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WHO WE ARE?

The "Children and Youth National Center" is a legal entity of public law estab—lished under the Ministry of Education, Science, Culture and Sports of Georgia. The Center was established in 2007 with a view to facilitating the implementation of state youth policy through services tailored to the needs of Georgian children and youth in the age range of 0-29. To support the fulfilment of the economic, social and cul-tural rights of the children and youth, CYNC actively supports and implements educational, recreational, sport and cultural activities.

Center was established with the mission, of creation of relevant conditions for the formation and development of youth's intellectual, personal, professional and physical potential, development of international co-operation on issues regard—ing children and youth. Center aims: Promotion of non-formal education, In—crease of the vulnerable group involvement in civic activities, Promotion of healthy lifestyle among children and youth and etc.

Since 2011, CYNC has hosted in sum, camps have hosted around 30 000 youngsters. CYNC is in charge of the implementation of the camps fully.

CYNC organizes, coordinates, promotes, encourages and provides non-formal education, inclusion, healthy lifestyle, employability, participation, volunteer—ing, research and policy in the field of youth. CYNC runs annually Youth Fes—tival, which includes diverse programs, projects and activities covering all re—gions of the country.



ABOUT THE PROJECT

LEPL "Children and Youth National Center" is pleased to announce the Call for European School Summer Camp 2019 in Georgia. The project is supported by the European Union and is the part of the initiative establishing the Eastern Partnership European School in Georgia.

This year, Young people from the EU and its' six Eastern Partnership countries (Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, the Republic of Moldova and Ukraine) are invited to apply for the European School Summer Camp 2019, which will take place in Georgia from 16-30 August (15 Days), 2019. Participants should be aged between 14 and 18 at the time of applying for the project.

The Summer Camp will gather up to 100 young people to participate in various educational and interactive activities. These activities will aim to highlight European civil values and foster co-operation, multi-cultural understanding and tolerance among young people in the EU and Eastern Partnership countries. CYNC, under the same programme, already held two camps in 2017 and 2018 which hosted 180 international students in Georgia. To view more information about previous camps please go here Photos: https://goo.gl/9Qp2up; Video of the previous camps: https://goo.gl/Tg49fR; https://goo.gl/Mk5MrR; https://goo.gl/0YkKQg;

The camp will serve as a preparatory phase for potential students of the Eastern Partnership European School and for other interested young people.

The establishment of the Eastern Partnership European School is part of the broader regional effort to address the needs of youth, focusing on secondary education. It is a flagship project of the Commission in the Eastern Neighbourhood region and one of the Eastern Partnership's "20 Deliverables for 2020".

SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES AND EXPECTED OUTCOMES OF THE PROJECT

The main objective of "European School Summer Camp 2019 in Georgia" is to support and prepare peer educators with common European civil values and to foster co-operation, multi-cultural understanding and tolerance among young people in the Eastern Partnership region.

- a) Establish non-formal space to increase the occurrences of cross-na tional dialogue;
- b) Support Participants to expand will expand their network by using the created online platform;
- c) Implement 6-8 effective training modules;
- d) Each Participant country will develop a youth led follow up project that will promote civic education;
- e) Participants will improve their personal and professional skills in 6 out of 8 lifelong competences in context of EU Values;
- f) Each of the 6 8 learning modules will have one project created by participant group;
- g) The camp will include information/orientation session on the programme of the Eastern Partnership European School



CYNC expects to achieve the following outcomes after the camp

- Gain experience, skills, and connections
- Establish Network with a dynamic group of experts and mentors
- Expand your professional network and develop relationships with peers and counterparts
- Develop your personal and professional skills in 6 out of key competencies for lifelong learning
- Have fun and engage in extracurricular activities with your peers



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European School Summer Camp 2019 in Georgia



METHODOLOGY

The European Union supports the creation of friendly environments for young people with different cultural backgrounds to participate in civic activities, share cultural knowledge, and promote multi-cultural understanding and tolerance.

