

#### L'alpha au-delà de nos frontières

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#### Stichting Lezen en Schrijven. Pays-Bas



#### Jarre Middeljans, spokesman and public affairs at the Stichting Lezen en Schrijven

### Roadmap

Low Literacy in the Netherlands

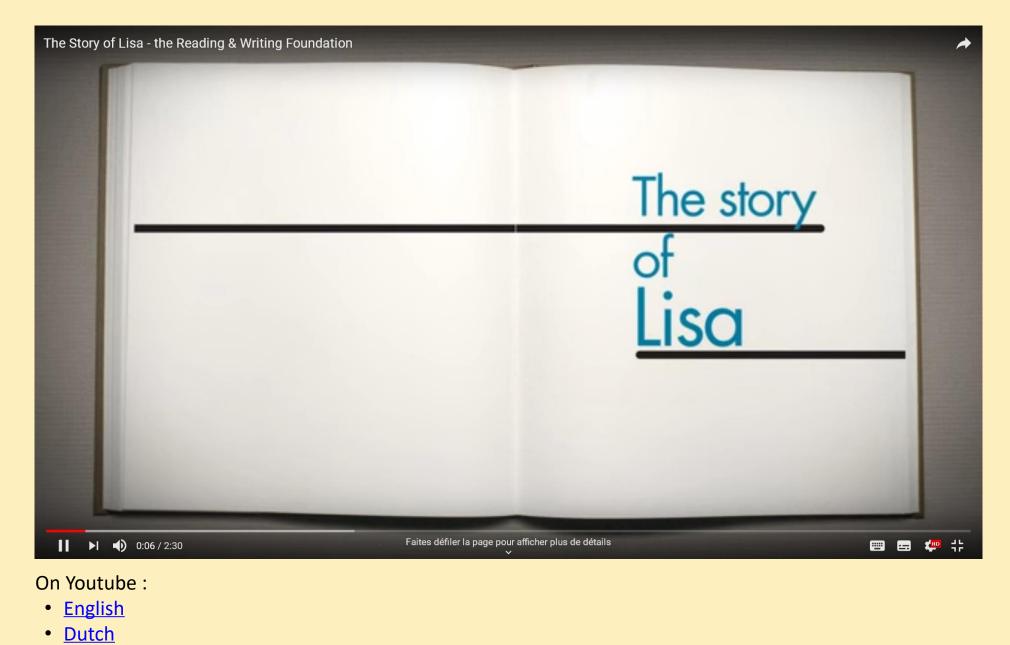
The Dutch Reading and Writing Foundation

**Count on Skills** 

Covid-19 & Tackling Low Literacy

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#### Video "The story of Lisa"



### Low Literacy in the Netherlands

"Someone is low literate if he or she is having difficulties with reading, writing, numeracy or digital skills."

To function and participate in society, to achieve his or her own goals and to develop his or her own knowledge and abilities.

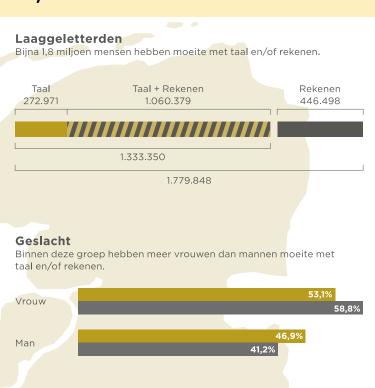
#### 2,5 million people are low literate:

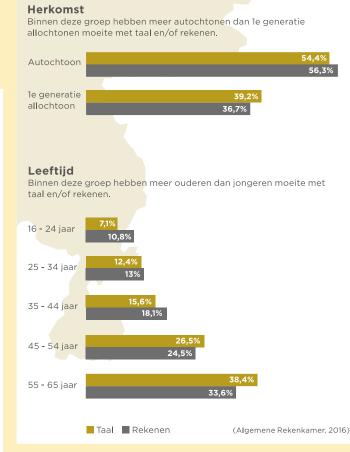
- difficulties with reading
- difficulties with writing
- difficulties with reading and numeracy
- difficulties with digital skills.



