| ICT (Key Activity 3) |
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| **Networks** |
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*[ICT 2]*

*Within the priorities set in the general call for proposals, the following information can be used*

| **Objectives and description of the action** |
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| The **ICT Networks** support the building of partnerships and the networking of learning communities with a view to exchanging ideas and experiences related to ICT for learning. Networks should support knowledge sharing, they should increase the visibility and awareness of the benefits and impacts of ICT for learning, and contribute to its uptake and efficient use.<br><br>Proposals should contain a detailed plan of activities. Such activities might also include the organisation of conferences, workshops, fora, summer universities, etc. designed to help attain the objectives of the network and disseminate results. |
| **Who can benefit** |
| • Resource centres or other organisations with expertise in the field of ICT in education and/or open and distance learning (this may also include guidance or consultancy services, multimedia libraries, research centres, etc.)<br>• All types of educational institutions and providers, in any sector of education<br>• Distance education institutions (including open universities)<br>• Teacher training institutions<br>• Associations of teachers or learners<br>• Research teams working in the field of ICT in education<br>• Academic/educational associations or consortia at the national or European level<br>• Organisations/institutions involved in educational innovation<br>• Public and private publishers/producers/broadcasters and other actors in the field of ICT<br><br>Within the priorities announced in the general call for proposals, the following types of activities may be supported by networks:<br><br>• Reinforcing the links between ICT, creativity and innovation skills<br>• Addressing transversal issues for linking up and connecting learning communities through ICT in an innovative way |

| **Who can apply** | Co-ordinating organisation on behalf of the consortium |
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| **Selection Procedure** | COM | **Management of selected projects** | Executive Agency |
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| **Minimal size of the consortium** | Please refer to EAC Executive Agency website |
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| **Participating countries** | Please refer to Part II - section 3.1 of the Lifelong Learning 2008-2010 General Call for Proposals |
| **Duration , methods of funding, level of funding** | Please refer to EAC Executive Agency website |
| **Funded activities** | Please refer to Part II – section 7 of the Lifelong Learning 2008-2010 General Call for Proposals |
| **Political priorities for this action** | Please refer to Part I of the Lifelong Learning 2008-2010 General Call for Proposals |

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