

INFO PACK

Know your identity trough art
ROMA-RT
(2019-1-RO01-KA105-062926)



About the project

"Know your identity through art" is a youth exchange created by young people for Roma and non-Roma people that have disadvantaged backgrounds, with the main purpose of providing for 20 young participants and 5 leaders from Romania, Czech Republic, Macedonia, Estonia and Germany a better understanding of their background through different exercises of personal development and different types of art in order to rediscover their identity being more easy to be included in the society. This project will be organized in Romania.

Aims and objectives

The aim of the project is to develop knowledge for Roma and non-Roma youngsters about the history and culture of Roma, making it easier to be included in the society and together with the non-Roma youngsters to discover their own culture, values and personal identity.

The specific objectives of the project are:

- develop skills for self-knowledge and personal development for 20 young people and 5 group leaders from 5 countries;
- give the young people a clear understanding of the difference between inclusion and social integration;
- generate a change of mentality with the focus on acceptance of the other ethnicity with a focus on Roma ethnicity;
- provide the necessary knowledge to understand the history of the Roma for 20 young people and 5 group leaders for their acceptance and inclusion in society.
- to make known to the young people the ethnicity of the Roma through traditions, culture, history, artistic drawing, music and the Roma language.
- generate the development of creativity and innovation and at the same time provide the ability of free expression for 20 young people and 5 non-Roma Roma group leaders.

The project is in line with the objectives of the Erasmus + program as it focuses on the inclusion of the Roma, trying to make known their history, culture and their traditions thus eliminating stereotypes / present prejudices related to Roma and hate, racism, discrimination, etc.

Date of the projects

Arrival: 25.07.2019

Activities date: 26-30.07.2019

Departure: 31.07.2019

Profile of the participants

- **4 + 1 young roma and non-roma people 18-30 years old (if possible at least 2 roma young people /country/group.)**
- ability to work in team
- with disadvantaged backgrounds;
- youth workers, artists;
- To be open to learn more about the topic of the project;
- Gender balace

Trasnport accomodation and food

Local transports: Volunteering for All Association, will facilitate access to the location of the project by contracting transport companies. In this way, we will have the certainty that the participants arrive in time and in safety.

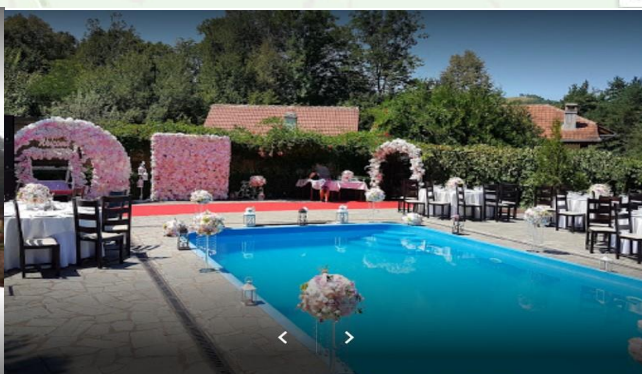
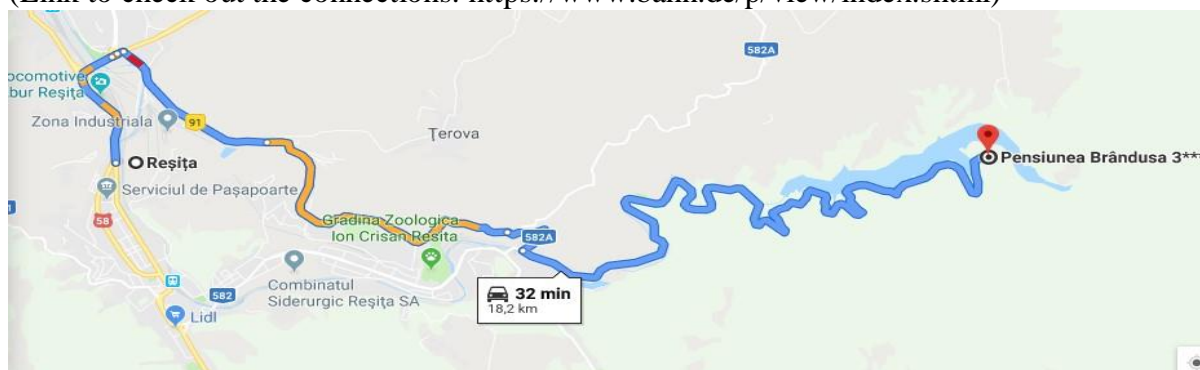
Accommodation: The accommodation will be at **Brandusa Pension in Statiunea Secu, Reșița, Caras-Severin** a really nice place in the forest quiet and peacefull close to a nice lake with a nice view just perfect to enjoy each moment from the project and activitie, perfect to feel artist. The participants will stay in the rooms between 2-4 people/room international (mixed) and divided to avoid any discomfort.

