



Education and Culture DG

'Youth in Action' Programme



## **KAYSERİ PROVINCIAL DIRECTORATE OF NATIONAL EDUCATION PROJECT COORDINATION TEAM**

**YOUTH PROGRAMMES ACTION 1.1. YOUTH EXCHANGE PROJECT**

**“ECO-LOTO (Environment and Nature Project)”**

**MONDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> TO SATURDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2010 - KAYSERİ**

Eco-Loto( Environment and Nature Project) is a multilateral youth project. The main aim is to enhance sensibility and awareness of the young on environment, saving energy and recycling. The project activities will be held in Kayseri, Turkey. The main themes of the project are environmental issues, recycling and saving energy; cultural sharing and interaction among nations and awareness of EU citizenship. The project will both enhance the awareness on environment of the participant young people and will promote awareness at local level. Moreover, the project will promote cultural interaction, international cooperation in environmental issues and awareness of EU citizenship.

The basic method will be learning in life (do and learn technique). As the competence in English among the participants will not be at the same level, the theoretical and didactic method will not be used. Theoretical information will be limited and will be given during the practical activities. Workshops, role playing, outdoor activities, meeting among participants, ice-breaking games will be basic methods.

The duration of the project is 7 months. There are five participant groups (from Bulgaria, Ireland, Italy, Romania and Turkey). Each group consists of 5 young people and a group leader. 32 people will take part in project activities (total number including the leaders).

### **OBJECTIVES**

- To train the young people on environment problems, energy saving and recycling
- To organise outdoor activities to better understand the importance of environment and nature
- To raise awareness on recyclable materials
- To provide cooperation among young people from different countries
- To understand similarities and differences among participant countries
- To raise awareness about common cultural heritage
- To strengthen cultural similarities among intercultural dialogue
- To break stereotypes and prejudices
- To understand importance of non-formal education , exchange experience and good practice
- To foster the idea of European citizenship, the values and principles of EU
- To promote the Youth in Action programme as a useful tool for intercultural activities
- To strengthen youth networking and create a safe environment for the participants to develop new ideas for future partnerships

## COMPOSITION OF THE PARTNERSHIP

COUNTRY	NUMBER OF YOUNG PEOPLE	PARTNERSHIP	GENDER		AGE	
			MALE	FEMALE	15-17	18-25
Turkey	7	Kayseri Provincial Directorate of National Education Project Coordination Team (Host)	4	3	4	3
Romania	5	Liceul Teoretic Eugen Lovinescu	3	2	5	
Italy	5	ComeUnaMaria Onlus	1	4		5
Ireland	5	Cavan Youthreach	3	2	3	2
Bulgaria	5	Hope Association	3	2		5

## THE BASIC PROJECT CALENDAR

July 2010	The project starts
August 2010	The preparations of web site and informative materials
September 2010	Publishing the Informative Materials, Completing the Organizations for Youth Exchange
October 2010	Preliminary Meeting (The group leaders will meet and take decisions on youth exchange), issuing the web site
November 2010	Realizing the Youth Exchange Activity Preparing the reports on Youth Exchange, publishing the reports and outputs of the Exchange on web site.
December 2010	Writing the final report

## PRELIMINARY MEETING

### *FIRST DAY*

09:00-09:30 Meeting of the group leaders

09:30-10:30 Presentation of group leaders about their participants that will take part in Exchange

10:30-11:00 Coffee Break

11:00-12:00 Decisions of group leaders on how to guide and control the Exchange period

12:00-12:30 Taking common decisions for remedial actions and determining rules for Exchange period

12:30-14:30 Lunch Time

14:30-17:00 Examining the Project Contract and Youth Exchange Daily Programmes

### *SECOND DAY*

09:00-10:30 Preparing a detailed document on what will be done before the Exchange and sharing the tasks

10:30-11:00 Coffee Break

11:00-12:00 Writing the report of preliminary visit

12:00-14:00 Coffee Break

14:00-18:00 Visiting the places that the Exchange activities will be held.

**YOUTH EXCHANGE PROJECT (ECO-LOTO) ACTIVITY TABLE(6TH-13TH NOVEMBER 2010)**

<b>1<sup>ST</sup> DAY</b>	<b>Breakfast</b>	<b>First Meeting of Groups:</b> Games for learning the names of other participants <b>Meeting About the Expectations from the Project:</b> Sharing the expectations of the participants	<b>ODTU College (Eco School)</b> Visit to See School Works on Environmental Issues	<b>Lunch</b>	<b>City Tour</b> (Kadir Has Digital City Museum, Mosques, Old Kayseri House, Museums, Other Historical	<b>Free Time</b>	<b>Dinner</b>	<b>Evening Activity</b> (Preparing Wall Posters About Partner Countries) <b>Workshop</b> (The participants will share their views about the situation
<b>2<sup>ND</sup> DAY</b>	<b>Breakfast</b>	<b>Ice Breaking Games</b>	<b>Picnic Organization</b> to pick up the wastes at the picnic area	<b>Lunch</b>	<b>Workshop: Stop! It is not rubbish!</b> ( The wastes that were collected in the morning will be used to form pictures and other objects)	<b>Free Time</b>	<b>Dinner</b>	<b>Evening Activity</b> (Drama Activities Impromptu Stage Performance About Environmental Issues guided by a
<b>3<sup>RD</sup> DAY</b>	<b>Breakfast</b>	<b>Ice Breaking Games</b>	<b>Project Opening And Press Meeting</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	<b>Visit to Director's Office of the Host Institution</b>  <b>Visit to Recycling Units of Municipality</b>		<b>Dinner</b>	<b>Evening Activity</b> (Activities to introduce the local dance and culture of the participant country : ITALY)
<b>4<sup>TH</sup> DAY</b>	<b>Breakfast</b>	<b>Ice Breaking Games</b>	<b>What should I do in case of an emergency outdoors?</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	<b>Visit to Some Historical Places</b> ( Gesi Orchards, Bird Houses, Architect Sinan's House, Underground City)  <b>Learning "Ebru"</b>		<b>Dinner</b>	<b>Evening Activity</b> (Activities to introduce the local dances and cultures of the participant country : ROMANIA)
<b>5<sup>TH</sup> DAY</b>	<b>Breakfast</b>	<b>Ice Breaking Games</b>	<b>VISIT TO URGUP, GOREME, CAPPADOCIA REGION</b>				<b>Dinner</b>	<b>Evening Activity</b> Activities to introduce the local dances and cultures of the participant countries: IRELAND
<b>6<sup>TH</sup> DAY</b>	<b>Breakfast</b>	<b>Ice Breaking Games</b>	<b>Examining the Flora and Fauna in and around Kayseri</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	<b>Competition for Picking Up Plants Leaders Meeting</b>		<b>Dinner</b>	<b>Evening Activity</b> at Scout House Farewell Programme Traditional Turkish Night, Scouts Activities, Sharing the Traditional
<b>7<sup>TH</sup> DAY</b>	<b>Breakfast</b>	<b>Ice Breaking Games</b>	<b>Planting Trees</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	<b>Visit to Kadir Has Arena</b>	<b>Free Time</b>	<b>Dinner</b>	<b>Filling in the questionnaire about the project</b>