

Dear Volunteer,

**WE ARE LOOKING FOR MOTIVATED YOUNG PEOPLE (18-30 Y.O.)
WHO WISH TO COME FOR ESC EXPERIENCE IN LITHUANIA!**

6 volunteers, 5 organisations, 2 cities

Lithuania described by other volunteers:

- green natural landscape - endless forests and lakes;
- varieties of different types of architecture;
- good food;
- easy to travel (both inside and outside the country);
- most young people know English;
- it's safe here!;
- Lithuanians will love your effort to speak in Lithuanian;
- generally undiscovered country.

Organisations to choose from:

- Skautų slėnis - scout campsite
(Ukmergė)



- After school club Lyderių karta
(Ukmergė)



- Youth Leisure Center
(Ukmergė)



- Atradimai School
(Kaunas)



- Kaunas Waldorf School
(Kaunas)



Skautų slėnis

Scout valley is a scout campsite. It is located in the nature near Ukmergė. Main programs and activities: Outdoor activities for scouts: hikes, camps, leader outdoor training courses, meetings and other events; Outdoor activities for non-scouts: summer camps to introduce scout outdoor experience to 8-18 years old children and youth; Outdoor adventure education programs for schools and youth groups; Forest kindergarten; Promotion of voluntary work in the region; Promotion of ECO sustainable living.

<https://www.skautuslenis.lt/>

Lyderių karta

Our after-school centre ensures professional childcare and even the possibility to pick up kids from school and take them to their extracurricular activities. Children are supervised, safe and ensured with plenty of interesting activities.

Main purposes of the after-school centre are: help to shape a young person's conscious personality; to provide an early vocational guidance and non-formal education; to help parents, resulting in calmer working days and increased added value; high-quality childrens' free time while strengthening their social skills and emotional intellect.

After-school activity centre contributes to the formation of mature personalities that respects other people, their community and the environment, actively participates in the public life and understands their role as citizens of the country.

ESC volunteers will support children in every day tasks, organise creative activities, events, excursions. During holiday time organise camps and outdoor activities. Own initiative is always welcome!

<http://www.lyderiukarta.lt/>

Youth Leisure Centre

The activities of the Youth Leisure Centre are aimed at all young people aged 14 to 29. Particular attention is paid to working with young people with fewer opportunities from incomplete, more economically disadvantaged families at social risk, as well as those with learning and socialization disabilities. The center is actively involved in project activities both nationally and internationally. Volunteer at the Youth Leisure Centre will help organise informal meetings with young people: discussions, music improvisation sessions, cooking, table tennis tournaments, board games, movie nights. There will be a lot of focus on informal communication with visitors and also plenty of room for personal initiatives.

<https://www.jlc.lt/>

Atradimai School

Atradimai School is a non-governmental school, based on forward free pedagogy aimed to support children's self-awareness, confidence in own abilities and creativity.

Strong students' self motivation is a key of educational system here. Volunteers will be a part of the community and will take part in school activities. Volunteers' duties consists of: organising non-formal education activities during break time (sports and games - Frisbee, volleyball, basketbal...), leading artes liberales activities (arts - music sessions, theatre, film making...) Volunteers will be given space and freedom to take personal initiatives for the after-school activities as well as during break times.

<https://www.mokyklaatradimai.lt/>

Kaunas Waldorf School

Kaunas Waldorf School is a non-governmental school based on Waldorf Pedagogy. It is aimed to support children's self-awareness, confidence in own abilities and creativity. Strong cooperation between children, teachers and parents is a key of educational system here. Volunteers will be part of the community and will take part in school and kindergarten activities. Volunteers in the kindergarten will help educators in daily activities, such as greeting children, leading morning circle, preparing the food table, going outside. They will also organise arts & crafts activities: colouring, moulding, handicrafts, music sessions, theatre; and sports activities: frisbee, volleyball, basketball, going to the swimming pool. Volunteers will be given space and freedom to take personal initiatives for the after-school activities as well as during break times. Its a great place for those who like to test own skills in working with children and want to gain valuable experience in alternative Waldorf pedagogy.

<https://valdorfas.org/>

PROJECT ENVIRONMENT

Kaunas

It's a second largest city in Lithuania with population of briefly 350,000 people. It has a stunning medieval old-town with touches of German architectural influence, a lot of universities and enterprises, rich history and is surrounded by beautiful nature.

Volunteer will live in a shared apartment with other volunteers.



Ukmergė

Ukmergė is a small town, located 78 km Northwest of the capital Vilnius, with a population of about 22,000. It's surrounded by a ring of palaces and wilderness. It's a very safe and peaceful town full of art and its' own uniqueness. Big cities are in an easy reach by public bus.

SOME EXTRAS

Volunteers will be supported by [Scout Valley](#) - an organisation that offers scout activities: hikes, camps, etc. Volunteers will be welcomed to join Scout Valley's activities as well!

There will be a meeting held once a month for all volunteers. These meetings will be aimed at team building, reflection, some planning and fun.

Project dates: **September 2022 – August 2023 (6 or 12 months).**

All costs (travel, accommodation, food, activities, insurance, and language courses) are covered by European solidarity corps program. Volunteers will live in Kaunas or Ukmergė in a shared apartments. Transportation will be arranged (bikes or a car).

Get ready to grow as a personality, gain invaluable experience working with children and being a part of a team.

INTERESTED ALREADY?

Send us your CV and motivational letter:
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