



ERASMUS+

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## LEARNING BY GAMING

13th September – 24th September 2022

(excluding travel days)

PARTNERS: Sdruzhenie WalkTogether  
Seiklejate Vennaskond  
Asociacija Tavo Europa  
Stowarzyszenie Sztukater  
Democracy and Law Youth Community



## WHERE: Sant'Agata de' Goti ITALY



## SUMMARY

The basic idea is to use game as an incentive to act. The instinct to game is common to all human beings, wherever they live in the world and whatever their level of culture. In game we are always active and protagonists of our own story, because we involve ourselves in the first person and do so in an absolute way, which facilitates deep transformations and lasting learning. Playing has always represented an element of socialisation and union, governed by the pact and commitment to share common rules and the same playing field. It is not a question of escaping from reality by taking refuge in the game, but of improving reality by bringing elements of the game into it; this is what Gamification aims to do. Gamification uses the dynamics of play to apply them to non-gaming contexts, so that people experience the same participatory and fluid, all-encompassing and involving momentum as those who play; it involves and enables the exploitation of many of the natural human desires: socialisation, learning, mastery, success, status. The value of game as an approach allows these tendencies to be harnessed as learning mechanisms. Game as an approach also allows for intercultural dialogue through the telling and playing of traditional games, which have been passed down from generation to generation and keep the origins and traditions of each people alive.

## MAIN GOALS

- techniques and strategies for involving young people in non-formal education activities with a focus on target groups from situations of social-economic-cultural degradation;
- basic methodologies: gaming as a universal learning tool and an instrument of personal development;
- methodological deepening, from gaming to gamification: improving reality by bringing in game elements;
- understanding the connection between physical and psychological well-being;
- knowing and recognising other contexts and ways of living; inter and multiculturalism as an asset in transition processes;
- creating experiences to promote positive attitudes and constructive curiosity towards diversity; increasing readiness to welcome and live together democratically.

## PARTICIPANT PROFILE

- interest in taking part in a multicultural experience (give priority to people who have had few or no opportunities to live experiences of this type and/or experience intercultural learning activities);
- interest in the topic of the youth exchange;
- a basic level of English;
- age range 18 to 25 years old;
- group leader no age limit, with previous experiences in Erasmus+ projects and a good knowledge of English.

**Each group must consist of 5 young people + 1 group leader.**

**Please note: in order to be eligible, the group must consist of a minimum of 4 young participants + the group leader.**

**All participants will receive a YOUTH PASS at the end of the mobility action.**



## PREPARATORY VISIT

There will be a Preparatory Visit on 14 and 15 July 2022 (excluding travel days). Participation in the Preparatory Visit is for the group leader + 1 young participant. Both will then have to take part in the YE in September in order to be reimbursed.

Travel costs for the VP will be reimbursed up to a maximum of 275€ for Bulgaria, Lithuania, Poland and Turkey and up to a maximum of 360€ for Estonia. In addition, board and lodging costs and anti-covid testing (if necessary) will be covered by host organisation.

## TRAVELLING:

The nearest airport is **Capodichino** in Naples.

The nearest railway station is **Caserta**.

Once arrived at this airport or station you will find our shuttles that will take you to our small village.

**Please note:** other airports and/or arrival stations are not covered by the grant.

Organization	Country	Budget
Maison du Monde	Italy	20 €
Sdruzhenie Walk Together	Bulgaria	275 €
Asociacija Tavo Europa	Lithuania	275 €
Democracy and Law Youth Community	Turkey	275 €
Stowarzyszenie Sztukater	Poland	275 €
Seiklejate Vennaskond	Estonia	360 €

Costs related to travel in Italy (Napoli airport/Caserta station-Sant'Agata) and those related to food and accommodation, are entirely covered by the host organisation.

Travel costs are refundable for participants who attend all the sessions, commit themselves fully to the activities of the project. Travel expenses will be covered after collecting travel documents on condition that the participants use the cheapest ways of transportation and submitted original invoices for plane tickets, boarding passes, train and bus tickets. Private

cars, Taxi and first-class tickets will not be reimbursed! Please book the cheapest mean of transport.

**Please note:** as stated in the 2022 Programme Guide, travel days are ONE for arrival and ONE for return, up to FOUR travel days are allowed ONLY if environmentally friendly means are used for the journey.

Any variation must be communicated in good time to the organising association and approved by the NA.

## ACCOMODATION

Participating groups will be hosted by the B&B "La Torretta San Giovanni a Corte". Participants will be divided into the two adjacent structures by gender, each room and/or flat has a private bathroom. We recommend that you bring personal towels in compliance with the anti-Covid regulations, as well as personal hygiene products.

## WHAT TO PREPARE

- ✓ two ice breacking and two energizer game;
- ✓ a traditional game to present and then put into practice;
- ✓ list of any recycled items to be used in traditional games;
- ✓ intercultural evening: presenting your country through typical food, games, dances.

## HEALTH:

All the participants coming from the EU should bring their European Health Card. They can use the free European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) to allow you access to public hospital treatment. **Please be aware that the EHIC is NOT a travel insurance policy, it will not cover private health care, non-emergency health costs, or being flown back to your home country.**

We highly recommend you to make a health and travel insurance for the full duration of your time in Italy.

If you have any allergies or you need to take regular medications, please arrange these things by yourself as we are unable to provide them for you. Likewise, if you have any health conditions, disabilities or mobility issues that you feel we need to be aware of or that may affect your



participation in the youth exchanges activities, then please let us know what they are and how best to assist you.

## **COVID-19 SPECIAL MEASURES**

The association Maison du Monde will provide participants with anti-contagious safety devices from Covid-19, such as masks, sanitizing gels and body temperature meter. All environments where activities will take place will be sanitized. Everything to guarantee the development of the project in full safety and in compliance with current regulations regarding the Covid-19 situation.

If necessary for the travel, the cost of anti-Covid tests (PCR and Antigenic) will be reimbursed.

We kindly ask participants to buy an insurance, to cover the costs in case of quarantine. We will not be able to cover nor the cost of the insurance, nor the costs of quarantine, but will support the participants to find an accommodation for the quarantine and help them in everything they will need.

## **DEADLINES**

We kindly ask you to select your participants by 1st August 2022 and to send us possible travel options.

Once we have agreed on the best travel option, you can proceed to purchase your tickets. We recommend that you send us an email confirming your ticket purchase. **No later than 12th August 2022.**

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