

TOGETHER AGAINST HATE

METHODS FOR YOUTH WORK TO COMBAT
DISCRIMINATION & EXCLUSION

YOUTHWORKER EXCHANGE

BERLIN 2024, October 05.-14. 2024



ABOUT THE PROJECT

OVERROLL GOAL

- Exchange of best practices to promote an inclusive, respectful and interculturally sensitive learning environment.
- To enable educators from different countries to actively recognize hate speech, discrimination and exclusion in everyday pedagogical life and to counteract it safely and effectively through sensitization, preventive measures and constructive interventions.

OBJECTIVES

- Understanding mechanisms of Hate speech, discrimination and exclusion
- Exchange on different prejudices and forms of these phenomena in different cultural contexts
- Strengthening of intervention skills
- Promoting inclusion and respect for diversity and diversity, in youthwork and in other social contexts
- Exchange best practices and experiences from respective countries and exploring non-formal learning tools and methods
- Support for self-reflection and long-term, sustainable character development
- Ability to design methods and workshops for the prevention of hate speech and discrimination
- Strengthening of digital competences and media literacy
- Supporting long-term partnerships and future collaborations to develop policy recommendations



TOPICS OF THE WEEK

05.10	<i>Arrival day between 4-8pm</i>
06.10.	<i>Teambuilding and Introduction to the Project</i>
07.10.	<i>Understanding Hate speech, discrimination, racism & Prejudices and phenomena in the respective partner countries</i>
08.10.	<i>Exploring Methods in youtwork</i>
09.10.	<i>Exploring Methods in youtwork</i>
10.10.	<i>Planning own activities</i>
11.10.	<i>Discover and experience Berlin</i>
12.10.	<i>Countering hate speech in practice & Inclusive education - Implementation of own activities</i>
13.10.	<i>Evaluation & Community Engagement & Empowerment</i>
14.10.	<i>Departure day</i>

The timetable is provisional and subject to any adjustments, that may be necessary at short notice!!



DAILY STRUCTURE

8:00 - 9:00	Wake Up & Breakfast
09:30 - 11:00	Session 1
11:00 - 11:30	Coffee -Break
11:30 -13:00	Session 2
13:00 - 15:00	Lunch & Break
15:00 - 16:30	Session 3
16:30 - 17:00	Coffee -Break
17:00 - 17:30	Reflection groups
19:30	Dinner
...	Social Evenings & Multicultural Activity



WHO CAN PARTICIPATE

To participate in this project, you must:



Be 18+ years old



Be employed, trained or interested in youth work



Reside in one of the partner countries



Be able to speak and understand English at a conversational level



Be interested in the project topics and motivated to actively participate throughout the entire project!



Schedule other appointments (work/study, etc.) outside of program times

1 PREPARATION
MEETING ONLINE,
(PLANNING
CONTRIBUTIONS)

PROJECT WEEK
05.-14.10.24
GERMANY

EVALUATION AND
DISSEMINATION OF
RESULTS
(SHARE YOUR
EXPERIENCE ONLINE)



Erasmus+

Enriching lives, opening minds.



- Berlin is a multicultural city where people from many different nations and cultures live together
- A quarter of Berlin's population and every third child have a migration background
- They come from almost 190 nations and ensure a great plurality of cultures. They play a key role in shaping the city's distinctive and cosmopolitan character.
- The largest foreign community in Berlin is the Turkish one, which comprises more than 100,000 people
- More than 250 religious communities make Berlin a city of religious diversity.
- Berlin became a city of immigration earlier than other parts of the Federal Republic and has been leading the naturalization statistics for years
- Ethnic and cultural diversity means enrichment, but at the same time requires competence and places new demands on society.



ORGANISER & VENUE



We are a recognised child and youth welfare organisation and work with experiential and nature education methods. We offer various educational programmes ranging from one-day team trainings to project trips lasting several days and year-long group support.

The project week will take place in our **youth center**, located in a forest area 45 minutes from the Berlin city center in Grunewald, one of the biggest forest areas in Berlin. Our grounds offer a variety of possibilities for our training.

There is a beautiful lake only 5 minutes away by foot where you can go for a walk or a run if you don't mind sharing it with some dogs or it's owners.



ACCOMMODATION & FOOD

Sleeping accommodations

We can offer you 3 dormitories with bunk beds (54 beds in total) Be prepared for sleeping in in a simple large shared room. We have also 3 rooms for trainers/facilitators (9 beds in total)



Food

You will be fully catered for during the week. In the evenings, the national groups are responsible for preparing a typical meal from their country for the group. We have a large kitchen available for this purpose.

Seminar centre

We have a large function room with a theatre stage, which is both our working centre and our dining room.



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In addition, we have a beautiful yurt at our disposal for cosy sessions and evenings.



