

Article – Coming up: budget 2021, Covid-19 measures, Gender Equality Week



Covid-19, rule of law and recovery

On Tuesday, the [civil liberties committee](#) will assess the impact emergency measures to tackle Covid-19 have had on [fundamental rights and the rule of law](#).

The following day, Parliament's budgets and economic affairs committees will vote to strengthen the InvestEU programme. This fund for 2021-2027 aims to ensure private investment for medium- and long-term priorities such as the digital transition and the [Green Deal](#) but needs to be reinforced to cope with the economic impact of Covid-19.

EU budget

The [budgets committee](#) will vote on Wednesday on Parliament's priorities for the 2021 budget. Parliament has already said it wants more funding for young people, researchers, health workers, entrepreneurs, transport infrastructure and security.

Right to repair

In an effort to promote a culture of reuse, Parliament's [consumer protection committee](#) is expected to call on Monday for a “right to repair” for consumers. MEPs want to facilitate systematic and affordable repairs, encourage repair over replacement, and create a more sustainable single market for consumers and businesses.