

# Youth Exchange “ACT for Education”



17 - 28 October, 2022  
Mtskheta / Georgia



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# DATES

\*APV (Advanced planning visit)

ONLINE: 17 - 19 September, 2022

(Only for Group Leaders)

\*YE (Youth Exchange)

Arrival: 17 October / Departure: 28 October, 2022

(for full group )

# VENUE

\*APV (ONLINE)

\*YE - Mtskheta Municipality

What is Youth Exchange(YE)?

<https://erasmus-plus.ec.europa.eu/opportunities/individuals/youth-exchanges>



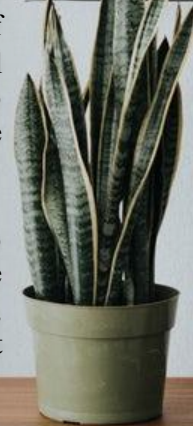


# PROJECT SUMMARY

“Clash! Exchange & Learning” together with NGO’s - “Youth For the World” (Georgia) & “Schoolclash” (The Netherlands) initiates an ERASMUS+ Youth Exchange “Act For Education”.

Since the beginning of the world, Acting with body was a form of a communication & it still present in many people’s daily life, in rural & developed areas. Culture, another key concept in the discipline of dance, refers to the values, beliefs, norms & rules shared by a group & learned through communication. The relationship between dance & culture is reciprocal. Culture gives meaning to who dances what, why, how, when, where & with & for whom, in addition to the role of the dance audience. Through dance we can learn about very sensitive topics such as any kind of discrimination, migration & inclusion. Therefore main point of this YE is to give equal opportunities for everyone through social inclusion using art as the main tool, with main aim to reach better understanding between different nations & overcome mistaken stereotypes with the art, specifically dancing, as a tool.

The idea of the project is created to link the aims to each other, not only to find ways to go forward, but also to improve & empower one another. Knowledge of E + will encourage more active participation, which on the other hand will give way for more projects to be done, eventually creating a direct relation between local communities & participant & an indirect relation between locals & Erasmus+.





# MAIN OBJECTIVE

- Main objective is to create a safe space for discussions about inclusion with using body as a unique tool. On a same time promote discussion about discrimination & inter cultural dialogue with the help of outdoor education elements.

We also aim to:

- Get intercultural experience by meeting with the people from 8 different countries, cultures, religions to practice tolerance & break stereotypes & prejudices;
- To stimulate the idea of social inclusion;
- To understand what non verbal communication is & how to use it for a better communication;
- To raise awareness about different cultures and how art, specifically dancing, is related to each culture.



# PARTICIPANTS PROFILE & PREPARATION



Expected participants: youth workers, young leaders, young people, who are already active, but aim to develop as youth leaders, concretely in the sphere of inclusion, discrimination and understand concepts of new tools used during the sharing process.

1. Be ready to present your country, we would like to see your traditional dances, listen music & taste your food.

2. Be ready for Dance, Sport & outdoor activities. Please be prepared for various weather conditions (bring comfortable shoes & rain coats).

3. Make sure you are ready to step outside your comfort zone, spend time with 39 other people for 12 days, participate in all activities, share your ideas and have a great time.

4. All participants should be ready to present their organizations during the NGO Fair.

AGE limit for Group Leaders: +18  
AGE limit for participants: From 18 - Till 30

5. Each participant must plan a follow-up activity (after the YE), either individually or collectively.



Project will be implemented in the frame of the ERASMUS+ Programme. Accommodation, living, working materials & other project (Youth Exchange) related expenses will be funded 100% by the European Commission.

***N.B! Health & travel insurance is mandatory & needs to be covered by the participants & it should include COVID19 related expenses***

Partner Countries	Partner Organization	Number of Participants
Germany (Applicant)	Clash! Exchange & Learning	4 Participant + 1 Leader
Georgia (Hosting)	Youth for the World - YFW	4 Participant + 1 Leader
Portugal	Associação Faísca Voadora	4 Participant + 1 Leader
The Netherlands	Stichting Schoolclash	4 Participant + 1 Leader
Lithuania	Inovatyvi Karta	4 Participant + 1 Leader
Moldova	Millenium	4 Participant + 1 Leader
Ukraine	AECEE - Kyiv	4 Participant + 1 Leader
Azerbaijan	Common Sense	4 Participant + 1 Leader

***N.B! All participants are required to attend sessions & activities fully***





# ACCOMMODATION

**NO Wi-Fi in the VENUE!!**  
If you need it please buy SIM with data in Airport

Activity will be held in Village Misaktsieli which is part of Mtskheta municipality, 30 min away from Tbilisi. Youth Exchange will be hosted in the hotel “KAPILONI” which is a good location for outdoor & indoor activities with all the necessary facilities for living & working. 3-4 person with different nationalities will share one room. Hosts will distribute TOWELS, no need to bring your own. Organisers will provide participants with 3 meals per day & 2 coffee/fruit breaks. We strongly recommend participants to inform organisers about any special needs of participants such as special diet (i.e. vegetarians, gluten free etc.).

