

Protestant daycare centre "Arche Kunterbunt", Weißwasser/Germany

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Start: 1<sup>st</sup> of September 2017

End: 31<sup>st</sup> of August 2018

Spots: 1

Application deadline: 31<sup>st</sup> of March 2017

Pocket money:

Location: Görlitz, Germany

Project description: Our daycare center is in the city of Weißwasser in the Sotheast of Germany. Currently 6 teachers take care of 44 children in 3 groups aged between 1 and 6. The motto of the day care is:

"Every child is precious. Each is a creature of God." (Mother Teresa)

In our centre children learn that God accompanies them in their life and that he wants to bring them to a full development of their capabilities.

Volunteers assist the group teachers in the daily routine, support projects based on the church year or support the sport time or constructive science education of the children. We attach great importance to children spending time outdoors. Physical activities, constructive science education, the development of appreciation and respect for nature, as well as the creative confrontation with the environment have a high priority.

They have also the opportunity to work with refugees once a week.

Volunteer profile: We are looking for volunteers who are strong team players and who have a strong 'give it a go' attitude! Volunteers will ideally be interested in preparing activities for children and be willing to learn and try out new things. This will apply to all areas of work the volunteer may get involved in. Volunteers must be happy to work with children. If they have had previous experience that's great – however we will provide training. It is important that they have a flexible and creative attitude and are happy at times to work independently. Volunteers should be open for our Christian profile.

Training during the project:

Language course in German

intercultural training,

training for the youth leader card in Germany

Accommodation, food and transport arrangements: The volunteer will live in a host family. Weekly lunch is provided in the day care. A bike is available or a ticket for bus.

Participants with fewer opportunities: This organisation has additional mentoring or other support suitable for young people with social obstacles, educational difficulties, cultural differences or similar.

How to apply: Please send CV and motivation letter and if possible a recommendation letter to

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