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MAKE AN IMPACT... YOUTH WORK IN FINLAND



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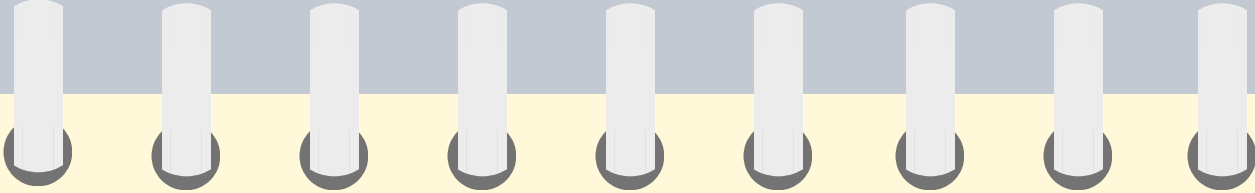
Raahe, Finland

Enjoy four seasons of the north and be active with local youth! In this project two (2) volunteers will work in the small seaside town of Raahе (24 000 inhabitants). The town is surrounded by nature and it's archipelago has become a popular destination.



Volunteers will work together with local youth to create activities and increase involvement. Volunteers will participate in the activities of the local youth work: they will work at youth houses and arrange fun activities for kids and youngsters: eg. events, trips, cultural activities and sports. Volunteers will also work at children's traffic park and in different hobby clubs. Volunteers will have an opportunity to carry out own ideas.





Accommodation, food and transportation arrangements

Volunteers are accommodated in a shared apartment. Volunteers need to cook for themselves (food allowance and pocket money will be provided). Within the city the distances are short: main venues are mainly reachable by foot. If needed, other transportation is provided. Bus station with connections to other cities locate within walking distance.

Mandatory costs are covered according to programme rules.

Training

The volunteers participate in on-arrival and mid-term trainings organized by the Finnish National agency. The volunteers can also get Finnish language lessons if they want.

Volunteers are guided to all tasks. The volunteer's personal skills or interests are considered and discussed before the project and an individual work plan is made for all volunteers.

Volunteer profile

We would like to host active volunteers who are motivated to work with children and young people. Working hours change according to tasks, so volunteers need to be flexible. As the tasks include working with children, an extract of the criminal records is required.

How and when to apply?

Send your CV and motivation letter to erja.simuna@nousevarannikkoseutu.fi

Application deadline: 20 November 2024

What happens then?

If we think you could be the volunteer we look for, we will contact you and agree a time for an interview. During the interview we discuss more about the project. The interviews take place on Monday 9 December and/or Wednesday 11 December 2024.

Need to know more: send email to erja.simuna@nousevarannikkoseutu.fi