

Lesson on Youth opportunities

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Learning objectives

- Learn the EU opportunities for youth
- Develop active citizenship skills

Materials needed

- Links to European resources

Structure/activities

- You can start the lesson showing the main website with EU opportunities for youth: **European Youth Portal | European Youth Portal (europa.eu)**
- Among the many opportunities, you may emphasize:
 - the European Solidarity Corps which include the possibility of volunteering abroad. They must sign-up in the website and apply for the different experiences: **About | European Youth Portal (europa.eu)**
 - Discover EU which gives 18-year-olds the opportunity to travel around Europe, mainly by rail and allowing those living on islands or in remote areas to take part. They must apply following the guidelines: **DiscoverEU | European Youth Portal (europa.eu)**
 - Youth exchanges where people coming from different countries can meet and spend some time together to discuss EU topics related to culture, sustainability and more. You can find proposals of organizations organizing such events on various websites, including on Facebook groups. One of the most important is this: **SALTO-YOUTH - Erasmus+**.



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Background information

- European Youth Portal | European Youth Portal (europa.eu)
- Module 4 of the EU@school e-learning
- Teachers can make some research to find interesting associations in their cities, regions or countries participating in Youth projects and may provide such opportunities to their students

Assessment

- This lesson does not include an assessment. The scope is to motivate students and make them aware that European opportunities exist and they should embrace them as much as possible!