How to get here ?

**The official address is : Pensiunea Brandusa- Name of the Pension
Str. Branduselor, nr 2, Statiunea Secu-Resita, Reșița;**

If you travel by train

If you travel by train the final stop should be **Timisoara Nord, Reșița Sud** or **Resita Nord**, from where we will pick you up! Timisoara has direct trains from most of the European cities. (Link to check out the connections: <https://www.bahn.de/p/view/index.shtml>)





Food: The association is responsible to respect the requirements of each participant that have medical problems or if there is any vegetarian, vegan, etc. Please provide information on time about your requirements/health problems. All this cost is 100% covered from project budget.

Financial conditions

Number	Country	Distance	Limit/Budget
1	Romania	10-99 km	20 euro
2	Macedonia	100-499 km	180 euro
3	Estonia	500-1999 km	275 euro
4	Germany	500-1999 km	275 euro
5	Czech R.	500-1999 km	275 euro

- when you buy your tickets keep in mind that from each one of you a cost between 20 euro and 50 euro will be taken from your travel budget for the transfer to the accommodation and back to the airport.

- only the group leader will have a big bag which will be shared with all the group + 10 kg bag, the rest of the group will have just the 10 kg bag. The association will not reimburse the big luggage for the participants just for the leaders.

- if you want to take the musical instruments with you will be your own responsibility the association will not reimburse the money try to take something that will be fit in your 10 kg bag, the materials for work as (colours, pencils) will be provided by the association from the budget of the project in the limit of the budget.

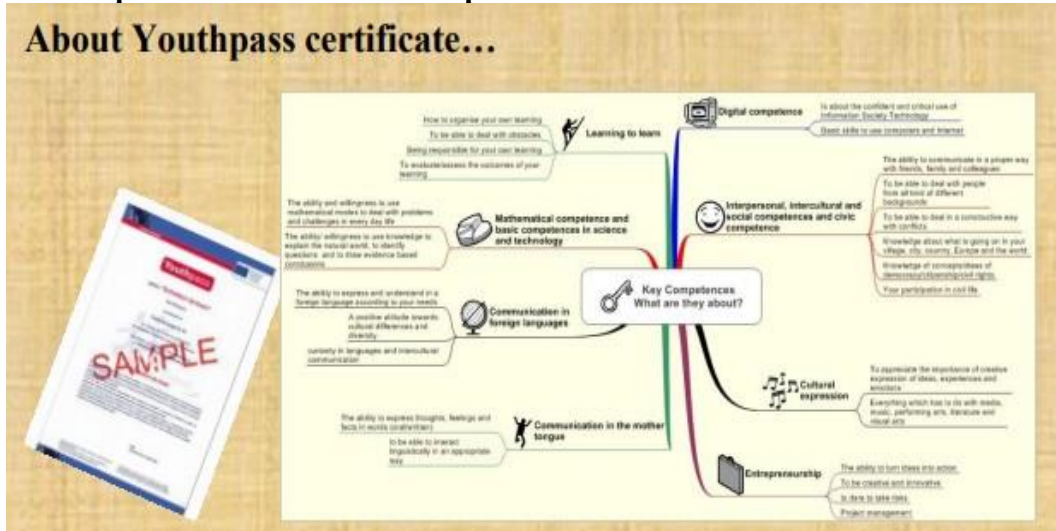
-IF YOU COME BY PLANE DO YOUR BEST BUY YOUR TICKET ON TIME TO BE MORE CHEAPER AND LAND ON TIMISOARA OR BELGRADE IF POSSIBLE / JUST IF THERE IS NO OPTION LAND ON THE NEAREST AIRPORT to Reșița. If possible send us a screenshot to make an confirmation for your plane tickets.

OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

The currency - In Romania the currency is RON, we do not use Euro. The exchange rate can change but usually is like this 1 Euro = 4.7 Lei. Do not exchange for less than 4.6 Lei. We will assist you in exchanging the Euro. There is no supermarket in the forest, but

there is a possibility to go in the city, Resita organised by car with one of the Romanian participant.

Health insurance - all partners have the responsibility in assisting the participants for obtaining the EHIC (European Health Insurance Card) which is free, or the participants will take care of this aspect by themselves. In Romania the Emergency services in Hospitals are free but let's hope it doesn't come to this.



All participants in the youth exchange have the option of receiving a Youthpass certificate which proves their participation in the exchange. Youthpass is a tool to document and recognize learning outcomes from youth work activities. It is available for projects funded by Erasmus+: Youth in Action (2014-2020). It is a part of the European Commission's strategy to foster the recognition of non-formal learning, putting policy into practice and practice into policy:

- While creating their Youthpass certificate together with a support person, project participants are given 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.
- As a Europe-wide recognition instrument for non-formal learning in the youth field, Youthpass strengthens the social recognition of youth work.
- Youthpass supports active European citizenship of young people and of youth workers by describing the added value of their project.
- Youthpass also aims at supporting the employability of young people and of youth workers by raising their awareness of and helping to describe their competences, and by documenting their acquisition of key competences on a certificate.

Your sending NGO should provide all relevant information about the Youthpass certificate and you can also check it yourself on the official website <https://www.youthpass.eu/en/>

Usefull Link for participants



This is the link for the application form :

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1POAhB-H1_xRgVXmIFcl_xUyk4yexhCEG8KnroCIFd8k/edit#gid=0 (if dont work copy the link it should work ;).

Please fill the form until 7.07.2019

FACEBOOK GROUP : <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1097986297053208/>

Importnat to have in your bag

- Cherfullness
- Clothes for all types of weather, just to be sure normaly is should be really warm check the LINK: <https://www.αγγυωεατηερ.χομ/ρο/ρο/ρεσιτα/287568/ωεατηερ-φορεχαστ/287568>
- Materials, small musical instrumets for you as a artist.
- All you consider necessary for you to feel comfortable.
- Towel and all the need it hygienical products to take a shower.
- Medicine and spray for mosquitos just in case.
- Intercultural nights: what ever you want to share with us from your country.
- swimsuit (maybe there we will have the posibility to swim in the pool in the free time)-not sure.

How to contact us for questions:

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Coordinator Association:

www.voluntari.ro



Partners of the project :

Germany : **AMARO FORO E.V. Association**

Estonia : **Noored Ühiskonna Heaks Association**

Macedonia: **REGIONAL ROMA EDUCATIONAL YOUTH ASSOCIATION**
KRATOVO RROMA Association

Czech Republic : **Hodina H Association**



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PROGRAM OF THE PROJECT ROMA-RT 25-31.07.2019q

TIME	DAY 0	DAY 1	DAY 2	DAY 3	DAY 4	DAY 5	DAY 7	
8:30-9:30	ARRIVAL OF THE PARTICIPANTS Welcome :)	<i>Breakfast</i>						DEPARTURES OF THE PARTICIPANTS :(
10:00-11:30		Welcome! Program + Get to know each other	Team Building Activities	Gipsy or Rroma? Introduction in Rroma History	Visit Day-Presenting the Rroma situation/Introduction in Rromani Language	Artists and art		
11:30-12:00		<i>Coffe Break</i>						
12:00-13:00		Fears, Contribution Expectation + Non formal education	Who am I? Who you are?	Rroma Values Traditions and Culture	Close your eyes, cover your ears and open your heart	Artists and art/ Human Library I		
13:00-15:00		<i>Lunch</i>						
15:00-16:30		Guideline	Stereotype and prejudices	Inclusion or Integration?	Free time + Back to the camp	Evaluation + Disemination		
16:30-17:00		<i>Coffe Break</i>						
17:00-18:30		Erasmus plus+ Youthpass	Values, Traditions and Culture in my country	Intercultural promotional video	Close your eyes, cover your ears and open your heart - WK	Youthpass Celebration + Human Library Ceremony		
18:30-19:00		<i>National reflection meeting + individual reflection</i>						
19:00-21:30		<i>Dinner- (Intercultural night 21:30)</i>						