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ERASMUS+ YOUTH EXCHANGE PROEJCT

Project name: Impact of Recycling!

Activity status: Erasmus+ KA1 Youth Exchanges Programme

Project date: 13-19 September, (Travel days 13-19 September 2022)

Country / City: Turkey – Isparta

Participants age: 15-30 age / no age limit for group leader

Each country: 5 participant + 1 group leader, total: 6 participant

Participants: Turkey, Poland, Czech Republic, Greece, Bulgaria, Romania

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Project Details;

Project is prepared by Donusum Youth Group as a part of Erasmus + Youth Programme. Project is designed to increase awareness upon target audience on the issue of recycling and wastage which are becoming a major problem in recent years and enhance works executed towards this problem. Project, apart from basic objectives also is intensified with Erasmus+ programmes expectations and includes quite comprehensive works. Project's activity location is Isparta / Turkey on 13-19 SEPTEMBER 2022

Projects main aim is to realize awarens raising workings on the issue of recycling and wastage / reminding responsibilities. On the other hand; evaluating works in terms of (sufficiency and results) realized in international field on the issue of recycling, producing alternative solutions with different views on the issue, supplying awareness for participants on the topics of social consciousness and mindfulness are among basic aims. Project is going to be maintained with common education methods, with performed work methods it is aimed to raise experience and competence for the participants on such issues as entrepreneurship, active participation, self-confidence, linguistic skill, social adaptation and intercultural interaction. Introducing and generalizing Erasmus+ programme, drawing attention to disadvantageous individuals, raising communication, dialogue and collaboration in international level, sharing experiences between European youth and organisations can be indicated as projects additional aims.

Project activities are designed upon Erasmus+ programmes expectations and projects requirement points and intensified with non-formal education methods. In this project educational presentations on the topic, workshops, awareness studies, solution studies, group/team works, cultural activities, courtesy visit, Erasmus+ /National Agency introduction and Youthpass certificates activities are planned. These activities will be carried out by team studies and active participation.

Project partners are determined as Turkey, Greece, Romania, Poland, Czech Republic, Bulgaria. With comprehensive workings and distribution of roles along with the partners it is aimed to reach expected goals in a quality full kind of way. Project partners are going to be determined within Erasmus+ orders. (Age of the participant, gender, competencies and disadvantageous cases) are considered upon participant profile. 6 participants from each country are included to the project.

Important objectives are determined for target audience apart from participants in the project. These objectives is originated from projects including an universal topic. Raising awareness for institutions/organisations and units especially realized works on the issue of recycling / making an example working, increasing awareness and responsibility of the target audience on the issue of recycling, enhancing communication and collaboration between European countries and youth, increasing workings on the theme, including disadvantageous individuals to the workings in the means of social and cultural aspects, sharing experiences and competence related to topic / and enhancing can be indicated as foreseen basic results.

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Project Venue; Isparta / Turkey

Isparta exists in a land of fragrant roses and rose products and beautiful lakes of peaceful waters, one of the prettiest cities in the Mediterranean region. There are also many impressive caves around Isparta. Changing hands continuously throughout history, Isparta also holds many signs from earlier times. At the museum of the city, a rich collection of ancient coins, fine examples from Turkish folklore, several Roman relieves and works of art from the Ottoman period are found. Firdevs Pasa Mosque, Yilan Koran fountain and Kinik minaret are also spectacular monuments, while Yalvac, and Sarkikaraagac, are two other sites with ancient roots. There are many historical places, and we will introduce to the participants. :) Some photos and links about the Isparta city;

1. <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Isparta>

2. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=q17cSCFXZ0I>

For more info our FB group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1287663071981580>



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Participation to the project;

Each partner organization will send **6 participants** (5 participants and 1 group leader). Selection of participants will be partners responsibility. Participants age: 15-30 age / no age limit for leaders.

IMPORTANT: Please let us know your participants list and them tickets until **27 JULY 2022**. (you can find participants list document in the attachment on mail). Dear partners and participants; Please be sensitive on this matter, because the time will not be extended. Participants have to buy tickets from economy class. Travel costs in the city is included in the general travel costs. So try to find the cheapest ticket quickly. please ask me for my confirmation before buying tickets. When you buy flight ticket, please send us your tickets copies.

Our project mail; donusum.info@gmail.com

Accommodation;

The accommodation place was not finalized yet. So, you will receive another info pack later. Accommodation will be in the Isparta city center.

FINANCIAL – Travel and Visa Cost

Participants of the project will be reimbursed their travel expenses according to below table and visa cost. Organizers will provide accommodation and food during the whole period of the project. so, **accommodation and food costs is free.**

Corresponding submission of travel tickets, refunds will be made during the main project activities time. All boarding cards and electronic ticket must be present to us in hard copy. Only buses, trains, flight costs are paid. Here below you can see the table for maximum travel costs.

Country	Poland	Greece	Czech Republic	Bulgaria	Romania
%100 MAX travel cost for each participant	275 EUR	275 EUR	275 EUR	275 EUR	275 EUR

- If participants spend more than the calculation of the Distance Calculator, it will be participants responsibility to pay the rest of the traveling cost.

- Early arrivals or late departures will be the own responsibility of the participants. According to NA the travel back must be realized by participants on direct way within maximum of **3 days**. It will be enough for you :)

- We need your all receipts, tickets and boarding passes (for both ways). So when you are coming, keep them. After the project you should send us (scanned by email and originals by post) all the tickets and boarding passes of the travel back home from Turkey. Participants have to buy tickets from economy class. Travel costs in the city is included in the general travel costs. So try to find the cheapest ticket.

