



**EUROPEAN
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International traineeship in the Netherlands

Stichting Buitendoor organises an international traineeship as part of the European Solidarity Corps (ESC) initiative. This 2-month programme gives you the opportunity to learn within an international environment, as you walk in the shoes of our local volunteers and fully participate in our programmes.

During the traineeship, you will not only learn how Buitendoor works as an organisation, but also receive training about group dynamics, teambuilding, communication, management and facilitation. We use the power of outdoors and nature as tools in youth work and the development of people. Experiential learning is Buitendoor's main learning style, so you will join several school camps in the Netherlands and in the Belgian Ardennes to put theory into practice as an instructor. And of course you will get to know many new and nice people!



Practicalities

We are looking for **4 enthusiasts (aged 18-30) from the ESC Participating Countries**, preferably experienced in working with youngsters/outdoors and leading groups.

The programme lasts for a minimum of **sixty days from August 13th until October 13th** (approximately). Together, we will make a programme that suits your personal learning goals. In weekends, you are free to explore the Netherlands.

Regarding **accommodation**, you can stay at our campsite, with our volunteers or at other locations where we organise our activities. You will often sleep in tents (which we can provide). Designated Buitendoor contacts will support the group throughout the traineeship.

All traineeship-related travel **costs** will be covered, as well as food and drinks during activities. Free time activities are at your own expense, but you will receive some pocket money.

Interested?

Great! Please fill out [this form](#) to let us know. We look forward to meeting you. The application deadline is on Saturday June 13th. We will conduct online interviews with all eligible applicants in the week of June 15th.

Questions?

Please contact international@buitendoor.nl in case of questions.

Wait... What about corona?

We follow the instructions of the Dutch (and where applicable, Belgian and French) government. At this moment, no measures have been taken that prohibit school camps in the summer and autumn of 2020. We will monitor the situation carefully and expect to know more about whether measures affect our programmes by the end of June. We will discuss any consequences with the selected candidates.