

Youth Exchange “EuropeanArt”

Arrival day: 12th February 2022, Departure day: 20th February 2022

WHERE?

European Youth Educational Centre
Magdeburg
Luettgen-Ottersleben 18a
39116 Magdeburg

WHO?

4 or 5 countries: Czech Republic, Italy,
Lithuania, Greece, Germany
min. 5 participants + 1 group leader per
country

WHAT?

The youth exchange “European Art” will involve young people aged 16-19 from four or five different countries within Europe: Czech Republic, Italy, Lithuania, Greece, and Germany. During the 9 days, the young people will discuss, work on and reflect upon their possibilities of influence in our current world and especially in Europe: What dreams do they have for the future? What do they wish to be changed right now? How can they as young people show their voice and influence their direct surroundings, their country, or Europe? Thus, the young participants will get a better understanding why political processes often seem abstract and what they can do to make these processes more valuable for themselves.

While talking about their personal ways of taking influence and participation and their views upon the future, the young people will also work creatively:

Within one or more artistic workshops (tbd during APV) lasting the whole time, they will bring their inspiration from discussions and transform it into creative output(s).

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The venue:

All participants will stay in the city of Magdeburg at the European Youth Educational Centre Magdeburg (shared rooms) and will be fully boarded (vegetarian, vegan food, no pork, etc. possible).

The centre is located at the Villa Böckelmann in the suburbia of Magdeburg which is the capital of the land Saxony-Anhalt in Germany. The villa is hosting tens of events during the year.



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Accommodation:

The rooms will be assigned upon arrival and will be shared between 2-3 people, depending on the availability. The towels and linen/bedclothes are provided, but you have to take the things for the personal hygiene (in the rooms) yourself (shampoo, soap, etc.; you know better what you need). Although we have a basic first aid kit, take the medicaments that you need depending on your health conditions.

Food:

There will be 3 meals per day (breakfast, lunch and dinner) and coffee breaks in between. About food, we will take into consideration your specifications (food restrictions) from the “participants list” form.

Transportation:

Please book refundable tickets so that if canceled (due to Corona, travel regulations or personal issues) they could be reimbursed.

Transport from your hometown to Magdeburg:

There's no commercial flight airports in Magdeburg, the closest flight connections are Berlin, Leipzig or Hannover. Then, a bus (www.busradar.com) or train (www.bahn.com/en) has to be taken to Magdeburg main station (Magdeburg Hbf). Main bus station and main train station are conveniently located next to each other.

The actual travel costs will be reimbursed after the youth exchange when we receive all the original travel documents from your team.

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Travel support:

ERASMUS+ will pay the travel expenses up to a fixed amount calculated from the distance between the location of the partner organization and the location of the youth exchange (Magdeburg). Travel expenses will be reimbursed for participants and group leaders for the YE.

The maximum fixed amounts per country are:

Italy 275,00 € / person

Czech Republic 275,00 € / person

Lithuania 275,00 € / person

Greece 275,00 € / person

Please note the following:

- Try to find the most economical way of travelling. Book the tickets as soon as possible.
- Tickets should be booked by the partner organization.
- To reimburse travel expenses, European Youth Educational Centre Magdeburg needs the ORIGINAL travel documents with date, location (from where to where), name of the traveller and price visible.
- E-Tickets/-Invoices must be accompanied by proof of payment.
- Missing tickets will not be reimbursed.
- Travel expenses will only be reimbursed up to the actual amount payable.
- The organizers will not provide any additional accommodation outside the dates of the exchange! If you wish to travel on other dates than the dates of the exchange, please take contact with the organizers before purchasing your tickets!