

# **Network JuniorVoting**

## **– European Election 2009 –**



# Topics

- .....⇒ JuniorVoting – idea
- .....⇒ JuniorVoting – project
- .....⇒ JuniorVoting – network

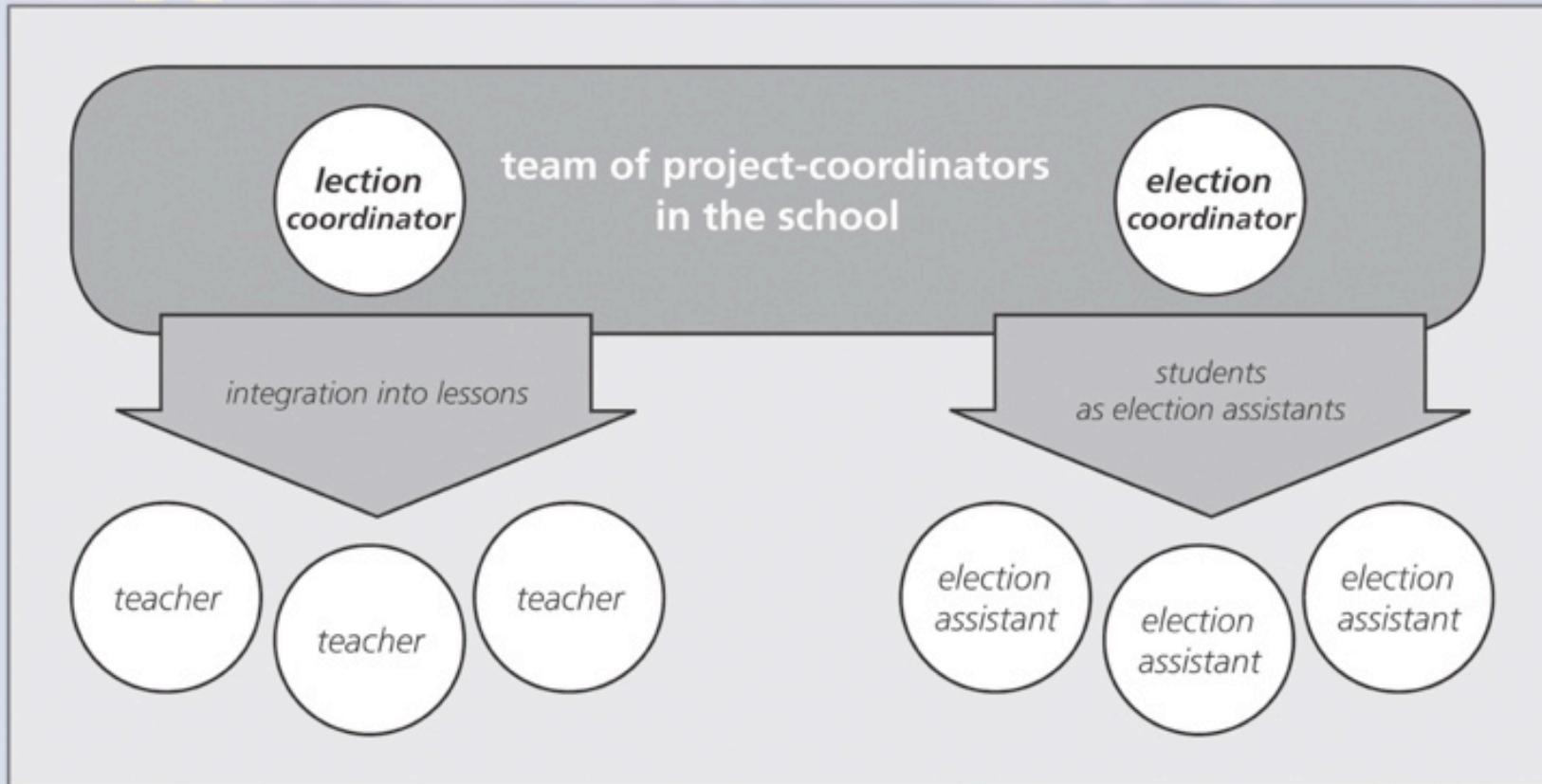
