



# Erasmus+

## KA1 - Learning Mobility of Individuals

**Association “Terra di Mezzo” – Italy**

Project: **“Art for the landscape of peace”**

### Practical Information

Project Legal Name: **“Art for the landscape of peace”**  
Hosting Organisation: **“Terra di Mezzo” (ITALY)**  
Project Start Date: **1 April 2018**  
Project Total Duration: **8 Months**  
Project End Date: **30 November 2018**  
Dates of the preliminary visit (APV):  
**23<sup>rd</sup> -24<sup>th</sup> June 2018 ITALY** (Capistrano, Stefanconi – Calabria) (excluding travel days)  
Dates of the meeting: **24<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>nd</sup> August 2018 ITALY** (Capistrano, Stefanconi – Calabria) (excluding travel days)  
Countries: **All Programme Countries & 5 young people from each organisation**

Each partner will organize **a group of 5 young people aged between 18 and 30** (and 1 leader) and the group must be done by ensuring as far as possible the gender balance.

Action: **Erasmus+ KA1**  
Budget: **Accommodation, food, activity costs 100% will be covered within the program.**  
Most importantly: **There will be a contribution to travel expenses based on the distance in kilometers as shown in the Erasmus program.**  
Venue: **Capistrano/ Italy (Calabria)**  
Contact: **If you are interested, please send us the attached form filled out partnership in every part to our email address [terradimezzoaps@gmail.com](mailto:terradimezzoaps@gmail.com) or [info@terradimezzoaps.eu](mailto:info@terradimezzoaps.eu)**

### PROJECT SUMMARY

The European Union acknowledges that landscape performs important missions of general interest on cultural, ecological, social and environmental level, since it is a vital component of the European cultural and natural heritage, also contributing to the strengthening of the European identity.

The project aims to draw attention to little-known sites in the most well-known tourist routes, but with strong identity and history and sometimes with elements of proximity with different peoples and cultures. The projects begins from obtaining historical-geological, natural, landscape information, with special regards to the impact of anthropogenic factors on it. Then the project continues with representation of landscapes through artistic forms such as visual art, photograph, music, etc.



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The artworks will start a travelling exhibition that will accompany the participants to their own countries in order to bring home the testament of art as social creativity, common participation, creative work for peace and recognition of diversity.

Partners of the project will be Fine Arts Academies, local artists and experts, who will stimulate an active citizenship attitude and facilitate the establishment of more complex social relations in which the young participants' skills will arise.

During the project young people from 4 European countries will live together and exchange their points of view on the future of Europe, on the role that Europe could play in the peace-building and how to communicate their ideas;

- Workshops on arts: collection of stories about diversity from different countries and their representation through drawings, paintings, artefacts;
- Workshop on stereotypes: work on stereotypes regarding each of the participating countries; relationship between collective imagination and vision of young participants; representation in small theatrical scenes; making of a clip or a short movie;
- Workshop on Europe: how young people view Europe; the keywords and their artistic representation (painting, drawing, ceramics, etc.).

At the end of the workshops, there will be the preparation and the exhibition of the work produced. The exhibition will be open to the local community and there is a meeting with representatives of local municipalities and other institutions (the Province and the Region).

The young participants will create a collective artistic work around video, photo, and artwork to illustrate the main idea to the public.

Finally, every evening there will be an intercultural dinner where each group will present the typical dishes of the tradition of own country. Every evening the houses where young participants will be hosted will become the home of one of the Partner Countries and the young people will organize the "welcome" of participants following their own traditions of hospitality when, in your own home, you receive a guest.

In that way, every evening will become an opportunity to prepare and present typical dishes of own country.

During this project the young people will be challenged, supported by the animators, to create a collective piece of art as a result of their reflections about this subject. The policies makers and different institutions will be invited to see the result of this reflection and to hear the message of these 24 young participants.

The young people will be involved in a creative process that will enhance the strength of each participant. They will test cultural diversity as a source of wealth, proposing through the artistic realizations their idea of peace, world and brotherhood. In this creative process they will be accompanied by Italian professionals in the artistic and media sectors, with experience in the work of non-formal education with international groups, favouring social and intercultural learning, as well as the participation of each of them.

The participants will be given the chance to join workshops by professional experts to increase their competencies in arts and media.

During the project we will organize different workshops with the idea to develop the capacity of cooperation, listening and certainly the capacities for taking the initiative and take the active role in society. This project of youth exchange in Italy is only a part of one bigger idea to continue exchanging ideas and meeting different societies. In the future we would like to plan and organize one project in the partner's countries. But it is not the only idea to create the exchange projects, it is also to involve young people to be active in their local societies as active members of their associations, as active volunteers.



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After the exchange, results will be published on the project website and on Youtube and disseminated via Facebook, Twitter and other social media tools. Also, project and evaluation results will be discussed with the international partners. The group will stay in contact through a closed Facebook group. Each partner will schedule the presentation of the project results in special initiatives that will organize in their own territory.