

## ANNEX 3 - APPLICABLE RATES

### *European Solidarity Corps – Volunteering projects (ESC51-VTJ)*

#### 1. Travel

The travel distance represents the distance between the place of origin and the venue, whereas the amount covers the contribution to the travel both to and from the venue.

Table 1 – Travel rates

Travel rates (EUR per participant)		
Travel distances <sup>1</sup>	Amount (standard)	Amount (green traveling)
Between 10 and 99 KM	28	56
Between 100 and 499 KM	211	285
Between 500 and 1 999 KM	309	417
Between 2 000 and 2 999 KM	395	535
Between 3 000 and 3 999 KM	580	785
Between 4 000 and 7 999 KM	1 188	1 188
8 000 KM or more	1 735	1 735

#### 2. Management costs:

These are management costs such as planning, finances, coordination and communication between partners, administrative costs. Management costs amount to EUR 238 per participant. For Volunteering Team activities, this amount is fixed at EUR 125 per participant.

#### 3. Organisational support:

These are costs directly linked to the implementation of volunteering activities (e.g. preparation, monitoring and support of participants, validation of learning outcomes) and costs linked to the subsistence of participants (e.g. boarding, lodging and local travel). They are set as daily rates per participant, which are detailed in the following table:

<sup>1</sup> <https://erasmus-plus.ec.europa.eu/resources-and-tools/distance-calculator> For example, if a person from Madrid (Spain) is taking part in an activity taking place in Rome (Italy), the applicant will a) calculate the distance from Madrid to Rome (1365,28 KM); b) select the applicable travel distance band (i.e. Between 500 and 1999 KM) and c) calculate the EU grant that will provide a contribution to the costs of travel of the participant from Madrid to Rome and return (309 EUR).

Table 2 – Organisational Support – Activity Costs

Countries	Organisational Support – Activity Costs (EUR per day)
	Volunteering
Austria	35
Belgium	36
Bulgaria	30
Croatia	40
Cyprus	30
Czechia	24
Denmark	55
Estonia	25
Finland	36
France	28
Germany	33
Greece	30
Hungary	24
Ireland	52
Italy	28
Latvia	25
Lithuania	26
Luxembourg	37
Malta	29
Netherlands	36
Poland	25
Portugal	27
Romania	23
Slovakia	24
Slovenia	26
Spain	25
Sweden	35
North Macedonia	20
Iceland	36
Liechtenstein	34
Norway	36
Türkiye	24
Partner country neighbouring the EU	29

#### 4. Inclusion support

The following rates (set as daily rates per participant) are to be used for activities which include the participation of young people with fewer opportunities.

Table 3 – Inclusion Support

<b>Countries</b>	<b>Inclusion Support (EUR per day) Volunteering</b>
<b>Austria</b>	12
<b>Belgium</b>	12
<b>Bulgaria</b>	10
<b>Croatia</b>	13
<b>Cyprus</b>	9
<b>Czechia</b>	8
<b>Denmark</b>	19
<b>Estonia</b>	8
<b>Finland</b>	12
<b>France</b>	9
<b>Germany</b>	12
<b>Greece</b>	9
<b>Hungary</b>	8
<b>Ireland</b>	18
<b>Italy</b>	9
<b>Latvia</b>	8
<b>Lithuania</b>	8
<b>Luxembourg</b>	13
<b>Malta</b>	11
<b>Netherlands</b>	13
<b>Poland</b>	8
<b>Portugal</b>	9
<b>Romania</b>	8
<b>Slovakia</b>	8
<b>Slovenia</b>	8
<b>Spain</b>	8
<b>Sweden</b>	12
<b>North Macedonia</b>	6
<b>Iceland</b>	12
<b>Liechtenstein</b>	11
<b>Norway</b>	12
<b>Türkiye</b>	8
<b>Partner country neighbouring the EU</b>	9

## 5. Pocket Money

Table 4 – Pocket Money for volunteers

<b>Countries</b>	<b>Pocket Money (EUR per day) Volunteering</b>
<b>Austria</b>	7
<b>Belgium</b>	6
<b>Bulgaria</b>	7
<b>Croatia</b>	10
<b>Cyprus</b>	7
<b>Czechia</b>	7
<b>Denmark</b>	12
<b>Estonia</b>	5
<b>Finland</b>	7
<b>France</b>	8
<b>Germany</b>	7
<b>Greece</b>	7
<b>Hungary</b>	7
<b>Ireland</b>	11
<b>Italy</b>	6
<b>Latvia</b>	5
<b>Lithuania</b>	6
<b>Luxembourg</b>	7
<b>Malta</b>	6
<b>Netherlands</b>	7
<b>Poland</b>	6
<b>Portugal</b>	6
<b>Romania</b>	4
<b>Slovakia</b>	6
<b>Slovenia</b>	5
<b>Spain</b>	6
<b>Sweden</b>	7
<b>North Macedonia</b>	4
<b>Iceland</b>	8
<b>Liechtenstein</b>	8
<b>Norway</b>	8
<b>Türkiye</b>	6
<b>Partner country neighbouring the EU</b>	6

## **6. Language learning support:**

This rate is applicable only for cross-border activities lasting 60 days or more, and only if the language of the host country or the language used in the context of the activity is not covered by the Online Language Support (OLS), or if the participant needs further levels than those provided by the OLS in that language: EUR 150 per participant.

## **7. Preparatory Visit**

Costs linked to the implementation of the preparatory visit including travel and subsistence. Contribution on the basis of unit costs. 609 EUR per participant per preparatory visit. Based on the number of participants, including accompanying persons. A maximum of 2 participant per participating organisation can be funded per activity, provided that one of them is a young person with fewer opportunities who will take part in the volunteering activity.

## **8. Exceptional costs**

### 100 % of eligible costs:

- Visa and visa related costs, residence permits, vaccinations, medical certifications, clearance requirements costs
- Costs connected to personal insurance for in-country activities
- Costs incurred by organisations to support the participation of young people with fewer opportunities on equal terms as others related to reinforced mentorship, i.e. the preparation, implementation and follow-up of tailor-made activities.
- Contribution to costs related to the organisation of volunteering activities involving participants with fewer opportunities and costs incurred by organisations to support the participation of young people with fewer opportunities on equal terms as others related to reasonable adjustments or investment in physical assets.
- Costs related to accompanying persons.

For exceptional costs to support the participation of young people with fewer opportunities—such as reinforced mentorship, tailor-made activities, contribution to costs related to the organisation of volunteering activities, reasonable adjustments or investments in physical assets, costs for accompanying persons etc., applicants must justify that the standard funding rules ("Inclusion support" unit cost per day per participant) do not cover at least 80 % of the costs incurred.

If awarded, the exceptional costs to support the participation of young people with fewer opportunities will replace the inclusion support grant.

### 80 % of eligible costs:

- Costs for providing a financial guarantee, if the National Agency asks for it (80 % of eligible costs)

- Expensive travel costs for participants (e.g. from and to outermost regions), including for the use of cleaner, lower carbon emission means of transport which result in expensive travel costs (80 % of eligible costs). Applicants must justify that the standard funding rules (based on unit costs per travel distance band) do not cover at least 70 % of the travel costs of participants. If awarded, the exceptional costs for expensive travel replace the standard travel grant.