

## **EDUCATIONAL YOUTH CLUBS (AGES 10-13 AND 13-17)**

### **– PRIMARY FOCUS ON COMPUTER SCIENCE AND EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY**

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#### PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The EVS project 'Educational Youth Clubs (ages 10-13 and 13-17)' is hosted by Kolding Youthschool, and The Kolding Youthschool organizes different kinds of activities for children and young people. Kolding Youthschool have 7 Educational Youth Clubs targeting children in the age of 10-13 years and 8 Educational Youth Clubs targeting youngsters in the age of 13-17 years. The Educational Youth Clubs for the children at 10-13 years are open in the afternoon, while the Educational Youth Clubs for the youngsters are open in the evening. The participant will work with both target groups, which includes various ethnicities, social groups and interests.

At the youth club, we have different kind of activities such as pool, ping-pong, board games and activities in the nature. Furthermore, we sometimes do arts, crafts and bake. Still the most important thing is the conversations with the children and youngsters.

During holiday seasons we organize camps for youngsters, the camps have different themes such as democracy, sports and nature.

Recently Kolding Youthschool has launched various measures in the areas of STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics) and E-sports. Basic programming, basic computer science and critical thinking are key points in the skills that we teach in Kolding Youthschool. Basic programming and handling of educational robots and technology are specific working topics for the participant. The participant will encounter technologies like educational robots, educational drones and 3D printers. Training in these technologies will occur.

Furthermore, Kolding Youthschool is strategic committed in social media platforms ex. Facebook and Instagram, and Kolding Youthschool has created a showroom regarding its different kind of activities.

The project volunteer will be a part of the team dealing with the issues described – and you will have ample possibility to bring forward your ideas and use of your skills in the works with ICT and youngsters.

#### ACCOMMODATION, FOOD AND TRANSPORT ARRANGEMENTS

- You will be assigned your own room in a shared apartment. The apartment is shared with two or three other EVS participants, who are staying in Denmark the same period as you. The group of volunteers will jointly be responsible for the apartment.
- You will receive pocket money ~ EUR 150,00 per month

- Kolding Youthschool will provide proper transportation for example bicycle, moped or public transport

#### TRAINING DURING THE PROJECT

- You will receive a Danish Languages courses, and if we find, that you need other courses, we will provide these.

#### VOLUNTEER PROFILE

We prefer a participant, who is open minded and highly motivated about working with children and youngsters, and we prefer that you have skills above average in ICT and experience with E-sports, and we expect you to be able to facilitate different kind of events regarding those topics. It is important, that you are patient, possesses good social skills, and you have a good understanding regarding IT. Furthermore, we expect you being willing to share your culture and knowledge.

Persons who are attracted of getting practice/experience within approaches in the field of youth work and some social work targeting the age group 13-17 years should consider applying for this EVS project.

The working language will be in English, and we expect you to be able to make conversations in English until the participant is familiar with Danish.

If you have skills and ideas you want to bring into the project these are much welcomed.

The working language will be in English until the participant is familiar with Danish.

#### How to apply

Fill in the application form and e-mail it to [youth@kolding.dk](mailto:youth@kolding.dk) before the deadline

#### Related links

About Kolding: [www.kolding.dk/living-in-kolding](http://www.kolding.dk/living-in-kolding)

About Denmark: [www.denmark.dk](http://www.denmark.dk)

About youth schools in Denmark:

[http://ungdomsskoleforeningen.dk/CustomerData/Files/Folders/17-filer-publikationer/60\\_info-magasin-eng.pdf](http://ungdomsskoleforeningen.dk/CustomerData/Files/Folders/17-filer-publikationer/60_info-magasin-eng.pdf)

About living and studying in Denmark: <http://studyindenmark.dk/>

About Erasmus+: [http://ufm.dk/en/education-and-institutions/programmes-supporting-cooperation-and-mobility/erasmus?set\\_language=en&cl=en](http://ufm.dk/en/education-and-institutions/programmes-supporting-cooperation-and-mobility/erasmus?set_language=en&cl=en)

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