

Project proposal BON APPETIT International Erasmus+ Youth Exchange

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Project description + objective:

Smakelijk! Guten Appetit! Poftă bună! Jó étvágyat! Nyd dit måltid! Skanaus! Buon appetito! There's nothing like dining together! During this project, we will spend a week immersing ourselves in the eating habits, flavours, cooking styles etc. of our own and other cultures. Meanwhile, we think about what food means to us: where does our food come from and what significance does it hold in our lives?

Together with three European youth groups we will spend time behind the stove and at the dinner table. We will discover each other's cuisine in a playful and creative way and teach each other how to cook, taste and enjoy.

During this international youth exchange we want to come together for one week with three European youth organisations and discover everything about food, culture surrounding eating and international cuisine.



Participants:

Youngsters born between 2006 - 2009.

Practicalities

Date: 06/08/2023 - 16/08/2023

Location: TBD

• Working language: English

• Travel & accommodation: Train/plane & hostels



Koning Kevin

Who are we?

Koning Kevin is a non-profit organisation acknowledged by the Flemish Government as Youth Work. Our purpose is to stimulate and encourage a responsible, playful and animated attitude in children and youth. We organise activities that focus quite a lot on creativity. We include music, visual arts, media, movement and theatre. We work with a staff of 9 people and almost 200 volunteers.

What do we do?

We provide training to youngsters who want to work with youth on a voluntary basis. Therefore we have our own series of courses and we provide internships for them in our own organisation. During the summer we organise summer camps with a strong focus on creativity. Our volunteers are all trained by Koning Kevin. The organisation has a large tradition in experimenting and working with art education and game-methods.

Requirements and expectations for partners

Requirements for partners:

- Have a PIF (with OID) from the European Commission
- Be able to send a group of <u>12 15 youngsters (age 14 17)</u> and 2 group leaders (age unlimited), who all have <u>sufficient English skills</u> and interest in the project.
- Have an <u>interest in the topic (cooking/cuisine)</u> of this project. It would be great if your
 organisation already has some previous experience with cooking for larger groups of
 people or experience in thinking about the culture surrounding cooking.
- Willing to actively participate in creating this project (partner meetings, program of the youth exchange ...)

Project partner will be in charge of:

- Selecting two group leaders.
- Selecting, preparing and coordinating participants (young people) from their community/country (making sure they are up to date with the latest information etc.).
- Supporting the project's implementation, evaluation, decision-making and learning process.
- Contributing to coordination meetings, as well as to activities to be held during the youth exchange.