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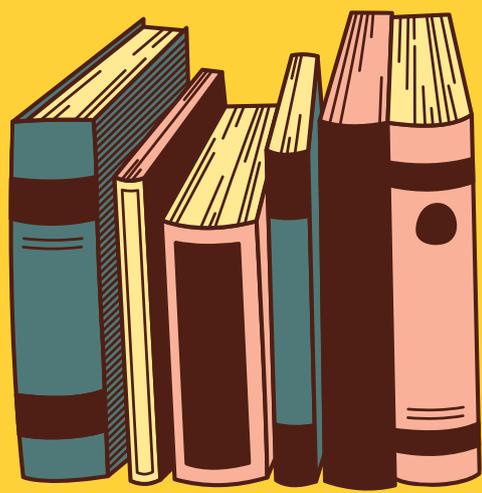


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## PERIPHERY AND RURAL AREAS: EUROPEAN SOLIDARITY & SOCIAL INCLUSION

European Solidarity Corps project in the  
Centro Giovani in Anzola dell'Emilia

Bologna - Italia



# INFOPACK FOR VOLUNTEERS

Name of the project:

**PRESS: Periphery and Rural areas: European solidarity and Social inclusion**

**PRESS**, coordinated by Younet, aims to promote mobility and transnational volunteering as a non-traditional form of emancipation and learning, aimed in particular at young people with fewer opportunities, in order to obtain a better knowledge of the active role that they can play in their communities of origin as well as in society, for a transition to adulthood and the responsibilities that this entails.

The project will involve 20 volunteers from all over Europe, who will volunteer in different venues and will carry out very different activities

Host organisation:

**Centro Giovani of Comune di Anzola dell'Emilia**





# TOPICS

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Rural development

non-formal education

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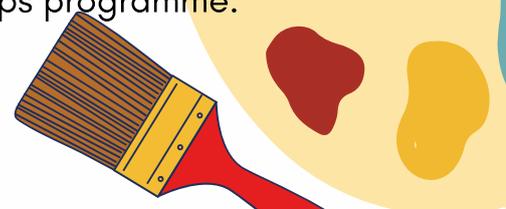


## CONTEXT & ENVIRONMENT

**Anzola** is a small municipality close to Bologna (15 min by train). The project in Anzola involves the **youth centre, library and schools** based there. The volunteer will be involved in the activities of the territory, in network with other organisations and institutions. Mainly the volunteer will carry out local initiatives with young people like thematic workshops, outdoor games, trips, exhibitions, activities connected to art and culture, supporting the work of the staff and local volunteers.

**Local impact:** Thanks to the presence of international volunteers the local community can develop a particular sensitivity and interest towards European issues, stimulating new interests, open-mindedness and curiosity towards new cultures within the local young people, as well as a different perspective of their own territory, fostering a more positive approach to foreign language learning. This also improves the awareness of being European citizens and motivate them to propose themselves as protagonists in their community.

All together, volunteers will also develop some **common projects**, supported by their mentor, p.e. the video about the project, radio interviews, public language tandems, public events... All volunteers have the responsibility to contribute to the visibility of the project and of the European Solidarity Corps programme.



# GENERAL CONDITIONS

**Accommodation:** it is in the guest house of the municipality, in the city centre. Volunteer will have a single room (bed linens are provided) with a private toilet. From time to time, depending on particular local events, other guests can be hosted in the accommodation. Each room has its own key and the privacy of each person will be respected.

**Local transport:** a bus ticket for activities will be provided if needed.

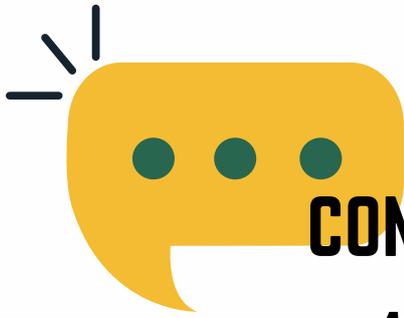
**Food & Pocket money:** volunteer will receive a total amount of 150 €/month for food and 5 €/day as pocket money. \*This payment will be done via bank transfer every first day of the month.

**Travel costs:** travel expenses (round trip flight) will be reimbursed to the volunteer according to the distance band, from 180 to 820€. Bologna is the closest airport, but it is also possible to land in Milan, Venice or Rome and then take a train to Bologna. From Bologna the volunteer can take a regional train, available every 20 minutes.

**Free days:** during the project, volunteers will have two consecutive free days per week, as well as two additional free days per month. Holidays should be negotiated with the organisation to guarantee its proper functioning.



**Language training:** volunteers are welcome to learn Italian before and during their service. Volunteers will have access to OSL (Online Linguistic Support) so that they can start the course provided by Erasmus+ programme. If needed, Yonet will provide an additional training with an Italian teacher. At the end of the project the volunteer will take an assessment in order to know the final level of Italian.



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