

Entrepreneurship VS Orphans 1.0 : Baby Steps

EVSOI.0

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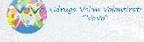
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Giriřimcilik vs Yurt Çocukları 1.0: İlk Adımlar



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Dates of the project:

Arrivals: 12.5.2018 Before 18.00

Departures: 20.5.2018 After 09.00

Venue:

Tokat, Turkey (Arrivals in Tokat autobus terminal or nearest airport called "Sivas Nuri Demirağ Airport")

Project Idea:

Young Entrepreneurs From Orphanage Youth Group will bring 32 volunteers/Youth workers/young people together in order to focus on entrepreneurship and orphanage systems. Also it is aimed that develop social entrepreneurship for implemented by orphans and young people.

The Project:

" Entrepreneurship vs Orphans 1.0 : Baby Steps " is an Erasmus+ Youth Exchange which will take place in Tokat/Turkey between 12 - 20 May 2018 organised by an informal group which called " Young Entrepreneurs From Orphanage Youth Group".

6 Partners organisation (*from Turkey, Romania, Bulgaria, Croatia, Serbia and Spain*) will take part in this project.

The reason why we do this Project is; Hundreds of young people leave the orphanages and try to make a living in Turkey every year. According to Social Services Law Article (2828) of Republic of Turkey, young people who have lived in the orphanages are employed at public bodies. Thus these people prefer to be employed this way instead of being entrepreneurs themselves.

The education programs in Turkey and Europe are insufficient with regard to making these people entrepreneurs. While struggling with unemployment, the new generation is not confident enough to turn their ideas into an enterprise.

Knowledge is power and this power is the key to shaping young people's future.

Project EVSO1.0 (Entrepreneurship vs Orphans 1.0: Baby Steps) aims to inform primarily the young people living in orphanages about entrepreneurship and social entrepreneurship. The project also aims to motive young people living in orphanages to be entrepreneurs.

Objectives:

1. To break down the prejudices about Turkey and young people who have stayed orphanages.
2. To prevent to hinder realizing orphans' entrepreneurship ideas caused by right given to be a government official by Social Services Law Article (2828).

Partners and participants:

	Partner	Participant	Country	City
1	Young Entrepreneurs From Orphanage Youth Group	7	Turkey	Tokat
2	Asociacion Arrabal Aid	5	Spain	Malaga
3	Volim Volontirati - "VoVo"	5	Croatia	Zagreb
4	Balkans foundation	5	Bulgaria	Cherni Osam
5	BalkanIDEA Novi Sad	5	Serbia	Novi Sad
6	Associata Eurodemos	5	Romania	Iasi

Few words about Tokat:

Tokat is a province in northern Turkey. Tokat has five neighboring provinces. Tokat is bordered by five neighboring provinces. Amasya, Ordu, Samsun, Sivas, Yozgat.

Tokat province is divided into 12 districts; Almus, Artova, Başçiftlik, Erbaa, Niksar, Pazar, Reşadiye, Sulusaray, Turhal, Yeşilyurt, Zile.

Tokat's total population was 602.662 people in 2017. Tokat's center populations was 192.065 people in 2017.

Tokat is the site of the important ancient Roman city of Comana of Pontus. In 1071 CE, it became a part of the Danismend Turkmen principality, and one of its principal cities. The region prospered from the trade between Anatolia and Persia.

Tokat is one of the six important cities of Seljuks; one of the then important cities of Ottomans.

Tokat saw five different states which are Seljuks, Ilkhanate, Eratna Seigniory, Kadi Burhanettin and Ottomans.

Mevlana was happy to live some parts of his life here. Mevlana Said: You must go to Tokat because the climate and people of Tokat are moderate.

Evliya Çelebi called Tokat as City of Pundits and Poets.

Tokat has many heroes for example; Gazi Osman Paşa.

Tokat was a textile, copper processing and leather production center where caravans stopped by in the 16th century.

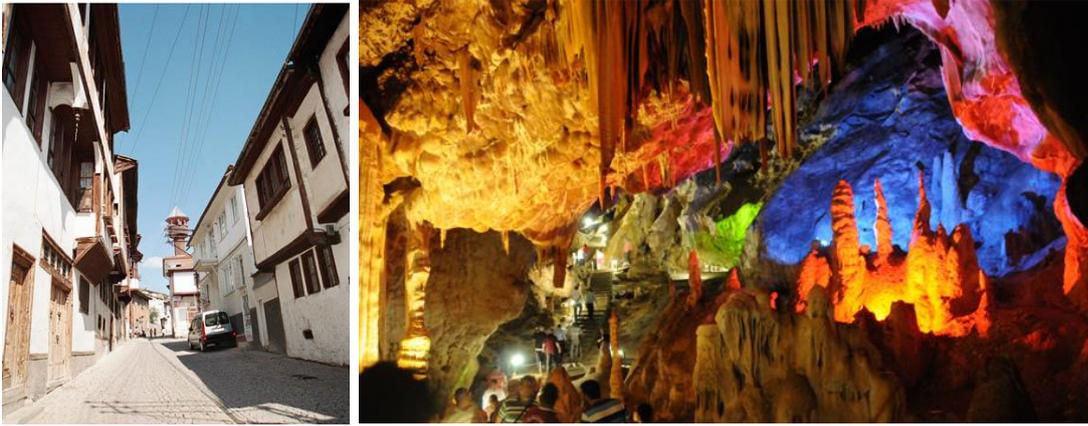
Lost of nice houses and maybe the biggest inn in Anatolia were built in the 17th century.

