

CALL FOR EVS VOLUNTEERS IN POLAND

Volunteer Center is looking for EVS Volunteers motivated to work with children and/or youngsters for **approved** project in 4 receiving organizations in Kielce.

Project title: MULTICULTURAL KIDS

Project dates: 01.09.2016 - 30.06.2017 (10 months)

Location: Kielce, Poland

ABOUT VOLUNTEER CENTER

Volunteer Center in Kielce was established in 1997 as a program of Foundation of Development of Local Democracy. It became independent organization in 2005. Our main aim is to raise understanding of volunteering, youth participation and development of youth initiatives. We are volunteer job center match-making organizations and institutions looking for volunteers with people who are motivated to become volunteers.

We are also accredited organization in European Volunteer Service as Receiving, Sending and Coordinating Organization. This time we are taking the role of Coordinating Organization of activities in 4 placements: kindergarden, primary schools and junior high school.

THE AIM of this project is to bring Non-Formal Education into schools and kindergarden, develop attitudes of openness and tolerance towards others/foreigners in children and youngsters in Kielce and to enable young people (Volunteers) personal development and experience in work with children/youngsters.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION:

ACCOMODATION:

Volunteers will be living in a single rooms in a shared flat/house with other EVS volunteers.

FOOD ALLOWANCE AND POCKET MONEY:

Each volunteer will receive 100 EUR of food allowance and 85 EUR of pocket money

APPLICATION:

You can apply for one of the placements below (depending on your country of origin). Read carefully

the detailed information about each of them and decide if you are interested. Then write your CV

and the Motivation Letter saying why do you want take part in the activity/project and send to: michal.braun@centrumwolontariatu.eu as soon as possible.

PLACEMENT NR 1

Kindergarden Nr 19 with units for children with disabilities

Project dates: 01.09.2016 – 30.06.2017

Kindergaen Nr 19 in Kielce is the public institution operating since 1989. Currently it is attended by 200 children aged 3-6 years old – also with different disabilities: autism and physical or intellectual impairment. The aim of the kindergarden is to provide care, education, health and safe growth for all our preschoolers. Children without any disability can develop their sense of responsibility, sensitivity, openness and tolerance. Disable children grow in inclusive environment giving them the sense of affiliation. They become more open and prepared for everyday life and further education. The Staff of Kindergarden tries hard equalize chances of both groups and runs activities according to children needs and capacities. Apart from regular activities there are also extra ones: eg. Eurhythmics, gymnastic, art and English classes. In some cases children undertake individual education.

TASKS FOR VOLUNTEERS:

- 3 hours per day: help with everyday basic activities, such a breakfast, walks, games, workshops and reading books.
- 2 hours per day: time for children with special needs (walks, games, assigned tasks)
- 2 hours per day: organizing meetings with invited guests (e.g. police, city guard, firefighters) and make special events, sport activities and competitions.
- 1,5 hour/ two times per week: Polish language classes.

There will be also some time dedicated for meeting with Mentor and MATE.
Information on EVS accredited organization database:

https://europa.eu/youth/volunteering/organisation/937302562_en