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A tutti i docenti e agli alunni delle classi 3<sup>^</sup>, 4<sup>^</sup> e 5<sup>^</sup> dell'Istituto "Tartaglia Olivieri".

**Oggetto:** Bando viaggio Repubblica Ceca.

Si comunica che sono aperte le iscrizioni al progetto Erasmus+ "Dancing youths".

La partecipazione è riservata ad alunni con età compresa tra i 16 e i 20 anni e il termine ultimo improrogabile per la compilazione del modulo di candidatura è il giorno 13 gennaio 2019.

**Verranno accolte in via prioritaria** le domande degli alunni partecipanti al PON "News".

Verranno considerate in ultima istanza le candidature da parte di alunni già impegnati nelle stesse date in attività di ASL (Alternanza Scuola-Lavoro).

I candidati che avranno superato la selezione verranno convocati il giorno 15 gennaio e dovranno fermarsi a scuola dalle ore 14.15 alle ore 15.30 per compilare l'iscrizione ufficiale in inglese. Gli alunni partecipanti saranno inoltre tenuti a munirsi di una assicurazione di viaggio che copra l'intero periodo di svolgimento.

Il progetto prevede un soggiorno presso la seguente struttura <http://www.zatise-penzion.cz/> situata a Komorní Lhotka, Czech Republic nei giorni 24 febbraio - 06 marzo 2019. Il viaggio sarà effettuato nei giorni 24 e 6 in pullman (circa 10 ore).

Tutte le spese di viaggio, vitto (3 pasti e 2 coffee break al giorno) e alloggio saranno coperte dal finanziamento Erasmus+.

Sono previste temperature rigide, comprese indicativamente tra 1 e 6 gradi: si richiede abbigliamento adeguato per le attività all'aperto e abbigliamento comodo per le attività che si terranno all'interno della struttura.

Si allega descrizione dettagliata del progetto.

I 31 studenti selezionati (16 femmine e 15 maschi) parteciperanno a 9 giorni di attività legate all'espressività e alla comunicazione interculturale insieme ad un gruppo di studenti provenienti dalla Repubblica Ceca. Tutte le attività si svolgeranno in lingua inglese. Prima della partenza gli alunni dovranno partecipare a incontri in orario aggiuntivo durante i quali, sotto la guida dei docenti accompagnatori, prepareranno attività e materiali da utilizzare durante il soggiorno per presentare le tradizioni e la cultura di provenienza.

Utilizzando il seguente link potete trovare un video prodotto dagli alunni che hanno partecipato ad un precedente scambio culturale: <https://youtu.be/Nw1cKM67Kf4>

Gli alunni interessati devono compilare il seguente modulo di candidatura:

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfzfsj9v9KFLSiVgGcJh4ZKvQBaoEEg7AAJc5VkhYhtDOVrGw/viewform?usp=sf\\_link](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfzfsj9v9KFLSiVgGcJh4ZKvQBaoEEg7AAJc5VkhYhtDOVrGw/viewform?usp=sf_link)

Per informazioni rivolgersi alla prof.ssa Padula oppure alla Prof.ssa Pede.

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# “Dancing Youths”

KA1 Youth Mobility – Youth Exchange

**24<sup>th</sup> February – 6<sup>th</sup> March**

**2019**

Komorní Lhotka, Czech Republic



# Project Summary

- **Type:** Erasmus+ KA1 Youth Exchange
- **Topic:** Intercultural understanding through expression
- **Location:** Komorní Lhotka, Czech Republic
- **Dates:** 24th February – 6th March 2019 (24<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> are travel days)
- **Countries:** Czech Republic and Italy
- **Participants:** 28 participants and 6 group leaders from Czech Republic and 28 participants and 6 group leaders from Italy.
- **Target group:** Students aged 16-18
- **Working language:** English
- **Application form:** [Online application form here](#)
- **Contact:** [info@bacchuss.cz](mailto:info@bacchuss.cz)
- **Facebook group:** <https://www.facebook.com/groups/2185926081438459/>

Our goal is to organise a training course **between 24th February – 6th March 2019** in **Komorní Lhotka, Czech Republic** on how to approach self-employment by familiarizing with freelancing and digital marketing.

## Project Overview

The Erasmus+ project "Dancing Youths" consists of developing knowledge, abilities and positive attitudes of young people supported by group leaders from 2 partner countries Czech Republic and Italy in the field of intercultural understanding through expression.

Objectives of the project are to increase the capacity and adaptability to intercultural environments by making full use of the freedom of expression, to increase the level of tolerance and solidarity towards other cultures, as well as to cherish diversity of the participants and increase the capacity to promote intercultural understanding and involvement in international activities in nonformal context.

## Accommodation and Venue:

**The host organization will provide and cover the accommodation and food.**

The hotel is located in Komorní Lhotka, only 40 km away from Ostrava – the third largest city of Czech Republic.

