



Education, Scholarships, Apprenticeships, Youth Entrepreneurship Programme (ESAYEP) in Romania

Enhanced human capital and knowledge base

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Programme Operator

The National Agency for Community Programmes in the Fields of Education and Vocational Training (ANPCDEFP)

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INCLUSION OF ROMA PUPILS IN SCHOOLS

OUTCOME:

Increased institutional capacity of schools to ensure an effective inclusion of Roma children

ELIGIBILITY

Eligible Applicants – one NGO or a public institution, including an accredited university from Romania which holds an Erasmus Charter for Higher Education (ECHE), active in the field of Roma children inclusion, on behalf of a consortium; the successful applicant will become the project coordinator

Eligible partners (in the consortium): Romanian schools with minimum 20% of enrolled Roma children

Size of the consortium: normally, the consortium should comprise minimum 5 – maximum 6 schools

TYPE OF PROJECTS – national partnership cooperation projects

Types of activities in projects:

- Training of teachers in areas such as: teaching approach centered on pupils, inclusive school and teaching in a multicultural environment, democracy and citizenship education, tolerance, anti-discrimination, human/pupils' rights, etc.
- Elaboration of new optional curricula and teaching material on inclusiveness and multicultural environment
- Learning activities on social inclusion and anti-discrimination issues for Roma and non-Roma parents together
- Extra-curricular awareness raising activities on inclusion for Roma and non-Roma children to foster social inclusion and competences

PROJECT DURATION: 12 – 16 months

TYPES OF COSTS

Project Management and Implementation

Coordinator (NGO/public institution), unit cost:

- 500 €/month of project

Partner organization, unit cost:

- 250 € / month

Training/elaboration of curricula/learning/extra-curricular activities

The costs for training/elaboration of curricula/learning/extracurricular activities take the form of unit costs, the unit being the staff cost corresponding for 1 working day (8 working hours)

The following rates applies:

- 74 €/working day for Romania trainers or facilitators
- 241 €/working day for experts from Norway, Iceland and Liechtenstein
- 214 €/working day for experts from Iceland

involved in the following activities:

- training of the teachers
- elaboration of new intellectual outputs: optional curricula and teaching material on inclusiveness and multicultural environment

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • learning/extra-curricular activities with parents • extra-curricular activities with pupils
Travel
<p>The costs for travel take the form of unit costs, as following:</p> <p>Pupils' transportation: Cost/participant according to distances (scale of unit costs): 20 or 180 €</p> <p>Experts from the Donor States: Cost/participant according to distances (scale of unit costs): between 20 – 180 €</p>
Individual costs for DS experts
<p>Travel – see above</p> <p>The costs for subsistence take the form of unit costs as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 150 €/day per DS expert <p>If needed, subsistence for additional 2 travel days could be allocated (one day before and one after the activity).</p>
Organisational costs for extra-curricular activities with pupils
<p>The costs for organising the extra-curricular activities with pupils - only for activities taking place outside the school - will take the form of unit cost: 20 €/pupil/activity day.</p>
NB: as a general rule, the unit costs are considered lump sum
Special needs support:
<p>Additional travel/subsistence costs proved as necessary for participants with special needs could be requested, including costs for an accompanying person.</p>
<p>NB: According to the Article 6.4.3 of the Regulation on the Implementation of the European Economic Area (EEA) Financial Mechanism 2014 -2021:</p> <p><i>“In case of support to NGOs and social partners the project grant may be up to 90% of eligible expenditure of the project.”</i></p>

BUDGET (EURO)	
Budget per project: Min. 60.000, Max. 250.000	
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Total budget for the inclusion of Roma pupils in schools component (2014 – 2021)	2.307.689 €

EXPECTED OUTPUTS	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 60 schools involved in projects 55 new optional curricula and teaching materials developed 550 teachers trained in inclusiveness and multicultural environment 1300 Roma and non-Roma parents participating in common activities 2200 Roma and non-Roma pupils participating in common extra-curricular activities 90% share of school staff who declare better skills/competencies regarding the Roma inclusion 15% decrease of the percentage of Roma pupils in the project experiencing discrimination in partner schools (from the part of the teachers and non-Roma colleagues) 90% rate of satisfaction of pupils participating in the extra-curricular awareness raising activities on inclusion 	