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# **LITERACY TEACHERS IN SLOVENIA**

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## **Basic mission: to foster the development of a culture of LLL in Slovenia and AE as its component**

Founded by Government of R Slovenia in 1991

Work on development of:

- the system of AE
- Information system
- Counselling
- Network of adult educators
- Programming and organisation of AE
- Standards and norms



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## **3 milestones of adult literacy education :**

**1991** First national adult literacy scheme

**2000** IALS results

**2003** National strategy for raising literacy levels  
of adults



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# **2000      First national adult literacy survey (IALS)**

**“a cultural shock”**

**more than 70% of adults on the lowest  
literacy levels**



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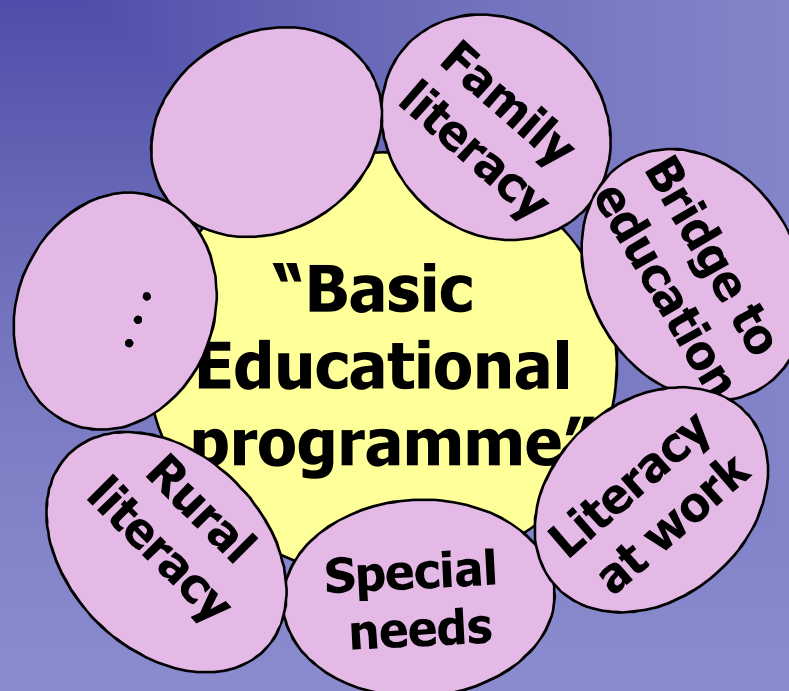
## **SIAE recent work on literacy:**

- New national literacy scheme (2002)
  - **new literacy programmes (unemployed, family literacy)**
  - **new programmes to be developed (workplace literacy, rural areas, special needs)**
  - **training of teachers as a part of continuous training**
  - **raising public awareness on AL issues**
  - **dissemination of examples of good practice**



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## The blossom of Educational Programmes for Literacy Teachers





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## Literacy Teachers

- Continuing education for licensed teachers
- Well equipped with knowledge and skills
- 118 hrs long Educational Programme
- Modern approach (project work, stage camera debut, on-going assessment, team work,...)
- Conditions – to entry progress, and complete



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## **The content of educational programme for Literacy teachers – expectation related to Train**

- **Understanding adult literacy**
- **Methods of effective literacy teaching**
- **Understanding literacy provision**