The project will be held at "[Penzion Zátíší](#)", which is a hotel surrounded by nature. Accommodation will be arranged for **2-6 persons/room**, grouped by gender. Breakfast, lunch and dinner will be served at the same location every day. There is a free internet wireless connection available, but the speed might be very slow in comparison to your normal internet in your country.



**Please be prepared that you might not get a proper internet access for the whole project.**



## Project Schedule

The structure of the youth exchange will consist of the following five phases:

Phase 1 – team building, getting to know each other, familiarizing with the context of the youth exchange, Social Contract, Youth Certificate, special session about safety and protection, measures of risk prevention.

Phase 2 – tackling the issue of stereotypes, conflicts and how can these be overcome by understanding the reasoning behind one's action and explore it through a range of nonformal tools.

Phase 3 – freedom of expression, using moves in transmitting a message while become freer in expressing themselves and own culture.

Phase 4 – creating choreography to perform during the study visit to raise awareness on cultural diversity and importance of cultural understanding.

Phase 5 – DEOR and follow-up; YouthPass certification and final evaluation.

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## Daily timetable:

08:00 – 09:00 – Breakfast	15:30 – 17:00 – Workshops III
09:30 – 11:00 – Workshops I	17:00 – 17:30 – Coffee break
11:00 – 11:30 – Coffee break	17:30 – 19:00 – Workshops IV
11:30 – 13:00 - Workshops II	19:00 – 20:00 – Dinner
13:00 – 14:00 – Lunch	21:00 – ??? – Night program

## Travel Information

The host organisation will arrange the transport and buy the travel tickets for all the groups. The group leaders must travel with the same bus/train/plane as the participants. The travel planning will be done by communication with the group leaders (teachers) from each country.

## General Information

**Currency:** the local currency is Czech Koruna. 1 EUR = 25 CZK.

**Weather conditions:** the average temperature in February – March is -1 – 6 °C during the day. Please check [www.accuweather.com](http://www.accuweather.com) for more information about the weather.

**Dress Code:** Casual comfortable clothes and shoes for indoor and outdoor activities.

**Cultural night:** participants from each country are expected to prepare a 10-15min interactive program engaging for all the participants in order to present their culture (customs, music, dance, phrases, fun facts, etc.) and to bring some typical local drinks and foods. The presentation should be done without using any multimedia such as MS Powerpoint.

**Meals:** three meals and two coffee breaks per day will be provided. We will take into account all the participants' dietary aspects such as allergies, intolerances and preferences. We will also have vegetarian menu (please note that Czech Republic is not a vegetarian friendly country and the cooks might not be able to provide all kind of vegetarian dishes).

**Dietary/Special requirements:** please inform us as soon as possible if any participant have any dietary requirements or any other special requests.

**Health and travel insurance:** the participants are required by Erasmus+ program to have a valid European health insurance card and a valid travel insurance for the period of the project including the travel dates.

**What to take:** at least one laptop per group, energy, creativity, open-mindedness.



**Preparation for facilitating one session:** each national group will have two sessions to fully facilitate on the topic of the project – intercultural understanding through expression. You may be as inventive as you can and prepare interactive workshops for the whole group.

## Participants Profile

The **target group** of this project are students aged 16-18. The most important selection criteria is the motivation of the students to participate in the youth exchange and interest in the topic.

The selection of the participants is going to be done by the school. All the selected participants will be asked to fill in the [online application form](#) where they will be asked to describe themselves according to above mentioned criteria, to self-evaluate their experience and competencies and to express their motivation to participate in the youth exchange. **An application form will be used to assess the participant's profile and potential interest in the project's topic and in subsequent dissemination activities.** The students, who do not meet the participant's profile will be replaced.

It is also important to select participants who have a clear understanding that the project does not end with the completion of activities but continues with the dissemination and presentations of the results. Gender balance and group diversity in terms of different social and cultural backgrounds should be taken into consideration. All the participants must attend all the sessions during the youth exchange.

**The deadline for applicants to fill the application form is 14<sup>th</sup> January 2019**

## Phases and Deadlines

**The selection of the participants will be done in the following phases and process:**

**1. Application period (till 14<sup>th</sup> January):** each partner should identify suitable participants based on the participant's profile, send the names to the coordinator and invite them to fill the [online application form](#). The participants should fill the application form as detailed as they can.

**2. Transport planning (15<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> January):** we will arrange the transport and buy tickets for all the participants and group leaders. The scanned versions of the IDs of the participants and group leaders will have to be provided till the 21<sup>st</sup> October.

**3. Preparation for the project activities (29<sup>th</sup> January – 23<sup>rd</sup> February):** the group leaders from each country will be in touch with the project coordinator and will prepare for the project activities.

**4. Project activities (24<sup>th</sup> February – 6<sup>th</sup> March 2019)**

**5. Dissemination of the project results (7<sup>th</sup> March – 7<sup>th</sup> April):** participants and group leaders from each country are required to organize a dissemination event in their country to communicate the result of the project to their peers and other organisations; write an article to school's website, make a dissemination presentation to school and upload pictures of it to school's website as well as make dissemination activities of their choice.