Outdoor hygge

Erasmus+ Youth Exchange



Call for Partners from Programme Countries

Randers Produktionshøjskole are looking for dedicated youth organisations to take part in an exciting youth Exchange.

The project will be applied in the up-coming deadline 5th February 2019.

It is expected that the Youth exchange will take place between 3rd and 16th June 2019, Randers, Denmark. It will include 60 young people with fewer opportunities from 5 different countries.

The youth exchange based upon the theme Nordic outdoor life and sustainability. There will be focus on simple living, accommodation in the open air in different ways; participants supposed to sleep in a tent, but during the week there is possibility to stay in a hammock or lavvu.

Themes of the youth exchange:

- What are the differences in how nature is used in the different countries / cultures.
- How do we create a sustainable use of nature "consumption and use of nature"
- Different mediation traditions in outdoor life like father to son, grandfather to son. A collaboration is made with the fjord people, showing the traditions that are in the use of the fjord.
- What can young people use simple living for.

Expected Workshops:

- Building of pontoon bridge at Udbyhøj harbor (communication platform)
- Building a path (Track in the landscape)
- Canoeing, kayaking
- Fishing in the fjord
- Possibly hunting including various hunting forms presented.
- Cooking outdoor and over bonfire

Prior to the Exchange, one leader from each partner will take part in an **Advanced Planning Visit**, which is expected to be held in the beginning of May.

It is important that the selection of the youth leader and the preselection of participants should start already in March to be ready for implementation upon approval of the project!!!!!



As a partner you will be responsible to send and prepare 12 participants (youth), and two leaders on the Youth Exchange. A travel budget will be available to contribute to the cost of travelling to Denmark. The youth and leaders will be provided with meals and accommodation in accordance with the theme for the duration of the Exchange. Please be aware that the accommodation provided for the exchange will be under the open sky. It will be ensured that the sleeping arrangements, and shower facilities are gender separated.

The target group of the project is young people with fewer opportunities, and it is expected that the youth exchange will be a first-time experience for them.

The youth participants should:

- be between the ages of 17 and 21,
- be able to travel and attend the whole activity,
- be able to communicate in English language,
- be willing to take an active part in the youth exchange,
- be willing to commit to the dissemination activities,
- be out of any abuse/addictions,
- be medically stable for at least the last 6 months.

Our Policies

This youth exchange is targeting young people with fewer opportunities. To ensure that the exchange has a positive impact upon them, and that the Exchange creates overall added value, we have a number of policies that all partners should adhere to:

- We insist that the Youth Leader who attends the APV is also the youth leader who will be part of the youth exchange
- The Youth leaders should have a good level of experience
- We do not accept the partners charging participation fees for the Youth Exchange
- The youth participants of the youth exchange should be within the target age group (17-21) and meet the criteria (see above). This is essential to ensure synergy amongst the young people, and an overall positive impact.

To express your interest in participating in this Youth Exchange, please contact Emese at emese@intercollege.info no later than 16th January 2019.

