



# Bringing Europe and international exchange into the classroom



## Programme schedule

The **Europa macht Schule** programme year starts in September and ends in June. The programme can be completed in either one or two semesters.

- Until October**  
reorganisation or formation of the location teams
- October / November or March / April**  
registration for the programme (students and teachers)
- November / December or April / May**  
coordination meetings at the various locations
- December to June**  
implementation of the planned projects
- February / March or May / June**  
closing event

## Who can take part?

**Europa macht Schule** is a voluntary programme in which European and international students from all countries carry out an interactive school project. The aim of the programme is to strengthen the European idea through international encounters and at the same time to encourage reflection on Europe.

**Students at German universities of all disciplines:**  
Become part of the **location team** and organise the programme in your city.



**International students of all subjects:**  
present your home country in relation to Europe at a school in Germany.



**Teachers of all grades and school types:**  
Experience an authentic approach to countries in Europe and beyond with your class.



Would you like to volunteer in a **working group** of the association Europa macht Schule e.V.?

Find out about our different working groups on our website or write to us at [vorstand@europamachtschule.de](mailto:vorstand@europamachtschule.de).



“The more intensively we engage with other cultures and values, the better we get to know, understand and, I hope, respect one another. The **Europa macht Schule** programme does an outstanding job of helping to share this insight with children.

Christiane Lappenküper, teacher at Mühlrenredder primary school in Reinbek



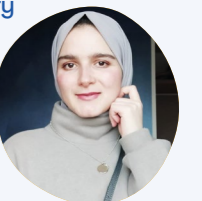
“**Europa macht Schule** brings intercultural exchange to life. The project opens up a new world for many pupils and introduces them to study exchanges, for example. For the students, this project is a fantastic chance to take their culture out into the world. They also get to try out their German and see more of German society beyond everyday university life.



Mathis Heyer from the Aachen location team

“It was a fantastic opportunity to present my country to the class. We had so much fun getting to know a new and different culture, dances, customs and foods. The children inspired me to get involved in more intercultural events. I enjoyed every second of the project.

Shahd Idkaidak, student from the Palestinian territories



All registrations are listed here:



## Europa macht Schule (EmS) ...



... promotes a sense of European and international togetherness!

... breaks down barriers and promotes better understanding between nations!



... contributes to a successful stay for international students in Germany!

... promotes intercultural awareness.



... promotes international mobility among pupils!



... sheds light on Europe, its people and its cultures from a different perspective!



The programme was founded in 2006 by the association of the same name, Europa macht Schule e.V., which is the programme's conceptual sponsor. Since 2009, the programme has been coordinated by the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) and funded by the Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF).

## Do you know Back to School?



**Back to School (BtS)** is a programme line of **EmS**. With **BtS**, students at German universities can visit schools in Germany to report on their semester abroad, internship or Erasmus+ stay as part of a short, interactive school project. They can, for example, go to one of their former schools.

### Who can take part?

Students whose main residence is in Germany and who have just completed a semester or internship abroad and have returned to their home university.

### How can I take part?

As soon as you have contacted your school and discussed the project with your teacher, you can register with **BtS**. A small lump sum to compensate you for the realisation of the project and any travel costs incurred will be paid by the DAAD.

## Do you have any questions?



Send an email to:  
[backtoschool@daad.de](mailto:backtoschool@daad.de)

Or visit us at:  
[www.europamachtsschule.de/bts](http://www.europamachtsschule.de/bts)

## Do you have any questions or would you like to register?

Then send us an email to  
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Do you need more information about the programme?  
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