

CTL Eguaras

TUDELA DE NAVARRA

WHERE ARE WE FROM?



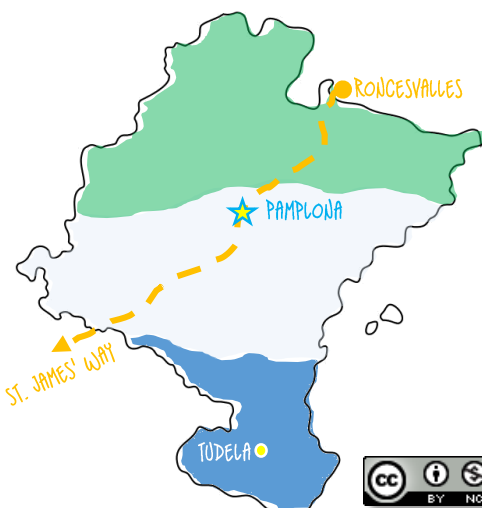
CTL Eguaras has its headquarter in *Tudela*, a small city in Northern Spain, it is, after *Pamplona*, the biggest city in Navarre. We feel privileged and proud of our culture and history, which is rich and includes many cultures. Romans, Celtiberians, Muslims, Visigoths... lived in these lands for centuries, and we still keep the legacy of these cultures in the shape our streets, valleys, traditions, houses and people. Furthermore, our city is surrounded by jaw-dropping landscapes such as *Bardenas Reales*, *Selva de Irati*, *Urbasa* and *Andía*, the Northern Forests or the Pyrenees among many more. Many incredible castles look out since ancient times around our town such as *Palacio Real de Olite*, *Javier*, or even the *Vedado de Eguaras*, which gives the name of our association.

CTL Eguaras is always looking for learning from the people through different cultures in different places, since we believe culture molds people and viceversa.

OUR PROVINCE, NAVARRE



Our province is quite small in comparison with other provinces in Spain (10.391km²). You can cross it from north to south by car in 2 hours. However, the motto of our province is “Land of Diversity” since you can find from great forests in the north, to vast semi-desert landscapes in the South, from legends about witchcraft in the mountains, to legends in the flat and rich Ebro Valley! Click [here](#) or scan the code to check that!



Our province is traditionally divided into three main areas:

- Northern/Mountain area
- Middle area
- Southern/Ribera area

Each area is totally different one from the other, the North is full of mountains, deep valleys, jaw-dropping forests and quaint towns; due to the Atlantic influence. The Middle area is halfway between *Ribera* and the mountains. It contains the capital of the province, Pamplona, worldwide known because of its festival *San Fermin* every 6th of July. We meet at Tudela, in the southern part, 90kms away from Pamplona. Here the river *Ebro* (the most voluminous river in Spain), waters our land and transforms the desert area in a wonderful oasis full of history and tradition, and also a fantastic gastronomy.

OUR GROUP, CTL EGUARAS

CTL Eguaras was born on October 4th, 2003. We are a non-profit and NGO that deals with free time, non-formal education; nature, we foster moral, ecological and intercultural values, through several activities that we design along every year in many places in Spain (especially Navarre and Basque Country). Our main aim is to make younger generations aware of the multiculturalism and the respect needed to live in increasingly globalized world.



And these, some of our kids!



These are some of the monitors



Some of the veterans of the group and their monitors

We organize three camps every year (Christmas, Easter and summer), many excursions, St. James Way, and sport activities in different natural environments, forests, mountains of our province and nearby. By doing these activities, we try to instil our kids in several and important values for current world, especially respect, collaboration, altruism and mutual understanding.

Nevertheless, our elder kids and their monitors are looking for something greater, we want to expand these values; we look for an international and enriching experience!

WHAT WE LOOK FOR:

We are looking for a partner to participate with us in a project embedded in the **Erasmus+ KA1** programme (youth exchanges) for the next summer (2017) and then doing the reverse exchange in the following summer (2018). Our idea is to collaborate in the creation of a project for our elder participants (15-17 years old) based on sports, nature, culture, customs, identity, international dialogue and European sentiment of citizenship. We would like to participate in a project that links culture and identity (dancing, gastronomy, music, myths...), fostered by doing sport, nature activities, non-formal education and knowing more cultures than ours! The main goal would be to demonstrate that even being so different one from the other, we can work together for a better world, in which every culture is respected and accepted by everybody, especially by younger generations in Europe.



Some of the members in the summer camp near Bilbao

WHAT WE OFFER:

A couple of members in *La Foz de Lumbier*, a well-known natural reserve near Pamplona



We offer a project in our province, Navarre. We would prefer going abroad next summer (2017) and hosting the partner in Spain the following year (2018), although we are totally open to discuss the order of the exchanges.

Our project would be based on nature, culture, sports and identity. We would exploit all our resources in our hands to make our partner aware of the rich diversity we have in our province in natural, historical and cultural terms. We think the best option would be by doing excursions, part of the St. James Way, visits to many natural and historical monuments, activities based on culture and preparing a collaborative project in three languages: English, Spanish and the partner's own language, collecting all the experiences and evaluating how these kind of activities, traditions, cultures and attitudes towards all of them can improve the quality of life of the younger generations in Europe.

We would be absolutely proud and happy if we find a partner that would like to work with us in these terms for more than one project; extending these ideas throughout Europe is necessary nowadays, and Erasmus+ can be the best option to do so!

LET'S TALK!



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