

RESULTS PRESENTATION

GREECE'S RESEARCH





Participants

- 93 students filled in the questionnaires. They are 17-18 years old (67%), Vocational High School students (66% boys & 33% girls) and 25% of them are over 18.
- Their parents are mostly high school graduates (54%).

Students profile

- They are city and town residents (90%), living with their families (94%), but 34% of them live with one parent.
 - They are of average family income (53%), but 34% have a family income below average.
- Both their parents work (55%) and for 44% of them one parent is unemployed.

Field - grades - special interests

- They are attending Economy, Mechanics, Nursing and Computing courses.
- Their grades range from 11/20 to 19/20 with the majority around 14-15/20.
- Their special interests are mainly music (56%) and social media (40%).

Most favorite lessons

- Music 54%
- Science 51%
- Art 47%
- Physical education 41%
- ICT 37%
- Vocational courses 33%

Field choice conditions

- They have chosen their field by themselves (80%), no one obliged them, but 28% would have chosen another field if they had been in another family.
- They made their choices mostly according to their interests and abilities (79%) and according to their physical and personal characteristics (65%).

Field choice conditions

- They claim to have made a conscious choice (75%), but 23% of them had no right to choose a field.
- The first time they realized the necessity to chose a field was around 15 years old, and 77% got information about their choices.
- They also claim that they did a research about financial opportunities in the field (70&) and about entrance and ability requirements (64%).

Guidance offer

- Half of the students (45%) think that they didn't have the necessary guidance service in field choice and neither them (74%) nor their parents (85%) had seminars about field choice.
- Only 30% of them had taken an ability test during their education or filled in questionnaires about field choice (62%).

Guidance offer

- There was professional support about field choice for 40% of the participants.
- 55% have training in their field.
- 38% had an upper education activity.

Expectations

- 80% believe that their economic status will de affected by their field choice (hopefully for the best)
- 40% believe that social and psychological status will be affected as well.

Factors affecting field choice "very much"

- Interests / subjects in school 36%
- Financial factors 19%
- Friends 10%
- Culture 9%
- Family 8%
- Teachers 7%
- Guidance 6%
- Religion 4%

Satisfaction

- They claim to be pleased with their field (84%)
- Only 21% of them have changed field but they don't want to change again (75%)

Career significance

- Their career means : (in significance order)
- sense of being useful,
- capacity development,
- money,
- mental health and respect for 75% of our students.
- They think very highly about their careers.

TOP 10 personal statements

- 1. If I have a job in my field, I will be HAPPY in the future (73%)
- 2. I am happy in this field (63%)
- 3. I like to participate in practical training related to my field (61%)
- 4. I like to participate in lessons related to my field branch (60%)
- 5. I think I will be successful in my field (54%)

TOP 10 personal statements

- 6. This field is suitable for me to meet my family and social needs (54%)
- 7. I have an opportunity to advance my career due to the career steps in this field (49%)
- 8. Our lessons are suitable for the specifications required by our field (49%)
- 9. If I had a chance, I would choose the same field (48%)
- 10. My field is suitable for my personal characteristics (46%)

THANK YOU!

