

Project Name	Construction of a Shelter at Nadiya Primary School, Ukraine
Start – End	January 2026 – December 2026
Project Value	265.020,00 EUR
Slovenian Funding	233.220,00 EUR
Recipient Country/ Donation Recipient	Ukraine/Kharkiv Regional Development Agency
Project Contractor	The project contractor has not yet been selected.
CRS CODE	CRS CODE 72010
Project Description	The war in Ukraine is severely affecting the education system, limiting children's safe access to education and opportunities for socialisation and development, particularly for preschool and primary school children. PISOCHYN settlement in Kharkiv Oblast, with a population of approximately 5,000, lacks adequately equipped shelters. Providing safe spaces for children, school staff and the local population is therefore especially important. The project will enable the conversion of the basement premises of Nadiya Primary School into a safe and functional shelter. Under normal conditions, it will be used for educational activities, while in the event of danger it will be able to accommodate up to 800 people from the surrounding area. Construction works will include reinforcing the walls and ceiling, installing reinforced doors, carrying out excavation works to increase the internal height, installing sound-insulated partition walls, and upgrading the electrical, water supply, ventilation and filtration systems. A lift will be installed to provide access for persons with reduced mobility, while a solar power system with an 18 kW battery storage unit will improve the facility's energy independence. The project will thus provide a safer and more inclusive learning environment, enable more continuous access to education even during emergencies, and increase the safety and resilience of the local community.
Project Phase	The project is being implemented.