Tokat has the oldest mosque after the Battle of Malazgirt, Garipler Mosque; one of the oldest madrasahs, Gök Medrese and nine convents that made an important impact to the Ottoman Mosque architecture.

Tokat has also **Ballica Cave**, Taşhan, Ali Paşa Mosque and Ali Paşa Hammam, Meydan Mosque, Ulu Mosque, Yağibasın Madrasah, Sulu Inn, Deveciler Inn, Latifoğlu Mansion, Mevlevihane, Clock Tower, Yeşilirmak or Hıdırlık Bridge Esentimur Tomb, Tokat Castle, Sulu Inn or Bazaat, Atatürk House, Vezier Ahmet Paşa Mesjid and Vezier Ahmet Paşa Mesjid Tomb. Ali Tusi Tomb, Clock Tower, Behzad-ı Veli Mosque, Sulusokak Street, Sümbül Baba Convent, Sümbül Baba Tomb and many more beauties.

At the center of Tokat Comana Ancient City, at Zile Maşathöyük Ancient Settlement, at Erbaa Horoztepe Ancient Settlement and at Sulusaray Sebastopolis Ancient Settlement exist.

Also, Caesar said 'veni vidi vici' in Zile/Tokat.



Historical houses and Ballica Cave in Tokat.



Project's Other Details:

There is no advanced planning visit for this project.

%100 of travelling budget for each country is written below.

These amounts include round trip. Please get in touch with us before buying the tickets.

	COUNTRY	CİTY	Pax No.	Distance	Maximum cost per participant	%100 of Total cost (total for all participant)
1	Turkey	Tokat	7	10 km	20 Eur	140 Eur
2	Spain	Malaga	5	3554.55 km	275 eur	1.375 eur
3	Croatia	Zagreb	5	1772.47 km	225 eur	1.125 eur
4	Bulgaria	Cherni Osam	5	1017.45 km	225 eur	1.125 eur
5	Serbia	Novi Sad	5	1465.26 km	225 eur	1.125 eur
6	Romania	Iasi	5	1045.27 km	225 eur	1.125 eur

Reimbursement of travel cost:

Please, read very carefully the following information in order to facilitate our work and for you to have a pleasant travel and stay

What is important?

- Reimbursement of travel costs will only be done upon presentation of all (including return tickets)

- Original tickets (having route and dates)

- Receipt/invoices (having stamp and signature)

- Boarding passes/cards and baggage receipts.

- Travel stamps (that you get at the passport control)

- This means that immediately getting home after the training, you will be requested to send us the originals of all return documents and boarding passes or online check-in is also welcomed.

- Please remember to bring the original invoice with you – there will be no reimbursement without the original invoice.

- Do not lose the boarding pass that will be given to you at the check-in desk in the airport. Boarding pass is required for having an evidence for your flight.

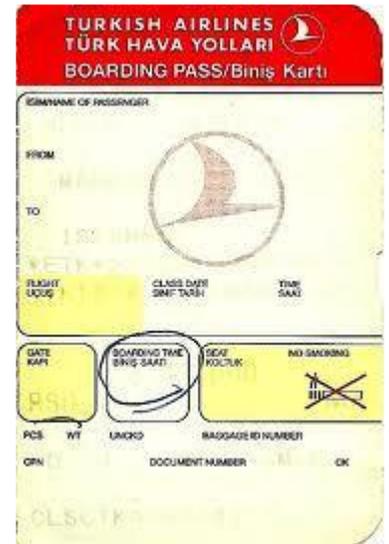
- Reimbursement will be done in EUROS, regardless of the currency indicated on your ticket and receipt/invoice. If you bought your ticket in a local currency other than EURO, we will calculate your travel costs according to the exchange rate of the month of your ticket purchase.

- Please check information above for the travel budget limits. You will be reimbursed on the realistic price of the tickets. Not all limit. If your travel costs exceed the amount budgeted in the project, we will only be able to reimburse you the costs indicated in the travel budget. You are strongly advised to book your travel well in advance.

