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| PROJECT TYPE/NAME/CODE |
| Take a brush and draw for inclusion!  KA1 YOUTH EXCHANGE |
| PROJECT DATES AND VENUE |
| Project dates:01.01.2020 – 30.11.2020  Activity dates: 2 July 2020 – 9 July 2020, Timisoara, Romania |
| ABOUT THE PROJECT |
| European Association for Adult Development (coordinator and host)  Partners countries: 6 partners + host organization (Romania)  Each partner will send 5 participants + 1 youth leader.  Participants should be aged 20 or above. Maximum age limit is 30 years old.  The exchange will also include time for participants to learn about each other’s work and to develop ideas for new projects based on shared interests.  The course trainers will be experts from our own team.  With this youth exchange we aim to foster mutual understanding and tolerance among young people, supporting them in the awareness of the importance and richness inherent in the difference between cultures. The ART, due to the importance it plays in culture and traditional heritage of the peoples has been identified as the main tool for achieving this purpose. We strongly believe that thanks to the ART we can effectively contribute to the abatement of prejudices and cultural barriers. For this reason, we thought it would have been a great idea to build a youth exchange on these topics, including as well the idea of the building of a future Europe based on inclusion and equal opportunities.  The objectives identified to achieve the aim are the following:  - To raise awareness about how social exclusion is seen by youth providing their views on the issues related with it as well as possible solutions; - to foster dialogue among cultures and respect for diversity  - To underline the role art as tool for communication without distinction of nationality, race, sex, wealth, age and religion  - To identify common elements shared among young people to build a common sense of belonging to Europe  - To make the voice of young people heard by drawings and new media as tools for active youth participation  - To create a stable and effective European network to develop projects and coordinated actions to fight against poverty and social exclusion  – To promote the accessibility of the Erasmus + Program for young people with fewer opportunities.  Through these objectives several aims of the Erasmus+ Program, under this specific key action will be also touched:  - to promote intercultural dialogue  - to promote social inclusion and solidarity  - to promote active participation  - to increase learning mobility opportunities  - to improve the level of key competences and skills of young people  The painting will be used as mean of communication, through which the youngsters participating will not only be more aware of their cultural diversity, but they will be more able to understand mutually, will feel more close to each other, therefore stimulating in them a feeling of tolerance and solidarity and will also become more aware about their differences and points in common, finding themselves as equal under the shared European heritage, developing in them more awareness about their European citizenship. The art will be as well promoted as an instrument to promote equal rights and inclusion of youngsters with fewer opportunities. |
| MAXIMUM TRAVEL COSTS |
| €180, €275 or €360 depending on Distance Calculator approved rates. |
| PARTICIPATION FEE |
| There will be no participation fee. |