



THE **GENERAL OBJECTIVE** OF **PLAYING** IS TO INCREASE QUALITY IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION AND CARE THROUGH THE DEVELOPMENT OF NEW KNOWLEDGE ON TEACHING APPROACHES BASED ON THE ROLE OF PLAY.

----- **SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES** -----

TO STRENGTHEN THE SKILLS OF PRE-SCHOOL TEACHERS THROUGH INNOVATIVE PLAY-BASED LEARNING METHODOLOGY.

TO IMPROVE THE QUALITY OF PRESCHOOL SERVICES INTRODUCING TRANSNATIONAL PEER REVIEW- BASED PROCESSES IN RELATION TO LEARNING METHODS.



THE PROJECT WILL BRING TO THE PRODUCTION OF THREE INTELLECTUAL OUTPUTS:

- 1** A mapping analysis offering an overview on the topic of the project, determining the existing needs and the gaps in methodologies and knowledge related to play-based learning.
- 2** A training methodology: a teaching method that comprises the principles and methods used by preschool teachers to enable children learning through play.
- 3** A peer review toolkit: a tool to evaluate all preschool services on the correct implementation of play based learning methodologies in play activities.