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“C.IV.E.T. - Créative Eco Thinking”

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The youth exchange “C.IV.E.T. - CreatIVe Eco Thinking” aims to bring together 25 young people from 5 different European countries (Italy, Greece, Spain, Croatia and Macedonia) and give them the opportunity to create various hands-on group activities related to the topic of creative recycling and Urban Eco-sustainability.

The project will take place in Perugia, the capital of Umbria Region, which is a medieval hill town with old-stone buildings and jazz cafes located in the historical part of the city.

Here we can find small group streets where art associations have their headquarters. Our project will be developed in this context with the aim to raise the awareness among young people about environmental issues using their creativity to create initiatives that are meant to promote Urban (Art) Eco-sustainable development.



During the implementation of the project activities, participants will be supported by the artists of the association “Fiorivano le Viole” in creating gorgeous and unique products by using discarded materials provided by their associated.

They will have the opportunity to learn how to develop a project of recycling art and which is the impact on the local environment.

The exchange will be also an intercultural learning experience that brings cultures together and promote intercultural awareness learning about each other countries and traditions.

This exchange will be an opportunity for the participant to acquire basic and transversal skills which represent a combination of knowledge, skills and attitudes that are considered necessary for personal fulfillment and development, active citizenship, social inclusion such as social and civic competences, sense of initiative, cultural awareness and creative/artistic expression, communication in foreign languages, basic competences in youth field, etc, developing issues about urban sustainability and environmental challenges, participants will be encouraged to think smart, be creative and focus their energy in finding new Urban (Art) Eco-sustainable ideas. Among the objectives, we want to sensitize the general public on environmental issues and encourage the active participation of young people in initiatives that are useful for the community but in the same way also creative and enjoyable for the public. We will encourage local youth to be involved in the work of local cultural communities and to take part more often in their initiatives. The active involvement of the participants and the local people will be an opportunity for an interesting Eco-cross-cultural exchange, that “Tamat NGO”, applicant of the project, will promote among its network.

In the end of the project, an exhibition with the Eco-creative handcrafts made by the participant will be organised in one of most important historical buildings of Perugia: “La Rocca Paolina”.