

Asociatia Pro Roma

**SAVE TOMORROW.
REDUCE, REUSE,
RECYCLE!**

**Erasmus+ youth exchange in
Oglinzi, Neamt, Romania
05.07.2022 - 12.07.2022**

Erasmus+

**Applicant organization: PRO ROMA Association,
Project nr. 2021-2-K001-KA152-YOU-000039475**





Join us on a unique learning journey during which you will learn more about environmental practices such as 3R: Reduce, Reuse and Recycle, the culture of the participating countries and have the opportunity to develop your skills with representatives of many NGOs in Europe.



A
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words
about
the
mobility



Save Tomorrow - Reduce, Reuse, Recycle!, is a youth exchange that brings together 36 participants (30 young people and 6 group leaders) from 6 countries: Bulgaria, Croatia, Spain, Macedonia, Portugal, Turkey and Romania. During eight working days, daily activities based on non-formal education will be organized, such as: debates, simulation games, play activities, field roles, team building, intercultural nights, cultural activities and reflections.



When & Where: July 4 - 13 July 2022 (including travel days); Oglinzi Camp, Neamt, Romania



Whom: young people aged between 17 and 25, disadvantaged, roma and non-roma, live in rural areas



THE ORGANIZERS



The PRO ROMA Association promotes quality education models that develop life skills among Roma people a sustainable development strategy, a society with a strong spirit of initiative, a special civic consciousness, and a true spirit of responsibility social.

The PRO ROMA Association has as main areas of interest the reduction of the educational gap between the Roma population and the non-Roma population, the improvement of the socio-economic situation of these communities, the promotion of the culture, the promotion of young Roma talents as a way of changing the image of the Roma.

For their realization, the association proposes the activities of: promoting young talents among ethnic Roma; training; community mediation; counseling, mediation and professional guidance; cultural activities.

The PRO ROMA Association team is made up of different people, brought together by the following shared values: initiative, communication, philanthropic spirit, partnership development, equal opportunities, responsibility, integrated programs.

The PRO ROMA Association is a non-governmental organization in response to the urgent need for social inclusion of the Roma community.

SUMMARY

"Save Tomorrow: Reduce, Reuse, Recycle" project was created to contribute to a better life for both planet, as well as for disadvantaged people. By implementing the project "Save tomorrow: Reduce, Reuse, Recycle" we want that together with young participants from Bulgaria, Croatia, Macedonia, Portugal, Turkey and Romania and implicitly the Roma community in our country, to produce a positive change of mentality in regarding the awareness of the negative impact created on the environment by excessive consumption and waste generated and combating it through the 3Rs Because the problem of waste has serious consequences on the Roma community in our country another perspective, namely the education of the community to recycle or reuse materials without endangering their health and protection, thus creating the need to create a framework in which to address the issue of environmental protection and recycling, but also of social inclusion. The project focuses on promoting friendly practices bored with the environment in activities of daily living based on the concept of 3Rs: Waste Reduction, Reuse and Recycling. Reduction refers to minimizing consumption and reusing to use items more than once and recycling to give a new purpose to a product.

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To promote care for the environment among the 30 participants during the 8 days of mobility, using 3 methods: waste reduction, reuse and recycling in main areas of their lives (food, clothing, housing, transportation, etc.)



To educate 30 participants about to the correct recycling of waste resulting from daily consumption during mobility

To increase participants' awareness on environmental issues through their involvement in creative recycling during mobility



FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS

Portugal – 360 EUR
Croatia – 275 EUR
Bulgaria – 275 EUR
Turkey – 275 EUR
North Macedonia – 275 EUR
Romania – 20 EUR

Please have in mind that from the total amount of grant/participant we will cover the transfers from Bucuresti/Iasi. This means that 50€ per participant will be kept for this purpose. Please discuss with the organizers and sending organization before buying the tickets.

TRANSPORTATION

Arrival: Iasi Airoport, the 4st of July

Departure: Iasi Airoport, the 13th of July

Another option is the airport in Bucharest, after which the whole group of participants will be taken by a private bus, which will travel to the place where the participants will carry out their activity. It is an option that we have practiced before, successfully, but we must take into account the synchronization of the participants' arrival in Bucharest.

Accommodation, food and materials during activity days are fully covered by Erasmus+ Programme.





