LanCook















The European Digital Kitchen





Learning Languages, Cultures and Cuisines in Digital Interactive kitchens

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LanCook: The European Digital Kitchen

Promoting European language learning, mobility and collaboration through cooking and technology!

Beginning in December 2011, LanCook involved the creation of language learning materials which integrate the next generation of innovative approaches to technology in language learning, namely the use of digital sensor technology using a task-based approach to promote a genuinely situated language learning experience of a real-world activity.

Our Project Outcomes:

High quality trialled (with more than 300 learners) and tested task-based language learning materials for learners to cook dishes linked to 7 European cultures and cuisines: Catalan, English, Finnish, French, German, Italian and Spanish.

Materials which link to the Common European Framework of Reference for Language levels A, B and C

An easily accessible 'authoring tool' which enables users to create further materials for a whole range of teaching learning contexts

A transferable model of task-based, situated learning which can be applied to many different technological settings and many different skill and knowledge sets, not just to language learning

"LanCook enhances the way that language learning can be designed, delivered and supported"



"Extremely innovative and relevant both to research, teaching and training"

What next?

A book about the project
Further EU-supported projects
Korean and Chinese materials
Smartphone app



