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Start: 1st of September 2017

End: 1st of September 2018

Spots: 1

Application deadline: No deadline

Pocket money:

Location: Stuttgart, Germany

Project description: Volunteers get the opportunity to get involved – according to their individual abilities and previous knowledge - with the respective tasks in the hosting organisation and hereby to gain an insight in the mission and functioning of a Family Holiday Village.

Through their activities in the project the volunteer will get to know about her/his personal abilities and competences, furthermore s/he can act as a part of a team, in which all members are working as an equal.

Volunteers can work in various areas: children's programme (daily childcare during school holidays), nature exploration (guided nature tours and outdoor activities) and supporting the outdoor and nature education team, but also in reception and guest services; volunteers can support guests with planning and going on daytrips

The integration in a foreign culture and a self-determined daily life in the local community provide volunteers a personal orientation and foster the development of personal future perspectives.

Volunteer profile: Volunteers should have previous experience in working with children, youth, or young adults.

Previous experience is helpful in the areas of theater, nature and sport, entertainment, childcare or other areas.

A basic knowledge of the German language is helpful. Having a Class B driver's license is also helpful.

Training during the project: The Family Holiday Village will select a mentor to support the European Volunteers. The mentor helps volunteers from the beginning to the completion of their ending notes. While volunteering, the mentor supports the volunteers with all organizational matters. The mentor helps the volunteers integrate into the facility and educates the volunteers in their areas of work. The mentor regularly leads evaluation meetings with the volunteers. This is a time for the volunteers to talk about their experiences.

Apart from the obligatory EVS training cycle the volunteer will get weekly language courses

Accommodation, food and transport arrangements: There are living spaces for the volunteers at the institution. Volunteers can take their meals in the dining hall of the host organisation or can get foodstuff from the kitchen for self catering.

To travel around the region, European Volunteers get a free (no cost) monthly ticket. This ticket is for all forms of public transportation in the area of Rottweil.

Additional information: This opportunity is available only for candidates from Erasmus+ program countries (i.e. EU+EFTA+Turkey+Macedonia)

How to apply: Volunteers should send a CV and fill in a questionnaire they will get upon request. The decision will be based on motivation. It will not be based on background, gender, language skills, or level of education. It is also possible that there will be Skype interviews with the candidates.