

EDUCATIONAL CAMPAIGN FOR SCHOOLS WITHIN EUROPEAN COOPERATION DAY 2019 “TOWARDS THE FUTURE!”

GENERAL INFORMATION

The Cross-border Cooperation Programme POLAND - BELARUS - UKRAINE 2014-2020 invites schools from the Programme area to take part in the Educational Campaign within European Cooperation Day 2019. As the Programme already started preparations for its new 2021-2027 edition, the slogan of this year's competition is “TOWARDS THE FUTURE!”

THE IDEA

24 selected teams from Poland, Belarus and Ukraine (8 teams per country) will be invited to meet together and take part in the Final Event on 11-14th September 2019 in Rzeszów (Poland). Then, during the games, workshops and other activities, the participants from three countries will cooperate in mixed cross-border international teams. The teenagers will have the opportunity to demonstrate their creativity, skills and knowledge as well as make new friends and have exciting experiences of working on common projects focused on 4 areas: Technics, Art, Song, Dance. The idea is to show the potential and abilities of young people living in the border area as a way towards a better future. Each participant will be awarded with unique promotional EU and Programme materials and gadgets. The organizers will provide travel, accommodation and catering for all 24 selected teams.

WHO CAN PARTICIPATE

4-student teams from schools (including comprehensive secondary schools, art and music schools):

- in Poland: from Podlaskie, Lubelskie and Podkarpackie voivodeships as well as from the eastern part of the Mazowieckie Voivodeship (Ostrołęka-Siedlce Subregion);
- in Belarus: from Grodno, Brest, Minsk and Gomel Oblasts;
- in Ukraine: Volynska, Lvivska, Zakarpatska, Rivnenska, Ternopilska and Ivano-Frankivska Oblasts.

Students **aged 12-16** representing 4 areas: Technics, Art, Song, Dance. The team must be accompanied by one teacher (head of the team). **Each school can submit only one application.**

HOW TO PARTICIPATE



Step 1

Each school shall delegate a team and fulfill the following tasks:

1. **Make an interesting and attractive presentation of your team in a short movie** (max. 2 minutes) including elements of 4 areas: Technics, Art, Song, Dance. You may highlight talents and achievements of the team members, tell about your school, your city/village, interesting projects/initiatives you have implemented, even your dreams and plans for the future. Attach the file to the Application Form. (Score to reach: 1-10 points for creativity, innovation, artistic values, general appeal and technical quality)
2. **Draw and describe a machine of the future** which could be helpful in the cooperation of people living on the borderland and/or development of this area. You may be creative and innovative. The suggested format of the picture is A4, description - max. 500 words. Attach the picture and text to the Application Form. (Score to reach: 1-10 points for creativity, innovation, general appeal, technical and artistic values).
3. **Arrange and sing a text (your own, original version in your national language, not translation) of a stanza (not chorus) of the song „We are the World”** (https://www.tekstowo.pl/piosenka,michael_jackson,we_are_the_world.html) in such a manner that could be performed altogether during the Final Event. You may underline the cooperation and potential of young people living on the borderland, as well as future challenges. Attach the text and sound file to the Application Form. (Score to reach: 1-10 points for textual and artistic values)

Total score to reach: 30 points.

Step 2

Fill in the Application Form and parental/legal guardian's consents, attach the needed annexes and send it in paper and electronic version (files, pictures, texts etc.) **by the end of April 2019:**

- schools from **Poland – to the Polish Branch Office in Rzeszów:**

Cross-border Cooperation Programme Poland–Belarus–Ukraine 2014-2020
Branch Office in Rzeszów
Marshal's Office of the Podkarpackie Voivodeship,
6, Poniatowskiego St. 35-026 Rzeszow, Poland
e-mail address: rzeszow@pbu2020.eu



- schools from **Belarus - to the Belarusian Branch Office in Brest:**

Cross-border Cooperation Programme Poland–Belarus–Ukraine 2014-2020
Branch Office in Brest
Brest Transboundary Infocentre
46, Sovetskaya St., 224005 Brest, Belarus
e-mail address: brest@pbu2020.eu

- schools from **Ukraine – to the Ukrainian Branch Office in Lviv:**

Cross-border Cooperation Programme Poland–Belarus–Ukraine 2014-2020
Branch Office in Lviv (to att.: Mrs. Olena Zubrytska)
5, Tyktora St., Lviv, Ukraine
e-mail address: lviv@pbu2020.eu

The application should be sent to the relevant PBU Branch Office in your country:

- by ordinary mail/courier to the address of the Branch Office AND
- by e-mail to the e-mail address of that Branch Office (large files eg. movies should be sent as links).

The deadline for submission of BOTH (paper and electronic) applications is 30th April 2019. Submissions received after that date will not be taken into account.

Step 3

By 15th May, the organizers will select the best teams from each country. The ranking list will be based on the score results. The teams from Poland will be assessed and selected by the Polish Branch Office, the teams from Belarus - by the Belarusian Branch Office, and the teams from Ukraine - the Ukrainian Branch Office. **The list of selected teams will be published on the Programme website www.pbu2020.eu on 20th May.** Starting from this date the movie presentation of 24 teams will be presented, step by step, on social media: on the Programme fanpage www.facebook.com/PBU2020/ as well as on the Educational Campaign for Schools FB group <https://www.facebook.com/groups/843359965719306/>.

Step 4

Selected teams will be officially invited to take part in the Final Event (11-14th September 2019, Rzeszów, Poland) and they must **confirm their participation by the end of June 2019.**

Step 5

11-14th September 2019, Rzeszów (Poland) – the Final Event starts!