

## **FREQUENT QUESTIONS ABOUT E.V.S**

### **.-Which is the limit of age to take part in EVS?**

The EVS is opened for youngsters between 18 and 30 years

### **.-Where there take place the projects EVS?**

The Voluntary European Service concerns to almost all the countries of the world. But there are some rules and conventions on whom it can go to where.

### **.-How do I find my sending organization and my host organization?**

Organizations of sending and reception of the EVS with not governmental organizations / associations, local / regional authorities or other active bodies for example in areas of social, cultural, environmental work, for the community or juvenile. His information of contact is available in the European database of organizations justified for the EVS.

### **.-Do I need to have coverage of some insurance?**

The volunteer is provided with a specific plan designed to protect the participants of the EVS of free form.

### **.-Do I need to know the language of my host country?**

The volunteers' selection should not be realized in agreement by the knowledge of a language, until a basic knowledge is necessary for a specific task. During the project of the EVS there will be provided the volunteer of a linguistic support in order to assure his integration

### **.-Do I need to possess some special skills to take part in EVS's project?**

The volunteers' selection must not be done according to the skills of the volunteers. The EVS must be opened for the whole world. Nevertheless, in well-taken cases, certain sensibility or capacity they are sometimes mentioned as advantages for specific tasks.

### **.-Can I move back from a project if something goes badly?**

Certainly enough things can go badly during a voluntary work. Misunderstandings or lack of communication can do some difficult periods. Nevertheless the communication sometimes is the key to solve really difficult situations. To move back from a project is the last option, if nothing any more works. Therefore bear in mind what this decision carries and that should be discussed with your organization of sending, reception and coordinator and with the national or executive agency.

### **.-My sending organization, coordination or hosting can they ask for a financial contribution me for my participation in EVS's project?**

Not. The participation in the EVS is free for the volunteer.

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