# WEATHER

In October in Mtskheta usually is warm weather. Normally temperature is around +20/+25°C, but evenings/nights can be colder, so be prepared ;) We strongly recommend to bring waterproof shoes and clothing. If it gets hot enough, we'll have an outside pool, so bring your swimming suits.



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# TRANSPORTATION

Participants have several possibilities to arrive to Georgia (Tbilisi, Kutaisi & Batumi Airports). Cheapest arrival flight point is Kutaisi International Airport By Wizz Air, Then bus to Tbilisi ([georgianbus.com](http://georgianbus.com)). Other Flights mostly are operated by EUROWINGS(Tbilisi), Pegasus(Tbilisi,Batumi), Aegean(Tbilisi), AirBaltic(Tbilisi), LOT(Tbilisi, Batumi) from/via Istanbul, Riga, Athens, Warsaw.

For participants coming from Azerbaijan we require only land transportation

## ***!Please notice!***

If some participants will arrive earlier or stay longer for discovery reasons, Organisers will not Provide With transportation to/from the airport & accommodation.



## ***LOCAL TRANSFER***

All participants will be picked up from the meeting points (on arrival day) depending on their arrival date/time & will be brought to project venue in Mtskheta. Transfer schedule will be sent before arriving! Please note that travel between arrival places & project venue, then back will be organised by organisers & the costs(15/20€) for this trip will be covered by the participants from the travel costs budget (under the table budget limit).



- \*Water Bottle**
- \*Comfortable Shoes**
- \*Comfortable Pants**
- \*Comfortable Shirt**
- \*Ear Plugs**
- \*Your Favorite Song**

# What to bring







You should bring (associative photos):

1. **Torch or head lamp**, make sure to have fully charged batteries and have some extra:



2. **Reflectors**, to see each other better



3. **Comfortable clothes and shoes** for active moving (look for weather forecast):



4. **Backpack** or any other **bag** – it is easier to carry something if you have it:



5. Any needed **personal medicine**



**Rain Coats**



# COVID-19 REGULATIONS



Due to a high risk we are only accepting **FULLY VACCINATED** participants. Details about travel to Georgia can be found here: <https://www.geoconsul.gov.ge/HtmlPage/Html/View?id=2131&lang=Eng>

## Please Notice!

As the project was approved before the pandemic, no budget is appointed for PCR/or other COVID-19 tests. (Arrival/departure Test costs needs to be covered by participants)

\*In case of infection during the travel or stay in Georgia: any kind of COVID related expenses needs be managed by participants (We highly recommend to have Travel/Health Insurance which covers all possible COVID-19 related costs).



# REIMBURSEMENT

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**Participants are requested to have all tickets for round trip!**

We will need few important documents for your travel reimbursement:

1. Boarding pass (Plane)
2. E-ticket (Plane)
3. Any other kind of tickets, bills & payment proof, which you will receive during the travel.
4. Payment proof(from card history) for the PLANE ticket & for every ticket purchased online.
  - a) If you pay by CASH - we will need ORIGINAL INVOICE from company with STAMP & SIGNATURE.
  - b) If you pay by CARD - we will need PRINT FROM CARD HISTORY (From i-Banking).

**Travel reimbursement for ALL COUNTRIES will be done by BANK transfer approximately in 1 -2 months after the activity, based on full travel documents from all the groups & participants.**

Travel (flights, other means of transport) expenses are compensated (up to 100%), based on the distance from location of organisation to the location of the project. These distances must be calculated using the distance calculator supported by the European Commission.

180 €	Per Participant from <b>Azerbaijan</b>
275 €	Per Participant from <b>Ukraine(For travel from any county) &amp; Moldova</b>
360 €	Per Participant from <b>The Netherlands, Germany &amp; Lithuania</b>
530 €	Per Participant from <b>Portugal</b>



## VISA ARRANGEMENT

Participants with passport of EU states, Azerbaijan, Ukraine, Moldova do not need VISA to enter the territory of Georgia. You will need to have only a Valid for next 6 month & not Damaged international PASSPORT - **(NO ID CARD)**.

**IMPORTANT:** check the validity of your passports before the departure.

**NO participation fee!**

## IMPORTANT DATES

Sending travel options & purchasing the tickets for 1GL & 4Participants (YE): **till 20 September 2022**

**NOTICE!!! Tickets purchased without our confirmation will not be accepted, organisers should see the travel details before participants buy tickets!!!**





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