quiz</u> hosted by ECML's website	Field office Sweden, ECML, Goethe Institut and Institut Français	Open to all
	24 Sept- 25 Sept	The Little Prince and Europe	Europe House, Copenhagen	Field office Sweden	Children and parents
	26 Sept	Language café, mini-sessions The Little Prince animated movie, lecture, book exhibition	Nils Brock International Gymnasium, Cinemateket (Danish movie institute)		Open to all

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<u>Estonia</u>	5 Sept- 23 Sept	Web quiz on European languages and cultures, theme: European cultural heritage	Online		Open to all school pupils
	23 Sept	Language café – mini-language lessons in 10-15 languages at Station Narva Festival with artists from the EU and Russia	Ro-Ro Art Club, Narva	Embassies and cultural institutes in Estonia	Open to all
	26 Sept	Language guessing game on the radio	Vikerraadio (Estonian Public Broadcasting) and Tallinn European School	Vikerraadio (Estonian Public Broadcasting) and Tallinn European School	Open to all
<u>Finland</u>	15 Aug	The language of Finnish rock lyrics; context on writing song lyrics inspired by the late Finnish singer/songwriter Juice Leskinen	<u>Online / City of Kuopio</u>	Regional Council of Pohjois-Savo, EDIC Pohjois-Savo	Open to all, anyone interested in lyrics and somehow inspired by Juice Leskinen
	26 Sept	Ostrobothnian Day of Languages; fair, presentations of different languages and cultures	City Library, Seinäjoki	Regional Council of South Ostrobothnia, Europe Direct Seinäjoki, local language and cultural associations	General public Open to all
	26 Sept	North Satakunta multilingual video contest	The Satakunta area schools	Europa Direct Pohjois-Satakunta; local schools	School pupils Open to all
	26 Sept	Turku Day of Languages; fair, language café, thematic presentations, cultural performances	Central Library, Turku	Regional Council of Southwest Finland, Europe Direct Turku, University of Turku	School children, general public Open to all

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<u>Finland</u>	28 Sept	Languages, culture and identity fair: -EDL market with organisations and activities, - Workshops with animators, cartoonist and Swedish language teacher – Discussions and presentations with speakers	Hanasaari – Hanaholmen Finnish-Swedish Cultural centre	Svenska Nu (Swedish Now (network inclusive bilingual Finland and Sweden/Finland cultural exchange), SUKOL (The Federation of Foreign Language Teachers in Finland))	Primary school pupils (9-12y), plus adults with interest in history, multilingualism, identity and language minorities
<u>France</u>	26 Sept	Rallye des langues; treasure hunt, 15 stops providing games on different EU languages and the Linguistic diversity of Europe	Place de la Mairie, Mairie de Paris 15	Kidilangues/Mairie de Paris 15	Children 8-13y Open to all
	26 Sept	Dictée multilingue en ligne, records of texts on European Cultural Heritage	Online (contact Field officer for details and link to records)		Pupils 13-17y Open to all
<u>Germany</u>	25 Sept- 26 Sept	Sprachenbad, 40 mini language courses	Different public libraries in Berlin	EUNIC Berlin	8-10y pupils Registration required (schools register classes)
	26 Sept	Babel-Slam, 5 local/national champion slammers from different countries	Czech Embassy	EUNIC Berlin	Young people 16-25y Open to all, registration desirable (ID needed)
<u>Greece</u>	22 Sept	EDL fair; language stands, competitions, multilingual performances, kids' corner + the Little Red Riding Hood travelling exhibition (presentation of book collection in around 40 languages)	<u>Athens Conservatoire</u> and <u>Hellenic Children's Museum</u>	EUNIC Cluster Athens, <u>Athens 2018 World Book Capital</u>	General public (children, young people, families, pupils, students, teachers etc.) Open to all

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<u>Hungary</u>	7 Sept- 8 Sept	Language Parade, language expo and fair	Millenáris Park, Budapest	MEMO Rendezvényszervező Kft.	Young people, general public Open to all
	26 Sept	<u>European Languages Cocktail Bar</u> ; 20 organisations in the field of cultural relations and education	Faculty of Arts of the University of Szeged	<u>EUNIC Hungary</u>	Open to all
	28 Sept	EDL Open Day; Award ceremony, literary translation programme, conference, exhibition, sign language programme, Chinese and Esperanto language class, concert and open music class	National Library of Foreign Literature, 1056 Budapest, Molnár utca 11	National Library of Foreign Literature	General public interested in languages, literature and culture Open to all
<u>Ireland</u>	26 Sept	Ár nOidhreacht Teanga, Inniu agus Amárach / Our Linguistic Heritage, Present and Future. PM: Presentations on history of Irish language linguistic heritage, including the influences of other languages. Guided tour of nearby institutions and landmarks, giving insights into the ways in which this heritage is preserved.	EC Representation in Dublin. Guided/walking tour in conjunction with partner institutions		Registration required. Parts of event to be filmed to ensure accessibility to wider audience
<u>Italy</u>	23 Sept	Racconti d'Europa / European shared oral tradition. Storytelling and slam poetry in different European languages. Screening of the video "Roma Anima Mundi", to celebrate the city's linguistic diversity.	Rome, Città dell'altra economia	Cultural association CulturalPro	General public, especially families Open to all

