



INFOPACK MAIRIE DE BAYEUX

Host organization : **Town Hall of Bayeux, Normandy**

Arrival : **15/10/2022**

Departure : **15/07/2023**

Participating countries : **Norway, Netherlands, Ireland, Poland, Ukraine, Greece, Italy**

Number of participants : 2

Date limite de candidature : 20/08/2022



A small dynamic town in Normandy

Capital of Bessin, sub-prefecture of Calvados, the city of Bayeux (13 650 inhabitants) is located in Normandy, a few kilometers from the landing beaches. It's a very touristic city that lives all year round (800,000 visitors).





Our Bayeux Tapestry is a world-famous treasure.

There are many cultural events of international dimension: the Bayeux Prize for war correspondents, the international circus festival, the medieval festival.

Several of the town's cultural and sports facilities are brand new and of excellent quality: the Halle ô grains theatre, the Media-library les 7 Lieux, the Auréo swimming pool, the Eindhoven sports hall, tennis courts, etc.



Summary of the Project

For the sixth time, the municipality of Bayeux will host volunteers of European Solidarity Corps to help to create a European week in Bayeux in May 2023. The theme of this week of Europe 2023 is “**culture and sport connecting people**”.

The project will run for a nine months period from October 2022 to July 2023.

Bayeux town hall is composed of different departments.

The departments "Home Population and Citizenship" and "Cabinet du Maire" will supervise the young volunteers, who will also work with the "Cultural action" department and the "Youth and sports" department.

The mission

The volunteers will work during the stay on :

- Organisation of a « European week » in Bayeux in May 2023 in close cooperation with the different structures and associations of the town,
- Activities (culture, art, sport, games, songs...) and information in primary, secondary and high schools,
- Activities with the children of the leisure centre, in conjunction with the professional animators,
- Meetings in community and social centers to discover cultures (cooking, traditions workshops...),
- Involvement in the projects of twinned committees (cities in Norway, Netherlands, Germany, England, Poland, Ireland),
- Creation of photo or video reports,
- Involvement in sport and cultural events.



Accommodation and pocket money

The volunteers will have a flat in the city center with two single bedrooms, kitchen, bathroom...

The host organization take in charge the costs of the accommodation for the duration of the stay in Bayeux.



A municipal car can be used for work requiring travel and a bike for the personal transportation.

In the beginning of each month, the volunteer will receive both money for the groceries (210€) and pocket money (180€) for their personal use.

Transport and airport transfer

- Shuttle bus Paris-Beauvais: <https://www.aeroportparisbeauvais.com/en/shuttle/>
- Shuttle bus Paris Orly: <https://www.airport-orly.com/bus-and-coach.php>
- Shuttle bus Paris Charles de Gaulle: <https://www.lebusdirect.com/en/roissy-cdg-shuttles.html>

The easiest way to get to Bayeux (when landing in Paris) is to take the train. You will have to go to the station of Paris Saint Lazare, and then you will take the train Paris-Cherbourg. You will get off at Bayeux station. Bayeux is close to Paris (about 2h with the train). It's best to buy the tickets online (www.oui.sncf) and print them in advance. There are also direct buses from the airport to Caen, a town 20 minutes from Bayeux (<https://fr.ouibus.com/destinations>).



Station of Paris Saint-Lazare



Station of Bayeux

Local transport

As far as local transport is concerned, there is a bus line (BYBUS) to the town hall and the apartment (but it's a 7-minute walk between the two places !). The price of a ticket is 0.80€ and all local transport costs will be regularly covered by the Town Hall. The volunteer will also have a bicycle available to go to work.

As far as transport between Bayeux and the other towns of the department or neighboring departments is concerned, there is a railway (SNCF) and bus network (BUS VERT). The nearest big city is Caen (25 km from Bayeux).

Visa information

No visa needed.

Reimbursement

All the travel costs are going to be reimbursed according to mileage, with a ceiling of 275€. Any costs exceeding that amount will have to be covered by the volunteer. The city of Bayeux will take care of travel in the professional setting.

What to bring

In Normandy, the climate is sometimes rainy, cold in winter and moderate in summer. The volunteer can bring sport clothes and swimsuits.

No need to bring a bed linen set.

More to know : www.bayeux.fr

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