

# EUROPEAN VOLUNTARY SERVICE 2023-2024

## CIRCUS SCHOOL 'L'ART D'EN FAIRE' VESSEAUX - FRANCE

Duration: 12 months

Start date: September/October 2023

Their website:  
<http://lartdenfaire.com/>



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# GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE EUROPEAN VOLUNTARY SERVICE (EVS)

In Switzerland, the European Voluntary Service (EVS) is an exchange program financed by the Swiss government and not the EU because Switzerland is not member of the Erasmus+ program. It is open to young people between the ages of 18 and 30.

The volunteer will work about between 32-38 hours per week for 12 months. They will receive a certificate of participation at the end of their volunteering period.

The European Voluntary Service program is managed by the Swiss Agency for Exchange and Mobility, Movetia.

The scholarship covers the following benefits:

- Travel expenses (400 CHF)
- Board and lodging
- Pocket money (143 CHF/ month)
- Language support
- Liability, health and accident insurance

Further information can be found on our [website](#), in German or in French.



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The association L'Art d'En Faire is an educational and social circus school, which has been carrying out cultural mediation activities in the Ardèche region since 2008. Our tent is set up for 3 to 4 months and is positioned as a resource to participate in a local social and cultural dynamic. To do this, we offer activities aimed at people and structures (associations, schools, etc.) within the framework of partnerships. Our fields of action are transversal: social, educational, artistic, medico-social and for all ages. This is the reason why the team is made up of professionals from the socio-educational field, with strong artistic skills and, above all, with the ability to adapt to the specific problems of the public, structures and territories.

## VOLUNTEER'S TASKS

The volunteer will be given socio-cultural animation tasks:

- Helping to run circus workshops in a school setting or for the general public
- Help with the installation of the big top and the organisation of cultural events (logistics, handling, setting up the venue, making sets or costumes, sound systems, managing equipment, welcoming the public, welcoming artistic companies, etc.)
- Support for youth projects (raising awareness of international mobility, organising meetings between young people, supervising circus sessions or other artistic disciplines)
- Helping to organise activities for people with disabilities (helping people with disabilities, managing sessions, etc.)
- Creating videos, photos, as well as updating social media and the website, creating flyers, posters and other marketing material

## REQUIREMENTS

- Age 18-30
- People-oriented
- Dynamic, committed, independent, and with good interpersonal skills

## INTERESTED?

### Application form and other information

**Deadline:** the sooner the better!

**Questions?** Contact us at [astrid.tuerler@icye.ch](mailto:astrid.tuerler@icye.ch)



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