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<u>Italy</u>	26 Sept	Lingue d'Europa, lingue in Europa/ Languages of Europe, languages in Europe. Umbrella project gathering national EDL events. Graphic material is provided to EDL event organisers, so that the public can immediately recognise that those events are part of the celebrations of EDL.	Different Italian cities	EDICs, universities, schools and cultural institutes	General public Open to all
	28 Sept	Seminar: Il patrimonio linguistico europeo, un tesoro da proteggere / European linguistic heritage, a treasure to be protected. A debate on language policy and hot topics relating to languages with representatives of Accademia della Crusca, Académie Française and Real Academia Española.	Florence, Accademia della Crusca	Accademia della Crusca	Scholars, linguists and students Open to all
	6 Oct	Speak dating. Different tables where people can talk with a native speaker of a language they are familiar with or learn a few words in languages they do not know.	Representation's stand at Internazionale festival, Ferrara	European Documentation Centre of Ferrara and University of Ferrara	General public Open to all
<u>Latvia</u>	26 Sept	Centenary of the Baltic languages Lecture on the three Baltic languages, karaoke to songs in EE, LV, LT, national food from these countries	EU House/ EC Representation, Riga	EU House in Riga	Language learners of all ages Registration required

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<u>Lithuania</u>	25 Sept	Mini-conference on languages	Kaunas University of technology	Kaunas University of technology	Students of secondary schools and universities Registration required
	27 Sept	Brain Battle on languages	Kaunas University of technology	Kaunas University of technology	Students of secondary schools and universities Registration required
	26 Sept	Brain Battle on Languages in relation with the European Year of Cultural Heritage. Starting locally in secondary schools, final round in Vilnius with 100 finalists.	Vilnius Town Hall	Public Service Language Centre, Municipality of Vilnius and others	Secondary school students, language teachers Registration required
	26 Sept	Language Taster Classes	Lithuanian Teachers House, Vilnius	Public Service Language Centre (main coordinator), Ministry of Education and Science, Lithuanian Centre for Children and Youth, Lithuanian Teachers House, foreign embassies	Open to all
	26 Sept	Exhibition of drawings on languages by pupils	National Parliament, Vilnius	Public Service Language Centre (main coord), National Parliament, Lithuanian Teachers House, Ministry of Education and Science, the Lithuanian Children and Youth Centre primary schools of Lithuania	Pupils, their teachers and parents, By invitation

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<u>Lithuania</u>	27 Sept	Multilingual Scrabble tournament, DE, EN, FR and LT	Vytautas Magnus University, Kaunas	British Council, Goethe-Institute and Institut Français, Vytautas Magnus University	Secondary school students Registration required
<u>Malta</u>	19 Sept	Żanżan Kelma Spelling Bee	Spazju Kreattiva, Valletta	I-Għaqda tal-Malti (Università) [University Association for Maltese]	Students 8-13y
	23 Sept	Language Fair: Celebrating Language Learning+ radio contest	Pjazza Sant' Anna, Tas-Sliema	I-Għaqda tal-Malti (Università) [University Association for Maltese]	General public Open to all
<u>Netherlands</u>	26 Sept	Speak dating at European Capital of Culture, 5-minutes sessions of several languages including sign language and minority languages	Leeuwarden - European Capital of Culture	EUNIC	General public Open to all
	2 Oct-9 Oct	Reaching out through Skype (workshop) cross-border; The Netherlands, Lithuania, Slovenia, Italy, Hungary and Romania	Multiple venues (6 countries)	Lithuanian Culture Centre in the Netherlands	By invitation
<u>Poland</u>	20 Sept-26 Sept	EDL Week in Wrocław; a variety of workshops, public debates, art and educational events, demo lessons, quizzes and games.	Various locations in the city of Wrocław	EPIO, University of Wrocław, regional cultural institutions, schools and language institutes	All age groups, mostly young audiences Open to all
	18 Sept-28 Sept	Skype language lessons / Mini-language course	Schools across Poland	EUNIC Warsaw, EUNIC Krakow	Registration required
	29 Sept	'Journey through languages and cultures'- Language street game, prize award gala, screening of European films	Wrocław	EPIO, University of Wrocław, regional cultural institutions, schools and language institutes	Open to all