# JuniorVoting – core elements



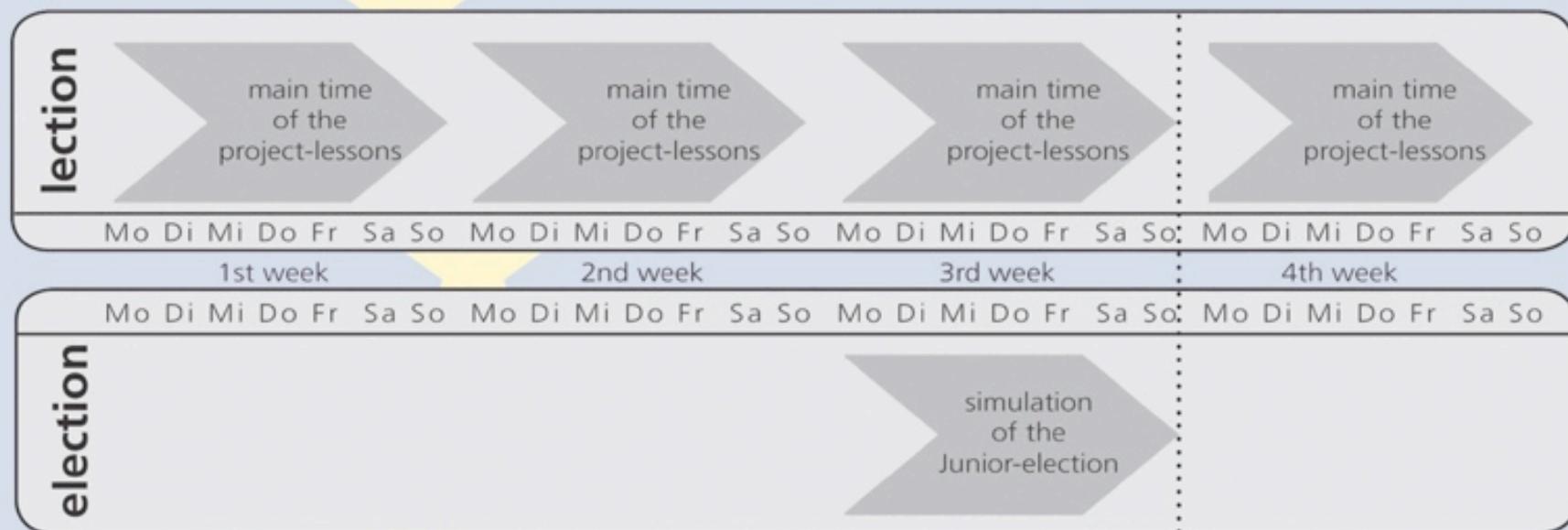
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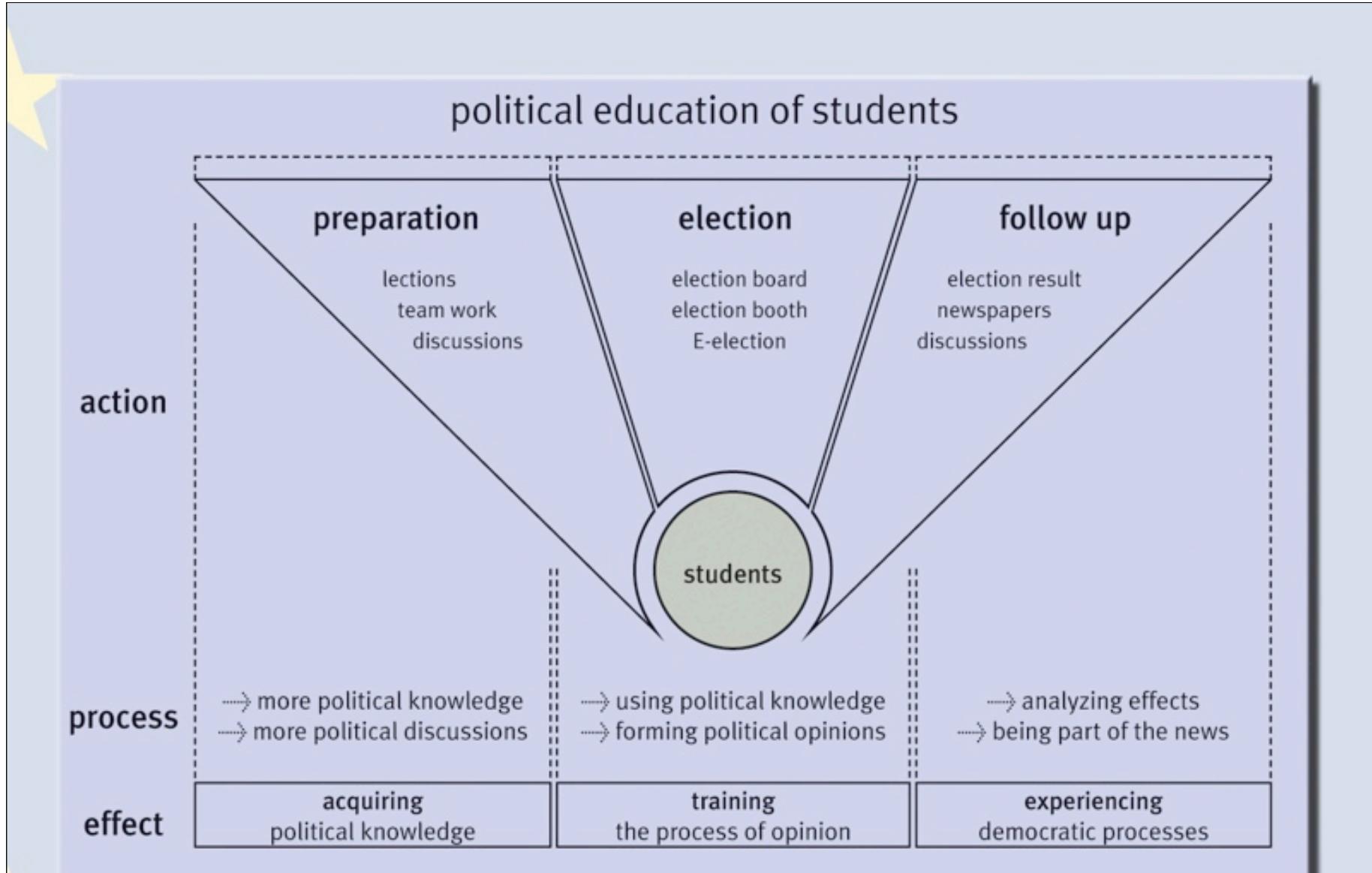
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# school as basic unit