REIMBURSEMENT

Reimbursement of travel costs will be done by bank transfer to your NGO as soon as you provide all necessary travel documents (invoice, ticket, boarding pass, etc) and provided full involvement in project activities is confirmed.

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 keep the boarding passes from your airport check in as well. Reimbursement will be done in EURO, regardless of the currency indicated on your ticket and receipt/invoice.

For the reimbursement of the money, you have to bring us all original documents:

- *invoices,*
- *e-tickets,*
- *proof of payment (if you pay in cash you have to bring us the receipt, but if you pay online you have to bring us the bank statement)*
- *original boarding passes*

We strongly encourage you to buy flights that have the possibility to do online check-in and in this way you will be able to give us the return boarding passes before coming to Romania, without having to send its to us by post mail once back home. Of course, if for your airline is not possible to do it, you still need to send us the boarding passes by post mail after the project.

It is very important to have all your travel and financial documents with you (the same for every member of the team), otherwise the reimbursement is NOT possible!

Please, check the VALIDITY of the passports before the departure – Passport must be valid at least for 6 (six) months.

Of course, if you want you can stay 1-2 days before/after the project in order to visit us, Iasi city, but you have to pay by yourself for those extra days.

PRACTICAL ARRANGEMENTS



The OGLINZI leisure center is located 4 km from the city of Tg. Neamt, the mountain area, behind the Citadel of Neamt, belonging to the Ministry of Youth and Sport.

<http://mts.ro/tineret/centre-de-agrement/neamt/centrul-de-agrement-oglinzi/>

*Participants will be accommodated in rooms with 2 people, mixed international, **BUT NOT GENDER***

Each room has its own bathroom (heating and hot water permanently with central heating), television in each room, internet without wireless, conference room.

Tourist routes that can be seen following an agreement:

- Bicaz Dam - Bicaz Gorges - Red Lake*
- the monasteries: Vărativ, Agapia, Neamțului, Secu, Sihăstria*
- The fortress of Neamt*
- The “Dragoș Voda” Zimbri Reserve*
- Mountain trips: Ceahlau Massif*





Activities Performed by young people in the camp

PRactical ARRANGEMENTS

The activities during the exchange will be carried out using specific non-formal, interactive and participatory learning methodologies (individual reflective, group reflective, individual work and working groups, simulation games, visits, interactive presentations, team work, cultural evenings).

If any participant have any special diet that affects your health or have a different alimentary option, must communicate in the personal application before coming to Romania.

TRAVEL ESSENTIALS

- Passport/ID
- Valid European Health Insurance cards
- Pocket money
- Parent / guardian consent for minor participants
- Letter to assume the participation in the mobility of each participant (transport, sanitary)



CULTURAL NIGHT

Don't forget to bring some traditional music for the intercultural evenings!

We will have one cultural night per country where you can expose your customs, traditional dances and culture. Please !!! All the teams must prepare some presentation of your country in a creative way (try to avoid Power Point and movies from tourist agencies). We hope, that your culture means you something more than national food and drinks. Also bring the flag or your country. It would be nice if you bring also some small souvenirs with you (costs are not covered).

THINGS TO PACK

- Toiletries
- Slippers for the use at the hostel
- Comfortable clothes
- Medicines (if you take any)
- Good sportswear and shoes for a mountain ride and something against the cold and rain, just in case.

Looking forward to seeing what you've got

TO BRING?

FOOD AND SNACKS FOR THE INTERCULTURAL COFFEE BREAKS

We would really love to see what your countries and regions have on offer and what goodies we could find there. To allow everyone to 'taste' a bit of your homeland, we would like to invite you then to bring over some snacks that we could consume during the coffee breaks. Please note that due to the meals being arranged outside the hostel, running an intercultural evening with the food may not be possible...hence the idea with the coffee breaks ;)

NGO PROMOTIONAL MATERIALS

Although the main focus of the YM is not networking, it still is very important to get to know your potential future partners.

Therefore, participation in the mobility will be an opportunity to get to know the representatives of many NGOs and institutions present at the mobility. We'd like to recommend then bringing some promotional materials, brochures of your organisations and anything else that you feel may be suitable. Although the main

focus of the meeting is on MOBILITY, feel free to prepare info also on any other areas of interest to your organisation.

PARTICIPANT COUNTRIES AND PARTNER ORGANIZATIONS

Associação Inspira!