Visa Costs: - If you need, we will cover VISA expenses for Polish group (max 20 euro per person). For this please, the Polish participants have to send to us as soon as possible a copy of their passports and the group's list so that we prepare your Invitation letter in order to apply for your VISA. Participants must bring the originals of the visa documents to the project.

Youthpass Certificates

All participants receive Youthpass certificates. Youthpass is a part of the European Commission’s strategy to foster the recognition of non-formal learning. It is available for projects funded by Erasmus+: Youth in Action (2014-2020) As a tool to document and recognise learning outcomes, it puts policy into practice and practice into policy:

- While creating their Youthpass Certificate together with a support person, the participants of the projects have the possibility to describe what they have done in their project and which competences they have acquired. Thus, Youthpass supports the reflection upon the personal non-formal learning process and outcomes.
- Being a Europe-wide validation instrument for non-formal learning in the youth field, Youthpass contributes to strengthening the social recognition of youth work.
- Describing the added value of the project, Youthpass supports active European citizenship of young people and of youth workers. - Youthpass also aims at supporting the employability of young people and of youth workers by documenting the acquisition of key competences on a certificate.



NOTE:

- The Project will be carried out in Isparta / Turkey.
- The project will be carried out on 13-19 September 2022.
- We will provide you during the activities internet, too.
- If you have notebook (laptop), Tablet PC. etc please bring it for use on project. (Optional)
- We will meet you from the bus station. Please do not have any hesitation on this matter.
- As you know, there will be a **intercultural night**. We advise you take with you something special to your country and city, such as traditional clothes, foods or drinks.
- Please activate your phone for calls abroad.
- You can find exchange office in all airport. Please take Turkish money for transportation etc. Average 1 EUR = 17 Turkish lira
- As you know and depending on the decision taken by European Commission all the expenses for foods and accommodation will be paid by us.
- Please remember to bring your personal belongings. (towels, slippers, clothes etc)
- **Travel reimbursement will be made during the project process in cash.** For this reason, all of the participants must bring their boarding cards, bus tickets, train tickets and such like papers completely and orderly to make easy the payback. All original tickets and boardingpasses (train, plane, bus etc.) must be to bring .
- Project working language will be English, for communications please prefer the people competent in English.
- This is our facebook group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1287663071981580> please add all the participants. thus we can meet before the project.

How you can reach to Isparta City ?

Some Flight companies:

<http://www.turkishairlines.com/>
<http://www.flypgs.com/>
<http://www.andolujet.com/>
<http://www.onurair.com.tr/>
<http://www.atlasjet.com/>

Some Bus Companies:

<https://www.ispartapetrol.com.tr/>
<https://www.pamukkale.com.tr/>
<https://www.kamilkoc.com.tr>
<https://www.metroturizm.com.tr/en/>
<https://www.obilet.com/> (all companies)
<https://www.biletall.com/> (all companies)

You can reach ISPARTA by the following ways:

1 .WAY – ISPARTA AIRPORT DIRECT FLIGHT: **RECOMMEND**

Isparta has an International Airport. So, participants may come directly to the Isparta City Airport.
AIRPORT NAME: SULEYMAN DEMIREL AIRPORT

1. Participants will buy flight ticket for Isparta Suleyman Demirel Airport. (Transfer via Istanbul)
2. The participants will go to the "Isparta Bus Station" from the airport and we will meet you at the Isparta Bus Station.
- 3- There is a bus service for each flight to the "Isparta Bus Station" from airport. So after receiving your luggage, you will see a municipal bus in front of the door. We recommend that you hurry to get on this bus. Because the bus is moving within 20-30 minutes. You can also get info from the airport reception about it. There are also taxi and other transportation options from the airport to the city center.

How will you reach to "Isparta Bus Station" ?

When you arrive to Isparta Suleyman Demirel Airport, you will get on public bus in front of the gate. Bus company name: "GulKent". For each flight, bus is leaving from Airport to city centrum. You can buy your ticket in bus. Don't lose your ticket for reimbursement. We recommend that you hurry to get on this bus. Because the bus is moving within 20-30 minutes. Ticket price average: 3 Euro. You will get off at Isparta bus station. Don't forget to tell bus driver you will get off in "Isparta Bus Stop". It will take about 25-30 minutes from Airport to bus station. We will meet at the bus terminal.

2 .WAY – AYT ANTALYA AIRPORT FLIGHT:

Antalya is Turkey's most popular holiday destination. And there are many flights to Antalya. If you want, you can reach Isparta via Antalya. It takes an average of 2 hours by bus between Antalya and Isparta. If you want to come to Isparta via Antalya.

1. Participants will buy flight ticket for Antalya Airport. (Transfer via Istanbul)
2. The participants will go to the "Antalya Bus Station" from the airport.
- 3- Participants will buy bus tickets for Isparta from Antalya bus station. and we will meet you at the Isparta Bus Station.

How will you reach to "Antalya Bus Station" ?

When you arrive to Antalya Airport, you will get on public bus in front of the gate. For each flight, bus is leaving from Airport to city centrum. You can buy your ticket in bus. Don't lose your ticket for reimbursement. You will get off at Antalya bus station. Don't forget to tell bus driver you will get off in "Antalya Bus Stop". You can always find bus tickets from Antalya to Isparta. There are also taxi and many other means of transportation there. In addition, if you want, you can review other alternative plane and bus trips. Arriving by bus from Istanbul and Ankara, etc.

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A great youth exchange project is waiting for you! See you in Isparta / Turkey 😊