# timeflow

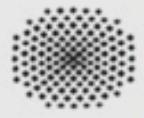




# scientific feedback

- 80 percent of participants for repeating
- reducing percentage of undecided from 22% down to 7 %
- number of students reading the newspaper being doubled
- trickle up to parents: voter turnout increases on average by 4%
  - in some cases even up to 9%

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# Juniorwahl in Germany

... since 1999; more than 1.000 schools; more than 400.000 students

- Juniorwahl 1999 parallel zur Berliner Abgeordnetenhauswahl
- Juniorwahl 2000 parallel zur Landtagswahl in Nordrhein-Westfalen
- Juniorwahl 2001 parallel zur Landtagswahl in Baden-Württemberg
- Juniorwahl 2001 parallel zur Berliner Abgeordnetenhauswahl
- Juniorwahl 2002 parallel zur Bundestagswahl 2002
- Juniorwahl 2003 parallel zur Landtagswahl in Hessen
- Juniorwahl 2003 parallel zur Bremischen Bürgerschaft
- Juniorwahl 2004 parallel zur Europawahl
- Juniorwahl 2004 parallel zur Thüringer Landtagswahl
- JuniorVoting 2004 parallel zur Europawahl in Polen
- Juniorwahl 2004 parallel zur Landtagswahl in Brandenburg



- Juniorwahl 2005 parallel zur Landtagswahl in Schleswig-Holstein
- Juniorwahl 2005 parallel zur Landtagswahl in Nordrhein-Westfalen
- Juniorwahl 2005 parallel zur Bundestagswahl 2005
- Juniorwahl 2006 parallel zur Landtagswahl in Rheinland-Pfalz
- Juniorwahl 2006 parallel zur Landtagswahl in Sachsen-Anhalt
- Juniorwahl 2006 parallel zur Landtagswahl in Mecklenburg-Vorpommern
- Juniorwahl 2006 parallel zur Berliner Abgeordnetenhauswahl
- Juniorwahl 2007 parallel zur Bremer Bürgerschaftswahl
- Juniorwahl 2008 parallel zur Landtagswahl in Niedersachsen
- Juniorwahl 2008 parallel zur Landtagswahl in Hessen
- Juniorwahl 2008 parallel zur Hamburger Bürgerschaftswahl



