Question for written answer E-005563/2020 to the Council
Rule 138

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Subject: Promoting a European dimension of teaching

On 22 May 2018, the Council adopted an important recommendation on promoting common values, inclusive education, and the European dimension of teaching.

This Recommendation stipulates that Member States should promote a European dimension of teaching by encouraging, inter alia: (a) an understanding of the European context and common heritage and values and an awareness of the unity and diversity, social, cultural and historical, of the Union and the Member States of the Union; (b) an understanding of the origins, values and functioning of the Union.

Is the Council aware of how many Member States have included, as part of their curricula in secondary education, a specific subject aimed at improving students' awareness of the background, objectives and functioning of the EU institutions or have otherwise strengthened their curricula in order to promote the European dimension of teaching, in accordance with that recommendation?