The camp will offer participants practical as well as theoretical sessions in different fields of youth work that are based on the techniques of non-formal education. Within the program, participants will become peer educators and will be able to share practices of youth activism in their own countries. At the end of the Camp, participants will prepare project proposals that will be implemented in their countries as post camp activities.

The European School Summer Camp 2019 will last for 15 days in 2019 and will host 100 youngsters. Throughout the project, participants will be able to develop key competencies for lifelong learning.

Methodology of learning process is based on non-formal education principles, including discussions, presentations, group works, role plays, simulations, interactions, etc. Each day of the camp includes practical workshops and sessions.

During the day, campers will be engaged in Educational, Sports, and Cultural activities.

The camp will cover teaching modules for 6 out of 8 lifelong learning key competences of Action Plan Program, established under Erasmus+, such are: Communicating in a foreign language, Digital competence, Learning to learn, Social and civic competences, Sense of initiative and entrepreneurship, Cultural awareness and expression.

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WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO APPLY?

Eligible applicants must meet all of the following requirements:

- 1. Be a citizen and reside of the same country, in European Union or Eastern Partnership countries (Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, the Republic of Moldova and Ukraine);
- 2. Meet the age requirements set: Between 14 and 18 years old at the time of applying for the project;
- 3. Be enrolled in a secondary school in one of the EU of EaP countries at the time of application;
- 4. Knowledge of English (The Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) B2 Level or higher); Represented English language Certificate will be considered as an advantage;
- 5. Knowledge of another EU language will be considered as an advantage;

Additional characteristics we are looking for:

- 6. Young leaders, volunteers, motivated and super enthusiastic youngsters, willing to become peer educators;
- 7. Should be interested in EU thematic and be super motivated of bringing the experience back home;
- 8. International profile (education/volunteering abroad, mobility, aptitude to work/study in an international atmosphere), will be considered as an advantage;
- 9. Excellent interpersonal skills;
- 10. Ability to represent the country on international level;

Expenses such as transportation (Including flight tickets), accommodation, meals etc., will be fully covered by the organizers.





SELECTION AND ADMISSION PROCEDURES

The selection process consists of two steps:

Step 1 - Submission of Applications²

Submission of Application: Application consists of Online Application and following Additional documents, which must be sent via e-mail - eapsummer-camp2019@gmail.com, as one ZIP file (Less than 5 MB), with the subject line: Camp Applicant – (Name, Surname):

- 1. Depending on the age of applicant, Signed and scanned:
 - 1.1. Annex 1. Applicant's Consent Form (Name, Surname) (18<) https://goo.gl/GyTeFV OR
 - 1.2. Annex 2. Parental Guardian Consent Form (Name, Surname) (18>) https://goo.gl/Yj2XQr;
- 2. Annex 3. Recommendation form (Name, Surname) https://goo.gl/abXJeA
- Scanned copy of valid international passport (A high quality digital copy
 of your international passport), passport should have at least six months of
 validity when traveling internationally; For Georgian Applicants, ID cards
 or birth certificates are also accepted;
- 4. English Certificate (Will be considered as an advantage);

Any late or incomplete applications will be disregarded. Only Shortlisted candidate will be invited to the Interviews.

Step 2 - Interviews

the interview will assess the following elements of applicants preparedness for the program, Interests, motivation, openness to other cultures and interest in European Values and etc.

The list of selected participants will be announced in the second half of May 2019. Only Shortlisted candidate will be contacted.



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²Please be advised, that this is one of the most important phases of the admission process, so we ask you to pay attention, before sending all necessary documents and applying, as there will be made no exceptions to the admission rules

LOCATION AND WEATHER:

All participants will be accommodated in a hotel. The hotel has free Wi-Fi con¬nection. We provide meals (breakfast, lunch, dinner, including coffee brakes). If any of the participants have any special requirements regarding food and/or health issues, please inform us in advance and mention it in online application form.

Weather in Georgia in august is quite warm, but we recommend you to bring some jackets for evenings. In addition, program is full with spots activities and exercises: such as football, volleyball, tennis, swimming and etc. So be sure to bring the sportswear too.

P.S. All participants will be provided with special camp materials such as T-Shirts, Bags, Notebooks and etc.





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