# JuniorVoting – network

why creating an European network: 2 aims

.....→ **connect existing initiatives**

.....→ Student elections f.e. in

.....→ Netherlands

.....→ Poland

.....→ Finland

.....→ Germany

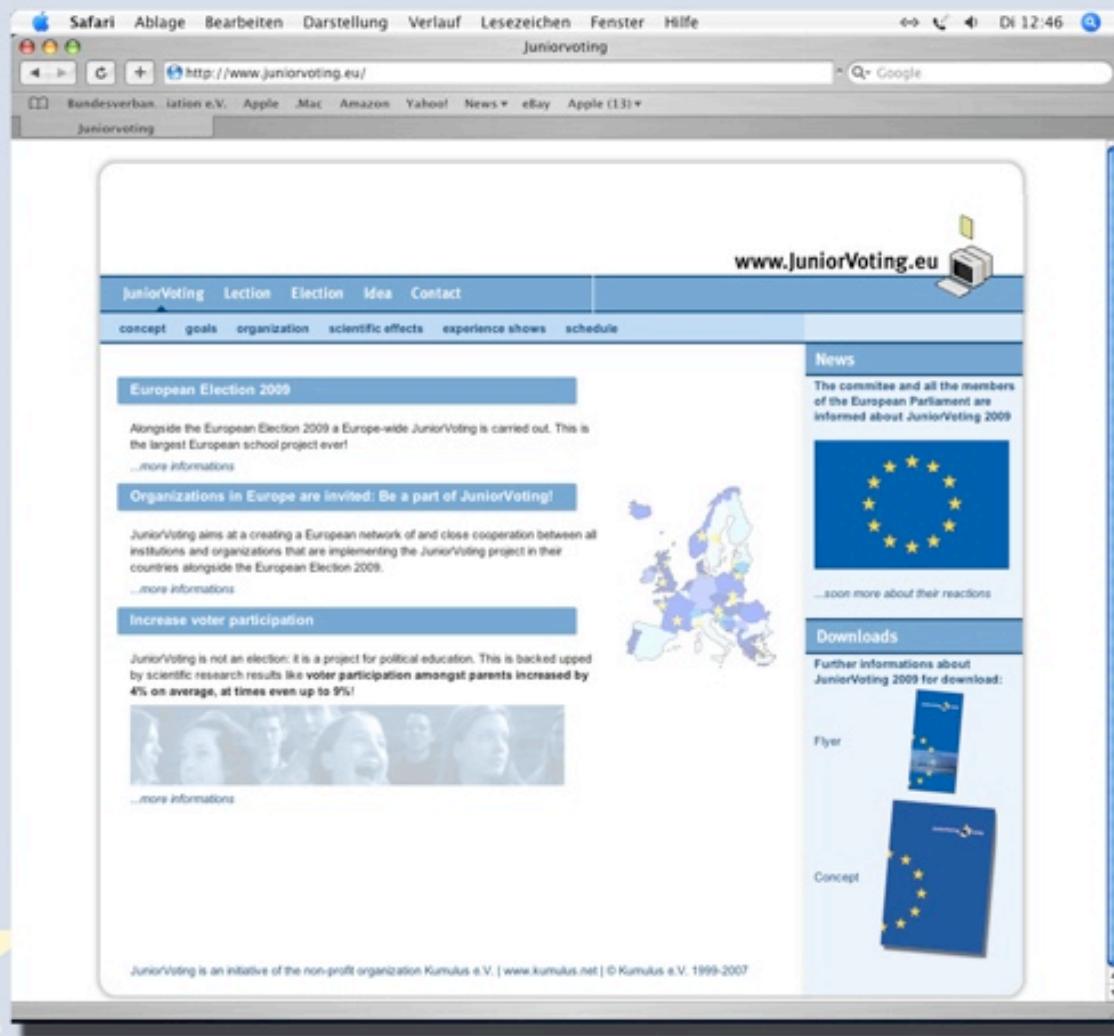
.....→ **encourage others to join/start**

.....→ Learn from best-practice!

.....→ Think big, start small!

.....→ Be part of JuniorVoting!

→ idea, concept and contact:  
[www.juniorvoting.eu](http://www.juniorvoting.eu)



The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL <http://www.juniorvoting.eu/> in the address bar. The page content is as follows:

- Header:** www.JuniorVoting.eu (with a computer icon) and a navigation menu with links: JuniorVoting, Lecion, Election, Idea, Contact.
- Sub-navigation:** concept, goals, organization, scientific effects, experience shows, schedule.
- European Election 2009:** A section about the European election, stating it's the largest European school project ever. It includes a link to "more informations".
- Organizations in Europe are invited:** A section encouraging organizations to participate, mentioning the aim of creating a European network. It includes a link to "more informations".
- Increase voter participation:** A section about the project's impact on voter participation, noting a 4% increase on average. It includes a link to "more informations".
- News:** A section titled "News" with the subtext: "The committee and all the members of the European Parliament are informed about JuniorVoting 2009". It features a thumbnail of the European Union flag and a link to "...soon more about their reactions".
- Downloads:** A section titled "Downloads" with the subtext: "Further informations about JuniorVoting 2009 for download:". It shows thumbnails for "Flyer" and "Concept", both featuring the European Union flag design.

At the bottom of the page, there is a footer note: "JuniorVoting is an initiative of the non-profit organization Kumulus e.V. | [www.kumulus.net](http://www.kumulus.net) | © Kumulus e.V. 1999-2007".