

EUROPEAN YOUTH EDUCATION „THINK EUROPE“

TEMATYKA:

The beauty in YOUth – the beauty in Europe

November 04th 2018 to November 11th 2018, Europahaus Marienberg

Participants:

7 young people from France and one accompanying adult, 7 young people from Greece and one accompanying adult 7 young people from Romania and one accompanying adult 8 young people from Lithuania and two accompanying adults, 8 young people from Poland and two accompanying adults, 8 young people from Spain and two accompanying adults, 8 young people from Hungary and two accompanying adults and 7 young people from Germany and one accompanying adult Age of the participants 16+

PROGRAM

Sunday November 04th 2018

till 06.00 pm Arrival and Check-in

06.00 – 07.00 pm Dinner

07.30 – 09.00 pm Beautiful YOUth: “Hey who are you & how are you”? The first real face-to-face meeting, getting together as a group, kick-off activities, getting to know the surroundings Group dynamics: The highest and most beautiful spaghetti-marshmallow-tower of the world

Monday November 05th 2018

08.00 – 09.00 am Breakfast

Tired? Good, let’s go crazy with Greece and France – vivid morning kick-off to get the day started

09.00 am – 12.30 pm Beautiful YOUth – becoming friends... discovering me and the others Group-building activities and international ice-breaking with games and get-to-know process

Kick-off for discovering me: “The story of my life” – visualization of individual milestones

Daily Group pic: daily group picture according to mood and feelings – creative photography

Setting up of Buddy-Groups, learning reflection groups, visualization of latest expectations, board of ideas, shared responsibilities for the week, “Book of

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Love”, Instagram account for photo documentation and more

12.30 pm Lunch

02.30 pm „The power of now“ – experiencing the moment

03.00 – 04.00 pm The European dimension in time - Live Action Role Play „Suity

Hero“(EDU-Mini-LARP) – a continent in ashes

Plot and setting up of groups that will play separately. Each group will be separated into six smaller groups (fictional states) that have to rebuilt their country after war – own strategy and game dynamic, open process: with surprises, changes and hurdles – be creative!!! Derolling & break

04.30 – 05.30 pm Debriefing „Suity Hero“: Gathering the results, experiences from the game, what was successful, what crashed, transfer to reality, lessons learned

Visualizing the learning experiences, discussion in the group

“Book of Love”, Buddy-Groups, group evaluation, mood-o-meter – individual everyday evaluation combined with group and team reflections according to mood of the group

from 07.00 pm „European Candlelight-Dinner“ – The way to a man’s heart is through his stomach...

One table, 8 flags and various delicacies: Joint dinner with delicacies from all the countries on a huge European table incl. programme.

All countries contribute to the joint dinner with food, drinks and decoration. Bon Appetite!

Tuesday November 06th 2018

08.00 – 09.00 am Breakfast

Tired? Good, let's go crazy with Lithuania and Germany – vivid morning kick-off to get the day started

09.15 – 10.30 am „My personal European symbol“ Presentation of individual personal symbols for Europe by each participant with corresponding story about the reason – sharing and discussion about different aspects and European priorities

10.30 – 11.00 am Pause

11.00 am – 12.30 pm „Step forward“ – The privilege walk Exercise about discrimination, xenophobia and human rights Introduction, role profiles and development of the role, implementation in two steps, debriefing in smaller groups, afterwards in the big group (visual & verbal)

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12.30 pm Lunch

02.30 pm „The power of now“ – experiencing the moment

02.30 – 04.00 pm „European Winter Walk – the beauty in YOUth“ Multinational teams of 2 or small groups walk through the winter landscape with questions about happiness, future, sorrows, fears etc., picture documentation of the walk

04.00 – 04.45 pm „Warming Tee time“ Welcome back to the Europahaus, tea and coffee for warming up after the winter walk

05.00 – 06.00 pm „Tree of life – picture of YOUth“ Teams and groups of the „European Winter Walk“ fill up a huge tree (leafs, branches, trunk, roots) with post-it's about their experiences from the walk (anonymous if needed), saving the photo documentation for the online project