- All tickets must be in economic class

-Please take a copy of your current passport's related pages which is seen your name, surname, passport number, validation, photo of you etc. (after passport control, we will take a copy of your passport in project place.)

- Finally, please make copies (or even better, scan or take photographs) of your tickets and



invoices and email these to basturkatila@gmail.com before you come to the training. This will be very helpful to organizers to begin processing the financial and reimbursement data.

Visa:

Turkey is not in the EU **yet** so please bring along your passport.

There is a need for visas for some countries citizens. But EU and Serbian citizens are not needed visa for entering Turkey. If you think opposite way and you need visa, please contact with us.

Transport:

Venue of the project is Tokat Province. However, there is only one airport which is not in the city, it is near the city (Sivas Nuri Demirağ Airport). But you could choose to ground Ankara first (Esenboğa Airport) after that you could take bus (It takes around 6 hours to reach Tokat from Ankara).

Please consider that your tickets must be bought from your hometown to Ankara. Don't forget that before taking your tickets, council us about your route.

If you want to buy it from a travel agency, please get these documents:

- Electronic ticket (having route and dates);
- Invoice (faktura or similar one, having stamp and signature);
- Boarding passes/cards and baggage receipts;

We need your tickets and boarding cards for reimbursement. We can't pay who hasn't original tickets and boarding cards. Your tickets should have sign and stamp, otherwise we can't accept electronic tickets, please ask from your travel agency to stamp and sign them. It would be better if your tickets are euro, otherwise we will get lost in calculating the exchange rates.

All tickets must be in economic class.

In addition; if you have some problems about finding flight costs, you can use these web sites:

Airplanes,

- Turkish Airlines - <http://www.turkishairlines.com/>
- Onur Air - <http://www.onurair.com/en/default.aspx>
- Pegasus Airlines - <http://www.flypgs.com/EN/>
- Sunexpress Airlines - <http://www.sunexpress.com/en>
- Lufthansa - <http://www.lufthansa.com/>

Bus:

- Topçam Turizm - <http://www.topcam.com.tr/> *
- Tokat Seyahat - <http://www.tokatseyahat.com.tr/> *

** (Bus websites has Turkish language only. We could help to take your tickets from this websites)*

Accommodation/Venue **NEW**:

During our project, we will stay at **Çavuşoğlu Tower Hotel/Tokat**.

This hotel is in the center and easy to reach via local transportation. See the location in maps:

<https://goo.gl/31X26s>

Also you can check hotel website (there is english language option):

<http://www.cavusoglutowerhotel.com/>

Here is some of hotel's photos:





From Bus station to Project venue (Tokat):

By shuttle :

Every bus company has their shuttle and free to use. Tokat is not big city and you could reach the Project place easily via shuttles.

By taxi:

There is another opportunity to reach project venue is using taxi. It wont take much money. After arranging project place, we will inform you about prices.

Please consider that We could arrange some bus and take you from bus station and left you to bus station. In this situation, we need to speak with some company and decide about price. This price will be cut from your travel expenses. Please inform us if you need this option.

From Sivas Airport to Project venue (Sivas)

If you prefer to go Sivas Airport first. There is an option to reach Tokat. This option is using Havaş bus/shuttle company. The price of this shuttle (one way) is 30 Turkish Liras (TL). **P.S. They have agreement with only Turkish Airlines and Anadolujet companies. If you have tickets from Pegasus or any other companies, please inform us.**

Weather:

We will inform you about weather conditions before project time. But in case, for more information we invite you to follow the weather forecast before arriving.

Currency:

The currency in Turkey is the **Turkish Lira (TL)** (1 EURO = around 4,55- 4,60TL). (It has changed every day.

Preparation:

Please be prepared to represent your organization/group during the activity.

Bring some information materials about your organization and groups

i.e. (Leaflets, posters, photos, videos, CD etc.) and reports from former projects and further material which will help you to present your organization.

Also, It is needed you to present your country's orphanage system and entrepreneurship approaches. Don't forget researching about them and bring some useful information.

Furthermore, we kindly request you to bring some traditional tastes from your country

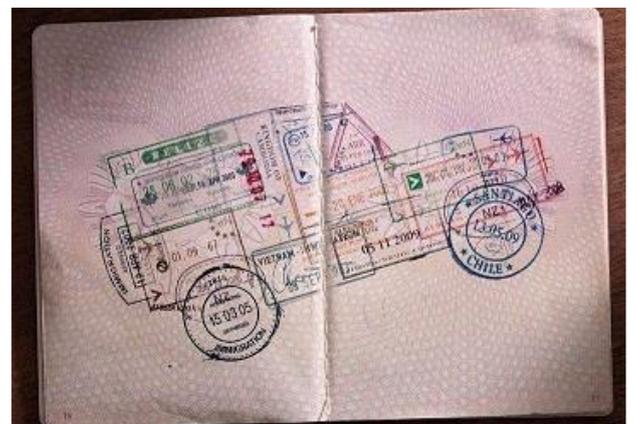
(National drink, snacks etc.) And music, as a contribution to the intercultural sharing evening

What is the most important do not forget about bringing with you open minds and

enthusiasm for participating in the this exchange.