Source: Numbers based on 1.3 million 16 to 65 year olds and for hospital and doctor's visits plus 600,000 seniors having difficulties with language and calculation (PWC, 2017).

Survey about the cost of low literacy





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#### "Making a society in which everyone can participate"

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## Mission

**Preventing low literacy** 

**Reducing low literacy** 

Accessible services

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## Approach

Awareness and Activation

**Advice and Action** 

Knowledge Development

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## **Main Focus Areas**

• Count on Skills (Tel mee Taal)

• Approach to tackling low literacy in municipalities

Literacy screeners and course material

National Centre for basic skills

• Reading and Writing week

# **Count on Skills**

#### A joint initiative of four Dutch ministries:

- Education, Culture and Science
- Social Affairs and Employment
- Internal Affairs
- Public Health, Welfare and Sport

Alongside various national and other partners, the action program is set to run until the end of 2024.



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Campaigns and role models

> Smarter screening: supporting innovation

Regional deals &Regional action plans

Strengthening workplace-based learning

Responsive quality standards; Certification of skills hubs



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Setting up a national Centre for basic skills

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## Goals Count on Skills 2020 - 2024



More people take a course, especially people born and raised in The Netherlands

Consistently high quality learning with measurable effects

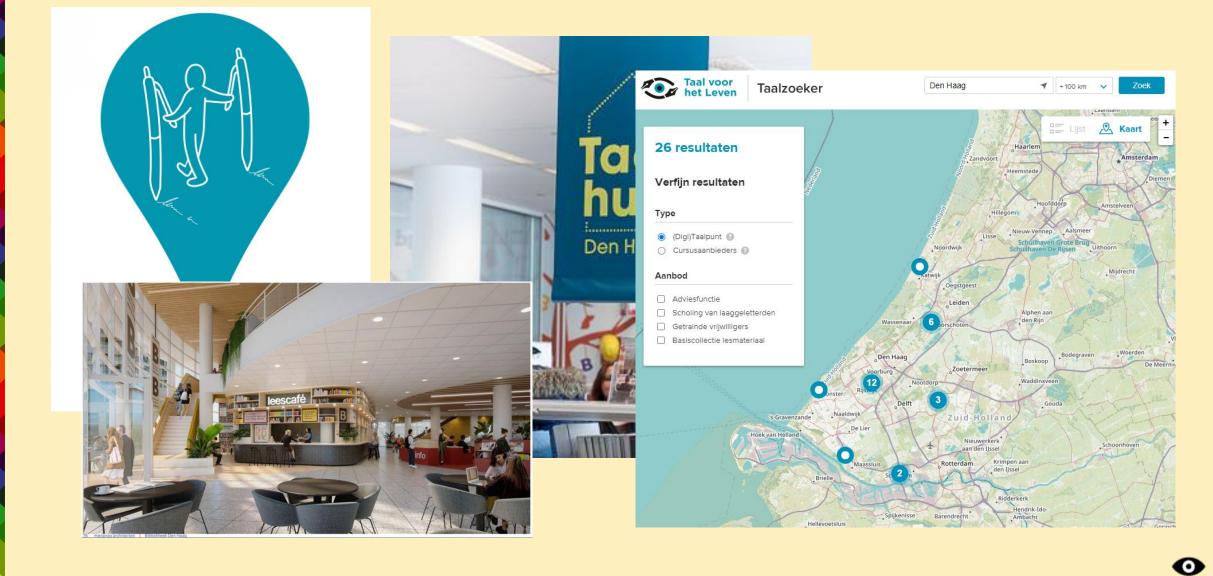
A joint effort: all municipalities participate as linking pins in strong networks of civil organizations and employers "We work for a better skilled society, in which everyone has sufficient literacy, numeracy and digital skills to fully participate in our society."

"We invest in basic skills and ensure that our children grow up in conditions that stimulate the development of these skills to the fullest."

### Approach to tackling low literacy in municipalities



## **Literacy Hubs**



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## **National Centre for basic skills**



## Literacy screener and course material



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## **Reading and Writing week**



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## **COVID-19 & Tackling low literacy**

Life Long Learning

Going digital

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#### Thanks for your attention.

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