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06.00 – 07.00 pm Dinner

Wednesday November 07th 2018

08.00 – 09.00 am Breakfast

Tired? Good, let's go crazy with Romania and Poland – vivid morning kick-off to get the day started

09.00 am – 12.30 pm „Sailing to a new land: A brave New World“ Simulated journey to a new country for education on human rights and democratic citizenship Working out rules & legislation based on the inhabitants values and ideas (legal declaration for the new world) and transferring this idea into a visual monument via Kapla stones Presentation, comparison of different approach, discussion, transfer to reality in the European dimension, conclusion

12.30 pm Lunch

02.30 pm „The power of now“ – experiencing the moment

02.30 – 04.00 pm „Game of Life“ Gaming on cooperation, humanity, leadership Gaming phase plus debriefing, „Food for thought“ and advanced self-reflection

04.00 – 05.00 pm „Getting ready – performing like hell“ Setting up the “youth in concert” groups, “rules” of the concert, start of preparation and rehearsal

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06.00 – 07.00 pm Dinner

08.00 pm „Youth in concert“ – meet the infamous rock bands of all time – experiencing and overcoming the own comfort zone

Thursday November 08th 2018

08.00 – 09.00 am Breakfast (packed lunch)

09.00 am Departure to Cologne

11.00 am – 12.00 pm “Hello. Meet your happiness today” Local activities in Cologne to experience the way on how to influence your own happiness - SURPRISE

12.00 – 04.00 pm Free time in international groups in Cologne, discovering the city, finding new experiences

04.15 pm Departure to Bad Marienberg

06.00 – 07.00 pm Dinner

07.00 pm Debriefing on the activities “Meet your own happiness”

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Friday November 09th 2018

08.00 – 09.00 am Breakfast

Tired? Good, let’s go crazy with Hungary and Spain – vivid morning kick-off to get the day started

09.15 – 10.30 am „The big picture“ – A World Café on the happiness of life and the future of the EU Rotating table on experiences of the week, bringing together learning results, goals for the future, open questions, new perspectives, networking aims and many more, discussions process and wrap-up

10.30 am – 12.30 pm Mobile movie festival: „Our digital story – our statement“ – our future, our Europe – the beauty! Video production – small international groups transfer their learning experiences and European dimension into a creative clip with props and actors, different movie genres and digital tools

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12.30 pm Lunch

02.30 pm „The power of now“ – experiencing the moment

02.30 – 04.00 pm Playing intercultural, playing international politics – The game „Zin Obelisk“: The riddle, the communication, the adventure – all live Ethnicities going crazy on the obelisk, one question drives them all, who will find the correct answer and what are the obstacles to be experiences

04.00 – 05.00 pm Debriefing: Zin Obelisk – individual and group-based experiences, lessons learned Sharing the experiences and identifying the learning message, group discussion and debriefing

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06.00 – 07.00 pm Dinner

On voluntary basis: Continuation of the “Mobile movie festival” – having fun in a working nightshift

Saturday November 10th 2018

08.30 – 10.00 am A little-later & extended Breakfast

10.00 am – 12.30 pm “Walking cinema”: Mobile movie festival: „Our digital story – our statement“ + letter to MEPs and local politicians (follow-up) Finalizing the clips, saving and presenting in the movies in a walking cinema, sharing in the big group afterwards

12.30 pm Lunch

02.30 pm „The power of now“ – experiencing the moment

02.30 – 05.30 pm „Time to say good bye & Candy time – appreciation of results and people“
Different farewell activities, personal „Candy“ for the pax, Youthpass / „think europe“-
certificate etc.

The last Group pic: daily group picture according to mood and feelings – creative
photography

06.00 pm European Barbecue: joint farewell evening at the Barbecue hut, programme:
surprise?!

Sunday November 11th 2018

07.00 – 08.00 am Breakfast + packed lunch for traveling

08.00 – 09.00 am Bye, Bye I: Final impressions, farewell activities and final “flashlight” of
the gathering

09.00 am Bye, Bye II: Homeward journey