

## **Slovenian School Museum and digitized sources for the history of education in Slovenia: Archival and printed sources available at Sistory and dLIB**

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Digitization of materials on education enables greater and easier access to information, while the original archival and library material kept by the Slovenian School Museum, as well as other institutions, remains well preserved despite its use. In order to increase transparency and better use of materials, the Slovenian School Museum specifically drew attention on its website at the end of 2016 to **digitized sources for the history of education**. <http://www.ssolski-muzej.si/slo/news.php?item=369>

The paper presents digitized sources for the history of education accessible at the end of 2018 and related to the activity and materials of the museum, which can be found on the museum's website, on the internal preservation of digitized material in the museum, on the web portal of the Institute of Contemporary History (<http://www.sistory.si>) and on the web portal of the National and University Library (<http://www.dlib.si/>)

First we present the **portal Sistory.si**, where we can find textbooks for history lessons, a comprehensive collection of school gazettes with information about Slovenian places and schools, mainly from around 1930 (School gazettes, statistical sources of education in archive collection of Slovenian School Museum: statistical overview named Zbirka šolskih listov/Collection of school census: <http://www.sistory.si/11686/menu648>) and printed handbooks on education. This topic was set up in cooperation between the Slovenian School Museum and the Institute of Contemporary History, which complements the digital collection. These are school chronicles, teacher calendars, etc. and similar printed reviews of schools and teachers in a particular year, especially between 1868 and 1968. The handbooks in the area of education comprise various printed publications of the registers and data of school authorities, schools and teachers in selected provinces, in all Slovene provinces of the Habsburg Monarchy and in the Yugoslav part of Slovenia. On the web portal Sistory.si we can find them under Sources - Printed sources - Handbooks – Handbooks on education, <http://www.sistory.si/11686/menu100>

In addition, the article presents the **digital project "Walking along the Cultural Heritage Path of Education in Ljubljana"**, which was realized 2003 - 2005 with funds from Municipality of Ljubljana and presents the sources for the history of particular schools in the city. <http://www.ssolski-muzej.si/sprehod/>

The paper also highlights the digitally accessible school and youth press. Numerous school (teaching) and youth periodicals are being kept in the Slovenian School Museum's library. In 1999, the museum prepared an exhibition "What are the Slovenian teacher and student reading" and previously a bibliography where Slovenian pedagogical journals are presented which are also accessible on the **web portal dLIB** <http://www.dlib.si>. The list of digitized materials on the history of education in Slovenia is increasing every day, since individual schools and universities are publishing their research on the history of education.