

# KITA AM HAYDNPLATZ

GERMAN/FRENCH DAYCARE CENTRE

Dates: 1.10.2021 – 30.09.2022  
Open call for European volunteers  
Deadline: 09.05.2021



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# Hosting organisation

The "Kita am Haydnplatz" is a bilingual (German/French) day care centre located in the western part of the city centre of Karlsruhe. The centre welcomes children in the age of 1-6 from 07.00 to 17.30 for 61 children.

A various program for the children is offered: besides playing together, they can experience themselves by playing and working with art and colours, doing sports, by being curious in experiments and natural sciences, playing theatre or doing handicrafts. The children are always accompanied by the educators. The main goal is that the interests of the children are being supported by the educators and the volunteers. Additional excursions to museums, the city, parks or playgrounds and cooperations with other institutions take place. The day care centre is open to all children, no matter what nationality or social background they have. The children meet for breakfast and lunch in the kita, where you'll support them as well.

The main focus of the day care centre is the bilingual concept as well as the health concept of Sebastian Kneipp. The educators try to introduce the children to a healthy attitude of life by offering playful methods. The day care centre " Kita am Haydnplatz" has a long-term experience in working with local volunteers in its organisation. The team, which is mixed of different nationalities, offers an exciting working area for Volunteers of the European Solidarity Corps. The tasks of the volunteer are supporting the educators in one group of children in their daily activities, supporting the kitchen (preparing, cleaning breakfast and lunch), but as well realizing his/her own project with the children.

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Info about hosting organization:

<https://www.awo-karlsruhe.de/leistungen/familie-kind-und-jugend/kindertagesstaetten/>

Application link:

[https://europa.eu/youth/solidarity/placement/26542\\_en](https://europa.eu/youth/solidarity/placement/26542_en)



# Coordinating organisation

The Kreisjugendwerk (KJW) of the AWO Karlsruhe-Stadt is the nonprofit childrens' and youth's department of the AWO (Arbeiterwohlfahrt). As independent organization, the KJW organizes leisure activities for children and young people between the ages of 6 and 20, extracurricular education and workshops, as well as intercultural encounters and projects for young people and young adults between 15 and 27. Our work focuses on participation and personal development, and our activities are also deliberately offered to children and young people from socially disadvantaged backgrounds and to young people with a migration background. Besides coordinating the voluntary service, we are organizing a lot of camps and holidays for young people in Germany and abroad.

<https://www.jugendwerk-awo.de/aktiv-werden/european-solidarity-corps-esc>







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## Livin' Culture

The coordinating organization is, together with all european volunteers, organizing an intercultural series of events. As a volunteer you will think about organizing an intercultural event connected to inclusion and exchange topics, such as presenting your home country, or doing cooking or sport activities together, and much more.





# Activities and accomodation

The volunteer will support the daily activities with the kids, as well as special activities, such as sports, role playing, construction and arts. Depending on the own interests of the volunteer there' s the possibility to make an own project/workshop, such as doing handicrafts, games and other activities.

The volunteer will also support the preparation of breakfast and lunch for the children and he/she will support the housekeeping activities. The volunteer will work 34 hours in the kita.

Additionally, he/she has to support the coordinating organization with intercultural activities, such as the Livin' Culture project.

The volunteer has 24 holiday days. The kitas are closed some weeks in December and in August.

The volunteer will be accommodated in a house with six more ESC volunteers. The volunteers share kitchen, bathroom and a common room. There's no own sleeping room for everybody but we have a rotating system so that everybody can have his/her own room for some time. Besides there's also a room where guests can be accommodated.

The volunteer gets a card for the public transport, so he/she can travel with the tram, train and bus for free.





## Are you...

- ...creative and open-minded?
- ...interested in working with children?
- ...interested in anything you can show or share with others (music, sports, art...)?
- ...a responsible person?

Do you have a lot of new ideas for fun & educative activities?  
Do you already have some German language skills?

If yes, then you are a perfect candidate for this position. Don't hesitate to apply!

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