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Abenteuer Abenteuerzentrum

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FUNDING CONDITIONS



The project is supported by Youth for Europe, the German National Agency for the ERASMUS+ youth programme of the European Union.



We will not charge any participation fee.



All costs for the program, materials, accommodation and meals during the exchange are covered.



You have to pay in advance for traveling. The participation fee will be offset against the reimbursement of travel expenses.



Reimbursements of travel costs can only be done upon full attendance of the training course and if you are not travel more than two days before and after the project.



Your travel costs will be reimbursed up to the limit, if you spend less you will get what you spent.



Reimbursement will be done in EURO, regardless of the currency indicated on your ticket and invoice in maximum 2 months after the project.



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HOW TO PLAN YOUR TRAVEL



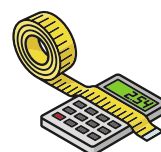
Please choose the **most economical/cheap way of transportation (2nd class trains, plains)**. Only public transportation can be reimbursed (**no taxis**).



Please plan your travel **from your place of origin to the venue** of the activity in Berlin and return **according to the travel limit shown in the table below**.



You can calculate the distance using the **Erasmus+ distance calculator**:



No flights are allowed when **travelling green!**
You have two additional travel days for this!



Please organise your travel to fit in these times!
It is stressful for our team to organise early and latecomers!



Arrival time: Oct., 05 between 4 - 8 PM

Departure time: Oct., 14 until 10 AM



Please **let us know about your travel plans** in advance!
Please notice also our hints for **travel insurance!**

distance	green travel	no green travel
10-99 km	mandatory 56,- €	-
100-499 km	mandatory 285,- €	-
500 – 1999 km	417 EUR	309 EUR
2000 – 2999 km	535 EUR	395 EUR
3000 – 3999 km	785 EUR	580 EUR

HOW TO GET TO THE VENUE

Airport BER

Take the train to Zoologischer Garten and then **bus X10** (direction Teltow Stadt). Take this **bus to the Roseneck/Teplitzer Straße**. You are almost there, just follow the map (12 min walk).

Central station

Take the **S5 or S7** (direction Spandau or Potsdam) to **Zoologischer Garten** and then take **bus X10** (direction Teltow Stadt). Take this bus **to the Roseneck/Teplitzer Straße**. You are almost there, just follow the map (12 min walk).

ZOB - Central Bus Station

Take **bus 104** (direction Zoologischer Garten) to the **stop Halensee**. Then cross the street to take **bus X10** (direction Teltow Stadt). Take this bus **to the Roseneck/Teplitzer Straße**. You are almost there, just follow the map (12 min walk).

Tip:

Route planner app is the application for everyone, who are traveling in Berlin



TRAVEL & HEALTH INSURANCE



Every participant must bring their **European Insurance Card** or must have an **substitute**. It is a mandatory requirement for all participants to provide their own health and travel insurance.



Please arrange to have **travel insurance** - if you have to cancel your trip for a covered reason or there are some other circumstances for booking a new flight a trip insurance can save your investment, it can also protect you against lost luggage, flight cancelations.



Insurance is not applicable for reimbursement!

VISA REQUIREMENTS



Participants from Turkey need a visa to enter Germany



The cost of the visa cannot be reimbursed!



Detailed information is available on the website of the Turkish Ministry of Foreign Affairs:

<https://www.mfa.gov.tr/visa-information-for-foreigners.en.mfa>

PREPARATION

PLEASE PREPARE IN NATIONAL TEAMS BEFORE YOUR TRAVEL:



Some **traditional food/games/stories** to share in the international evening presentations. The way the evening will look is totally up to your national team, you can be as creative as you like!



A **short presentation** about typical prejudices and current circumstances about the fight against discrimination and exclusion in your country & legal frameworks in this regard.



Skills / games / nonformal methods you would like to share with the other participants, to educate and empower youth - the more everybody contributes, the more fun and versatile the week will be

WHAT YOU NEED

- Towels
- Be prepared to use your suitcase/bag as your wardrobe
- Robust indoor shoes/slippers
- Outdoor clothes and shoes for outdoor activities
- Notebook/ Diary



CONTACTS

Contact Information of the Coordinating Organisation

You can contact the project coordinator of the project **Steffi Pardella** of Fahrten Ferne Abenteuer – Abenteuerzentrum Berlin for all questions and concerns regarding the organisation and management of the project.

She also leads the team of trainers. She is a freelance trainer in adult, outdoor and adventure education and in the field of de-escalation and racism prevention and has many years of experience in non-formal education with children, young people and adults, in particular in conducting social skills and communication training, personality development and the further training of youth workers and trainers.



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YOU ARE INTERESTED ?

You can apply here:

