



European Volunteer Service

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Mission Locale de Villeurbanne

Mission Locale of Villeurbanne and the local Youth Service work together on specific activities for young people of Villeurbanne.

The volunteer will assist in the various activities aimed at social inclusion for the youth of the city.

These will include art projects, collectively creating a fresco mural, themed evenings, sport tournaments and other such cultural and sporting activities.

The volunteers will be in direct contact with the management and the young people of the city, giving them the chance to integrate fully into the aims of the project.

Accommodation & Meals

Meals: You can prepare and eat your meals together as a group, or of course just prepare your own meals you will have the chance to try the different food from other volunteer's countries, and will have the chance to prepare food typical of your own culture to share with the group.



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Number of people we will send: 1 or 2 people

For this project:

- ☺ You should like art and sports activities.
- ☺ Be happy to work with children, and young people with less opportunities.
- ☺ Be flexible to try different workshops in different places and to help where you are most needed.
- ☺ Get involved with the community

Lodging: You will share your room with another volunteer in an apartment or flat close to the centre of the city. The region is home to a large urban area and offers many social activities for the volunteer to indulge in.

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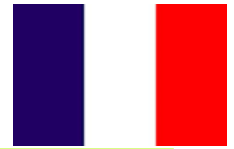
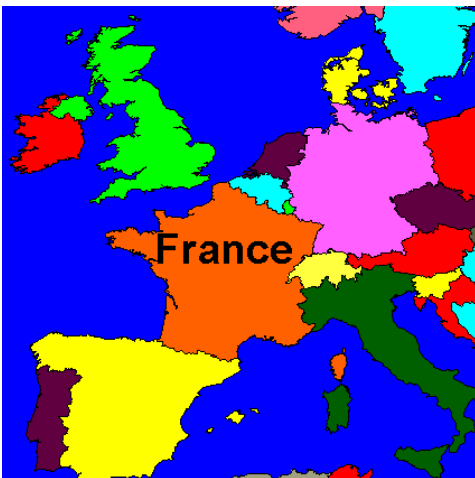
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FRANCE

Climate: Very similar to Britain, has warm summers and cold winters with temperatures ranging from 35 degrees in the summer to -1 in the winter. Southern France has a more Mediterranean climate.

System of Government: France is a democratic republic with a liberal free-market economy, freedom of religion and press.

France was a founding member of the EU

Population: 64.1 million

Capital: Paris (2.2million inhabitants)

Currency: Euro = 100cents

Languages: French

Language Lessons

Hello: *Bonjour*

Please: *Sil vous plait*

Goodbye: *Au revoir*

Thank-you: *Merci*

About the place

France is the largest country in Western Europe.

Villeurbanne is a medium sized city in central France, minutes away from the centre of Lyon, which together form the 2nd largest urban area in France. The city of Villeurbanne has a population of 130,000.

It was traditionally an industrial centre, famous for manufacturing textiles and is now the heart of France's chemical industries. The city is prosperous and as such it offers many cultural, sporting and musical opportunities for the volunteer to explore.