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Intervenção juvenil e ambiental

Gençlikte Spor Sanat ve Eğitim Derneği

Active Bulgarian Society



World of Change



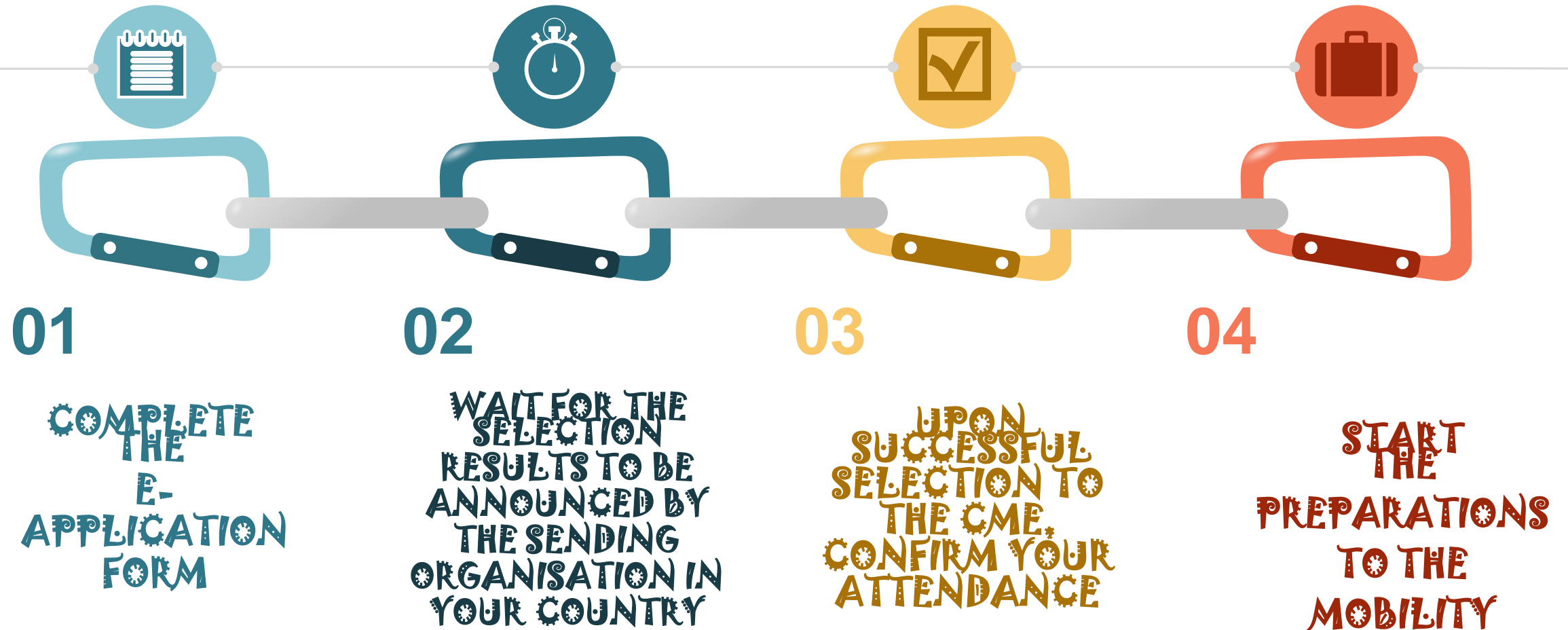
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HOW TO APPLY?



COVID-19 PREVENTION

COVID-19

Protect yourself and others from getting sick

Wash your hands

- after coughing or sneezing
- when caring for the sick
- before, during and after you prepare food
- before eating
- after toilet use
- when hands are visibly dirty
- after handling animals or animal waste



Protect others from getting sick

When coughing and sneezing **cover mouth and nose** with flexed elbow or tissue



Throw tissue into closed bin immediately after use

Clean hands with alcohol-based hand rub or soap and water after coughing or sneezing and when caring for the sick



CONTACT

Any questions related to the project and the mobility, travel to Romania well as any other matters should be addressed to the **project coordinator**

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To ensure that your e-mails arrive without delays, please always start your messages with

ERASMUS+ Youth Mobility

Contact and official Facebook Group of the project



We'll appreciate any ideas and suggestions of yours that could be incorporated at the time of preparations to the mobility or during the activity itself. This is going to be a training course which we wish to implement **NOT FOR YOU** but **TOGETHER WITH YOU!**

Let's make it an exciting learning journey!

We're waiting for you in Romania!