
WE HAVE BEEN CARING FOR CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE IN AND AROUND COLOGNE SINCE 2007.

The issue of child poverty is unfortunately becoming increasingly important, and as a result, up to 90 children visit our facility in downtown Cologne every day. Among other things, they are provided with a hot meal, help with their homework and targeted tutoring in German, mathematics and English. Vocational preparation is also part of our services, as is help in finding an apprenticeship or internship.

DAILY LUNCH AND HOMEWORK HELP

A daily freshly prepared, balanced and warm meal, as well as fresh fruit, raw vegetables and yogurt as dessert are part of our lunch offer for the children and teenagers. The offer of lunch is linked to the homework help that follows and is gratefully accepted by the children and young people. The homework assistance takes place in a quiet atmosphere and under professional supervision in small groups.

TUTORING

With the qualified tutoring (individual or group lessons up to a maximum of 5 persons) in the main subjects German, Mathematics and English we try to reduce the school deficits of the young people in these subjects. Of course we also like to practice for a e.g. bio or history test.

VOCATIONAL PREPARATION

In small groups, we work on and practice the basic skills needed to enter professional life.

- What do I want to become?
- How do I write an application?
- What happens during a job interview?

We provide advice and active support in the search for apprenticeships and internships.

AFTERNOON CARE!

After lunch, our kids have the opportunity to participate in creative, sporting and cultural leisure activities until 5 p.m.

WORKSHOPS

Actions: Among many other activities, we provide school bags and their contents - for example, at the beginning of the school year - and also take care of the purchase of school books. If there is a lack of warm or appropriate clothing, we go shopping with our children.

Creative block: Wednesdays we get creative! Painting, handicrafts, making music - everything that is fun and enjoyable for the children and young people is on the program here.

ACTIVITIES

Daily changing program - depending on the weather - with plenty of exercise in the fresh air and food.

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WE ARE LOOKING FOR YOU!

Himmel & ääd is a child and youth welfare institution located in the center of Cologne. We offer children and adolescents a free daily lunch followed by homework and/or tutoring as well as various leisurely activities with creative and cultural blocks, vocational preparation courses and vacation camps. The children and adolescents we care for come from elementary, junior high, secondary and comprehensive schools as well as vocational colleges.

From Monday to Friday (core time between approx. 10-17 o'clock) you will supervise the children in small groups (in some cases also in individual supervision) with their homework and give tutoring in the subjects German, mathematics and/or English. You will help with the planning and organization. You will have a chance to plan other activities you would like to do with the children.

PROFILE OF REQUIREMENTS

You bring with you:

- very good professional skills
- empathy
- An Erasmus+ grant or self funding is necessary as this is not a fully paid position.
- pleasure in working with children and young people
- Language skills, good knowledge of English with at least basic knowledge of German (and motivation to learn more) is necessary for this role.

We offer:

- Lessons in small groups
- teaching and learning materials on site
- a chance to gain working experience in multicultural classrooms
- a qualified activity certificate, if necessary creditable as an internship for your studies
- a positive working environment
- Pocket money and lunch