



IF YOU LOVED SCHOOL , YOU'LL LOVE WORK....

BRAN , 10-18 NOVEMBER 2014

Arrival day : 10 november 2014 ; **Departure day :** 18 november 2014

Organizer : ODEN NEHOIU

Coordinators : Bogdan Chiriacescu and Fabiola Chiriacescu

Facilitator : Tolea Postovei

Partnership : 35 persons from 6 organizations from 6 countries (Greece,Italy ,Latvia,Lithuania,Spain,Romania)

Participants :

Every group should prepare 4 youngsters 18-25 years old plus one group leader over 18 years old ; recommended that participants have good english skills

Venue : Moeciu de Jos- Bran , Romania

Accommodation : Pensiunea Maria – in rooms of 2 ,3 pax with private bathroom ,

Food will be served at the restaurant of the pension and there will be 3 meals every day and some coffee breaks.

Please send us your special needs concerning food : no pork , no meat , vegetarian or any allergies .

Smoking and alcohol : We do not encourage drinking and smoking , but if you want to do it ,do it responsible. It is forbidden to smoke or drink inside your rooms and activities places.

Drugs As we had some bad experiences with using drugs , we aware you that is completely forbidden to use any kind of drugs.

Activities : will be in the same place in different rooms and on the terrasse if weather is good. Some of the activities will be outdoor.

Facilities and visits: pension is close to center and 3 km far from Bran and you can find almost everything : shops,pharmacy,banks,restaurants etc.

We 'll visit Bran , Brasov ,Rasnov – see the programe. Any other optional visits will be discussed on the spot.

Weather is usually unpredictable in november.Average temperature is around 15 degrees but can be colder ,also warmer and sunny but also can rain.So be prepared with different clothes but also with sun glasses.We'll keep you updated

Transport For those arriving in Bucharest Otopeni there is a bus **780 EXPRES** that runs almost every 20 minutes from 5 am till 11pm. You can find signs in the airport to reach bus station.The ticket is 8.6 lei (2 euros) a round trip card , that you have to validate when you step in the bus. The bus goes directly to train station – **GARA DE NORD** and takes depending on the traffic 45-60 minutes .There is also train from Otopeni airport to GARA DE NORD every hour.

In the train station GARA DE NORD you can easily find the ticket office and buy your tickets.Normally you can pay by card in train station , but anyway there are bankomats. We suggest to ask for round trip ticket BUCHAREST-BRASOV – BUCHAREST – there is cheaper and then in Brasov you'll have to buy only the seat for return to Bucharest.The trip is around 2 ½ - 3 hours .From Brasov there are minibuses or buses every half hour to Bran-Moeciu de Jos and trip is around 30-40 minutes.

You'll have soon also the trains schedule.

As you'll get in the train in Bucharest we'll ask you to send us an sms with the time of arrival.

If more groups arrive at close times we can arrange a minibus for transfer direct to location – in this case you'll have to pay 8 euros/person representing 30 %.

ACTIVITIES

You already have the programme. I attached it again to this message.Some additional info will come with registration forms soon.

Please post announcements about the project on your websites,blogs or any other platform and send us some print screens or copies

What should you prepare :

- a presentation about your organizations and your projects ,good and bad practise on the topic of unemployment examples to be used during workshops :

- a research in your community (interviews,statistics etc) about the situation of unemployment in your country or region

- to have an idea about youthpass and key competences

- to bring with you the book “ If you liked school , you'll love work “ by Irvine Welsh in your language – I hope it's translated everywhere

–for intercultural evening please bring traditional products from your country or region- food and drinks – and also prepare to show us a dance and to sing a song .any other aspect to promote your culture is welcome :
leaflets,photos,flag.videos etc.

Be also prepare to promote another country in a creative way using multimedia or drama or other methods but try not to copy/paste from internet .Do something personal !!

Greece will present Latvia

Latvia will present Italy

Italy will present Lithuania

Lithuania will present Spain

Spain will present Romania

Romania will present Greece

-you can be prepared to propose games , energizers,activities for free time or for our workshops

-if you had projects connected with the topic , bring with you good practice examples : leaflets,videos ,photos.

Reimbursement :

In order to get the travel costs back we need :

- All tickets and invoices in original.if you need local transport in your country try to buy return tickets.
- The payment confirmation for flight tickets : receipt if you paid cash or bank movement document if you paid by bank transfer or credit card..
- BOARDING PASSES compulsory – keep them as without them you don't have your money back
- Take only APEX flights (no business class) and only 2 nd class trains.Try to fit in the budget we gave you.
- We do not reimburse TAXI costs.
- Be sure to have price and data on bus and train tickets,also on airplane tickets.If not , ask for receipts or invoices.

The reimbursement will be done after the project when we'll receive all documents.There will be one transfer for every country.

The rate is the one stipulated in our contract : <http://ec.europa.eu/budget/inforeuro> valid for january 2014

Other practicalities :

Currency : 1 euro = 4.50 lei (RON).There are banks and bankomats in airports , in train station,in Bran.In a lot of locations you can pay by credit card.

Prices : coffee,beer,juice in shops are around 50 cents , in restaurants around 1 -1,5 euros.

The hour in Romania is GMT + 2.

For persons that want to spend some days in Bucharest or elsewhere we can help you recommended hostels or attractions.just ask !!

Beware of pick pockets in buses , metro and crowded places. Don't accept gifts and don't talk to strangers that ask to sign something or to help them – most of them are cheaters.

Don'y pay attention to street dogs – they are everywhere but most of them are friendly.

For any other comments or questions contact our staff

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