

International Youth Exchange

Nombre del proyecto / Name of the project: Natural.

Tipo / Type of project: "Erasmus+" and is **ALREADY APPROVED**.

Lugar / Venue: Las Palmas de Gran Canaria, Gran Canaria¹ island, Spain.

Ejecución del proyecto / Organizer of the event: Bananas diving club.

Socios / Countries involved: Italy, Sweden, Portugal and Spain.

Participantes / Participants: 10 jóvenes (youngsters) + 1 líder (leader) por país (per country)².

Edad de los participantes / Age bracket of participants: between 15 and 19 years old³. Los líderes no tienen límite de edad (Leaders has no age limit).

Dates of the activities⁴:

October 21st: Arrival day.

October 22nd: First day of activities.

October 28th: Last day of activities.

October 29th: Departure day.

APV / VPP⁵:

Approved for one participant and one leader⁶.

September 25th: Arrival day.

September 26th: First day of APV.

September 27th: Last day of APV.

September 28th: Departure day.

Travel expenses⁷:

Italy: 270€ Sweden: 400€ Portugal: 170€

Resumen / Abstract:

Este proyecto propone un conjunto de actividades para generar oportunidades entre jóvenes de diferentes países pero que comparten cosas en común: estrecheces económicas y residir en lugares aislados que provocan dificultad en el acceso a oportunidades. Queremos que todas y todos los jóvenes disfrutemos, en igualdad de condiciones de la naturaleza.

¹ Airport code: LPA. Do not forget it is your business to get to the hostel. We can help you with the logistics, anyway. :-)

² If your organisation cannot provide all participants, let us know ASAP.

³ If age bracket is not respected, we cannot give warranties of participation on the event and payment of travel expenses.

⁴ Not confirmed, pending of hostel approval.

⁵ Advance Preparatory Visit / Visita de Preparación Previa.

⁶ Is mandatory that these 2 persons participate during the week of activities. Any change could mean losing of hostel and travel expenses for partner.

⁷ This is the maximum amount we can reimburse to each participant. If your ticket is cheaper, we can reimburse 100% of its cost, but no more. Do not forget that transport from your house to airport and from destination airport to the hostel has to be included in this chapter and arranged on your own. DO NOT BUY TICKETS YET. WE WILL LET YOU KNOW WHEN AND HOW.

Este intercambio lo vamos a desarrollar en Las Palmas de Gran Canaria en la mayoría de escenarios, pero también en otros municipios de la isla (Tejeda y Artenara del centro, Agüimes del sureste) durante 7 días junto a socios de Suecia, Italia y Portugal con un total de 48 participantes jóvenes.

Los temas principales del proyecto son:

- Ciudadanía Europea y
- Medio ambiente y cambio climático.

El objetivo general de este proyecto es promover y empoderar a jóvenes que tenemos dificultades de acceso a oportunidades por diversas razones mediante la realización de actividades de sensibilización y conocimiento ambiental con una perspectiva europea, adquiriendo conocimientos y competencias de valor práctico en nuestras vidas.

Las actividades incluyen: Conocimiento de participantes, organizaciones y contextos sociales; Talleres prácticos; presentaciones y debates; Actividades en la naturaleza; Evaluaciones; conocimiento de Erasmus+, YouthPass.

A largo plazo este proyecto pretende marcar un antes y un después no solo en las sociedades locales implicadas, sino también en nuestras organizaciones y en cada uno y una de los participantes, gracias a un proceso de aprendizaje basado en métodos no formales e informales.

This project proposes a set of activities to generate opportunities for young people from different countries but share things in common: economic hardship and reside in isolated places that cause difficulty in accessing opportunities. We want each and every young enjoy , equal in nature.

This exchange we will develop in Las Palmas in most scenarios, but also in other municipalities of the island (Tejeda and Artenara center, Agüimes Southeast) for 7 days with partners from Sweden, Italy and Portugal A total of 48 young participants.

The main topics of the project are :

- European citizenship and
- Environment and climate change.

The overall objective of this project is to promote and empower young people have difficulties in accessing opportunities for economic , geographical reasons by conducting environmental awareness and knowledge.

Activities include : Knowledge of participants , organizations and social contexts ; Workshops ; presentations and debates; Outdoor activities ; evaluations; knowledge of Erasmus + , YOUTHPASS .

In the long term this project aims to mark a before and after not only involved in local societies but also in our organizations and in each one one of the participants , through a learning process based on non-formal and informal methods.

Compromise of partners: During this exchange, each partner has to implement next activities:

- 2 ice breaking games for the 1st day of activities.
- Presentation of the group/organisation.

- Presentation of each participant using a game or similar.
- 2 energyzers.
- National night including: National/regional music⁸, food⁹, drinks¹⁰, dances, presentation about traditions and facts.
- A 2 hours (max) workshop related to the topic of the project.
- All participants will participate in the organisation and arrangements of the exchange, including serving food, general cleaning up (dining room, dorms, toilettes), washing up dishes, etc. To do that there will be different teams (balanced in gender and nationality) for each day.
- This should be an itinerant experience. So the partners have to accept the fact of organizing the exchange on their countries before the end of 2016. During the exchange all foreign partners have to agree on the order of applications and deadlines to apply for.

You should know that...

Come prepared to respect safety instructions of promoter and do not forget: cap, flip-flop, your towel for shower and beach, swimsuit, shampoo, comfortable clothes and shoes, etc. National health service is excellent here, but just if you come with your updated European Health Card (we strongly recommend this if you don't want to pay health bills). The project will be covered with a Civil Responsibility insurance, as well. Have a photocopy of your important documents (ID card, passport, healthy card) and give to your leader or upload to the cloud. There are no lockers in the hostel, so come with safe luggage.

Contact: promotoradeiniciativas@gmail.com.

Deadline to confirm participation (meaning acceptance of these conditions): August 15th, 2015¹¹.

Important disclaimer:

All the information in this document is temporary, due to spanish NA delay. At the moment we do not have official confirmation of the acceptance of the project and the economical info. As soon we have it, we will let you know. We send you this info pack in order to arrange groups and check for flights.

⁸ Noise has to be avoided after 22:00.

⁹ There is microwave but no access to kitchen.

¹⁰ Alcoholic drinks and smoking are absolutely forbidden in the hostel. Breaking hostel rules could be prosecuted by the island government (owner of the hostel).

¹¹ After this deadline without answer from partner side will be understood as rejection to participation.