GLOBAL COMPACT ON EDUCATION

what it is and how to join
**WHAT IS GLOBAL COMPACT ON EDUCATION**

**1. VISION**

The Global Compact on Education is the invitation launched by Pope Francis (on 12 September 2019) for an alliance between all those working in the field of education, in order to educate new generations to brotherhood and alliance between humanity and creation.

**2. MISSION**

The educational alliance has the mission to:
1. put the person at the centre of every educational process;
2. to invest the best energies in quality education for all;
3. educate in order to be at the service of the community.

**3. VALUES (PRINCIPLES)**

The guiding values of education range from "know thyself" to discover one's own identity and vocation, to:
"know your brother", to educate in the acceptance of the other;
"know the creation", to educate to care for the common home;
"know the Transcendent" to educate to the great mystery of life.

**4. COMMITMENTS**

1. Putting the person at the centre
2. Listening to the younger generation
3. Promoting women
4. Empowering the family
5. Opening up to welcome
6. Renewing the economy and politics
7. Looking after the common home

**5. GOAL**

Universal brotherhood for the construction of a new civilisation, a new humanism.
1. MANIFESTATION OF INTEREST

Educational institutions / organizations wishing to join the Global Compact on Education are invited to express their interest by declaring (on one page) their willingness to share the Vision, Mission, Values of the GCE and to follow the 7 commitments.

This declaration must be signed by the person ultimately responsible for the educational institution/organisation and sent to the GCE Secretariat: info@educationglobalcompact.org

The list of institutions/organisations adhering to the Global Compact on Education will be published on the page: www.educationglobalcompact.org.

2. RENEWAL OF THE EDUCATIONAL PROJECT

Institutions/organisations that have joined the GCE are invited to renew over the next two/three years their educational projects, curricula, etc. in accordance with the spirit of the Global Compact on Education, also making use of the suggestions in the Instrumentum laboris, the Vademecum and the guidelines for universities.

(see below: Reference sources).

3. WALKING TOGETHER

The institutions/organisations that have joined the GCE are invited to walk together with other educational institutions/organisations in their own territory and also at national level (Episcopal Conference and national and international associations) to exchange ideas and good practices, organise projects, events in common and share their own path of renewal according to the Global Compact on Education proposal.

Experiences can also be sent to the following addresses:

LUMSA: eis.ricerca@lumsa.it

CONGREGATION FOR CATHOLIC EDUCATION: info@educationglobalcompact.org

4. SHARING A LOGO

Institutions/organisations that have joined the GCE will be able to use the GCE logo for their own documents and web pages, and display it in their own buildings and events.

5. HARVESTING

The GCE is a project that will continue for years to come. On the occasion of the Jubilee Year 2025, a first "collection" of the good things that have been achieved over the years will be made.
REFERENCE SOURCES

Basic tools for understanding, justifying and developing the Global Compact on Education project can be found at www.educationglobalcompact.org

- Messages of the Pope on the GCE (12-9-2019, 15-10-2020 and 5-10-2021)
- Instrumentum laboris (prepared by the CCE)
- Vademecum of the Global Compact on Education (available in 6 languages)
- Strategic Plan 2021/2025

"We cannot keep from the new generations the truths that give meaning to life".

Pope’s speech at the Meeting “Religions and Education: towards a Global Compact on Education”, 05.10.2021