



YOUTH EMPOWERMENT PROGRAM



Since 1982

In collaboration with the Ministry of Education, Youth and Sport (MoYES), this project aims to support secondary school students and members of Community Based Organizations (CBOs) located in villages in rural areas, to improve their job prospects and help them become supportive actors for education and social development of their community.



LIBRARY AND VOCATIONAL ORIENTATION CORNER

Since 2019, Sipar has initiated to set up the Library and Vocational Orientation Corner in secondary schools. Students have access to an equipped library with printed and digital documents to prepare their career orientation.

Three main missions are being implemented:

- Implementing Libraries and Vocational Orientation Corners in 15 secondary schools
- Organizing career forums with companies, universities and training centers
- Training MoYES officials, teachers and librarians on the management of digitalized libraries

YOUTH CIVIC ENGAGEMENT FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Members of Community Based Organizations (CBOs) are running mobile book lending services in their own communities, which is referred to as "Backpack Libraries", holding tutoring sessions for primary school students with learning difficulties as well as awareness campaigns on various themes for local residents.

As part of the project, the CBOs network will be extended to eight new municipalities. All CBOs will soon be equipped with a Nomad Lab for the development of digital skills and support for digital learning.



3 Libraries and Vocational Orientation Corners equipped with Nomad lab

19 CBO



79 Backpack libraries



50 Little teachers

733 pupils attending tutoring

33 micro-libraries in the villages



11 AWARENESS campaigns with **574** participants each year