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<u>Poland</u>	29 Sept	Street game 'Journey through languages and cultures'	Krakow	EUNIC Krakow + EPIO	Open to all
<u>Portugal</u>	29 Sept	Dia Europeu das Línguas 2018: mini language courses, speak dating, theatre, short films (from the EU&ME Corporate Campaign), music, word games, poetry reading, and Portuguese sign language, among other activities.	Medieval Town of Óbidos, during the FOLIO 2018 - International Literature Festival	EUNIC Portugal cluster	Mainly youngsters and students General public. Open to all
<u>Romania</u>	19 Sept- 26 Sept	Social media campaign and radio language quiz (recognizing European languages and dialects) and multilingual workshops in schools.	Radio	EUNIC institutes	Open to all
	21 and 25 Sept	Translation workshop and Neurologist/translator conference	French Institute	EUNIC Romania	Teens and adults/ By invitation
	19 Sept- 28 Sept	Multimedia campaign and radio language quiz	Radio Europa FM	EUNIC Romania	General public- adults/Open to all
	26 Sept	Let's play LinguaFest including language-related tours and activities at the museum and Skype performances in Romania and Germany	National Museum of Romanian Literature	Erasmus+ Agency in Romania, the Government's Department for Interethnic Relations (DRI), National Museum of Romanian Literature, Da'DeCe Association	Secondary school children By invitation
	29 Sept	EDL Language fair: "treasure hunt" stands with raffle, multilingual workshop	National Museum of Natural Sciences (G. Antipa)	EUNIC Romania, "Grigore Antipa" National Museum of Natural Sciences	Primary school children and their parents. Open to all

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Slovakia	20 Aug-31 Aug	Dialects as the cultural heritage, online quiz	Online	I. Štúr Institute of Linguistics, online media azet.sk and aktuality.sk	Open to all
	1 Sept-20 Sept	EDL quiz in Italian, German and French (preceding the EDL event in Košice)	Online	EUNIC	Students aged 18+ Open to all
	20 Sept	Tabačka full of languages: Cultural programme, language quizzes and workshops, interactive games etc.	Tabačka Kulturfabrik, Košice	EC REP, cultural institutes of Germany, Italy, Spain, France, University of Pavol Jozef Safarik in Kosice, EUNIC	Elementary + secondary school students, university students, general public Open to all
	25 Sept	EDL in Trnava; stands on languages	Main square, Trnava	City of Trnava, Trnava University, schools and language literature distributors	Open to all
	8 Nov-11 Nov	Pinocchio – presentation of book collection, workshop on EU myths	Bibliotéka Book Fair, Bratislava	EC REP	Open to all Schools have a free entrance, general public entrance; ticket is valid for 4 days of the expo
Slovenia	25 Sept	Language Awards: presentation of language school projects and award ceremony; talking about loan words in Slovenian dialects; exhibition on Nuremberg trials and interpretation	EU House, Ljubljana	National Education Institute	Teachers and students of winning/ other schools. Open to all

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<u>Slovenia</u>	28 Sept	Language Festival: celebration of linguistic and cultural diversity with interactive presentations, games and dances in various languages for school children	Cinema (Kino) Bežigrad	Youth centre Etnika and numerous other partners participating in the events, including Cultural Institutes, embassies and schools	School students aged 8-15y (Two different sessions for two age groups) Open to all
<u>Spain</u>	10 Sept-30 Sept	Expo Casa EUNIC	Hay Festival (Segovia)	EUNIC España, DG COMM (Madrid Rep.)	Open to all
	26 Sept-15 Dec	Launch of the Multimedia exhibition project: "Translation, Europe's common heritage"	Escuela de Traductores de Toledo, Plaza de Santa Isabel 5	Escuela de Traductores de Toledo, EUNIC Spain, Diputación de Toledo	Open to all
	28 Sept-29 Sept	Conference/seminar Translation Europe's common heritage	Escuela de Traductores de Toledo, Plaza de Santa Isabel 5	Escuela de Traductores de Toledo, EUNIC Spain, Instituto Cervantes	General public and academics Registration required Webstreamed
<u>Sweden</u>	25 Sept	Language Café	Europahuset Stockholm	EUNIC, embassies, cultural institutes, Swedish national agencies	Students Registration required
	26 Sept	EDL-themed 'studying/living abroad' presentations by students	St Eskils gymnasium, Eskilstuna		Students By invitation
	28 Sept	The little prince and Europe, language café	Malmö University, Malmö	Field office Denmark	Open to all

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<u>United Kingdom</u>	26 Sept	<u>The Sign Languages of Europe:</u> Academics to talk about the linguistic and socio-cultural aspects, hands-on sessions where the basics of British Sign Language will be demonstrated	Europe House London	European Union of the Deaf, British Deaf Association, Association of Sign Language Interpreters	General public, sign language interpreters, deaf people; registration required
	26 Sept	<u>Celebrating the UK's cultural heritage through language.</u> regional languages – Welsh, Scottish, Gaelic, Cornish, Manx, Irish – taster classes	Europe House London	Swansea University, University of the Highlands and Islands, Irish Cultural Centre, Liverpool University	General public; Open to all, registration required
	24 Sept- 29 Sept	<u>Mother Danube theatre performance</u> celebrating cultures and languages of the Danube river, with EDL reception on 29 Sept	Various; 29 Sept reception at Watermen's Hall, London	Totally Thames Festival	General public, open to all; registration required
	29 Sept	<u>Language fair and Wordkeys!</u> language treasure hunt	Central London	Rosalind Harvey, literary translator	General public Open to all; Registration required for participation in Wordkeys! game

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