To bring; (in any case you may need)

- Towels
- Shampoo
- Slippers
- Swimming suits
- Cultural objects
- Cultural drink and food
- Flags
- Music
- Changer for your Phone, Computer and etc.
- Instruments (if possible)
- Backbag



- Video and photo camera
- Computers
- Smiling face 😊

Some useful words in Turkish while travelling:

Evet	Yes
Lütfen	Please
Teşekkürler	Thank you
Adınız nedir?	What is your name?
Tanıştığımıza memnun oldum	I am glad we met
İyiyim, sağolun. Siz nasılsınız?	I am fine, thank you. How are you?
Nerelisiniz?	Where are you from?
Tanıştığımıza çok memnun oldum	I am glad we met
Telefon numaranızı alabilir miyim?	May I have your phone number please?
Hoşçakalın	Goodbye
İyi akşamlar	Good evening!
Tekrar görüşmek üzere!	See you later!
.....'e gitmek istiyorum.	I want to go...
Havalimanı	Airport
Otobüs	Bus (Coach)
Ayrılış	Departures
Döviz Bürosu	Exchange Office
Hayır	No
Tamam	O.K.
Merhaba	Hello
Benim adım	My name is...
Nasılsınız?	How are you?
Bende iyiyim çok teşekkürler.	I am also well, thank you.
Türküm, Romanya'dan geliyorum	I am coming from Romania
Ben de	Me too!
Tabii ki. Telefonum 212-555-1453	Sure. My number is 212-555-1453
Günaydın	Good morning!
İyi geceler	Good night!
... nerede?	Where is...?
.....'e nasıl giderim?	How can I go ...?
Otogar	Coach (Bus) Station
Minibüs	Minibus
Varış	Arrivals
Bilet	Ticket

Activity Plan:

Arrival Day (12 May)
Arrivals
Introduction to the Exchange
Welcome evening
1st Day (13 May)
Energizer
Get to know each other
Expectation - Fear – Contributions Youthpass
Creativity and Entrepreneurship (first step)
Evaluation (every day)
2nd Day (14 May)
Morning news
Name Games (if it is needed) and Group Building Games
differences between entrepreneurship and social entrepreneurship (second step)
“What is behind curtain” (Target group-Needs and Need analysis)
Brainstorming about Social Entrepreneurship
Evaluation
Free Night
3rd Day (15 May)
Morning news / Preparing City Tour and explanation about it
Knowing local entrepreneurships
City Tour Visiting Ballica Cave
Intercultural Evening
4th Day (16 May)
Morning news/ Energizer
‘Canvas’ Social Enterprise Steps (third step)
“Examine Closer to Orphanages and Entrepreneurships”
challenges out front entrepreneurship (fourth step)

Evaluation
Dans Night
5th Day (17 May)
Morning news/ Energizers
technology behind entrepreneurship 1-2 (fifth step)
“How I see” Dissemination of Entrepreneurship
develop new module of entrepreneurship (sixth step)
Evaluation
Turkish Coffe in Taşhan
6th Day (18 May)
Morning news
entrepreneurship approaches in different countries (Partners) (Seventh step)
Entrepreneurship and Social Entrepreneurship in Turkey
Introduce EU Erasmus+ Program
Erasmus+ vs Social Entrepreneurship
Bocce Game
Evaluation
7th Day (19 May)
Morning news
develop projects idea (eighth step)
Presentation about developed project Ideas
Networking and partnership
Debriefing and evaluation of TC
Youthpass
Farewel Party
Departure Day (20 May)
Departures and crying

Tasks for the sending organisations:

- Finding motivated participants
- To arrange the travelling
- To warn them about the documents
- To inform them about the schedule, tasks and rules
- Research and collect documents about Orphanages system, Entrepreneurship and Social Entrepreneurship.

Task For the participants:

- Each group is going to present their culture at the cultural night
- To inform the hosting organization about the arrival
- To fill application form and send **before 1st of April** (<https://goo.gl/forms/l16jTczGUr1HxiHa2>)
- Collect some useful documents about Entrepreneurship (new metots, history etc.)

Social Media

Please join in our Facebook group and like the Facebook page for faster communication ;)

Page: <https://www.facebook.com/aktifiz>

Group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/evso1.0/>

ATTENTION!

Accommodation and airport transfer information will be provided

Please **do not forget to send** sent application form until **1st of April, 2018!**

Orgaised by:

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Contact:

In case of questions, don't hesitate to contact;

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Greetings from Turkey!

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