

# ODSHERREDS EFTERSKOLE

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## **Description of the project**

Odsherredes Efterskole is a Christian self-governing boarding school (efterskole) offering formal secondary education for 9th and 10th grade. It has around 160 students between 15-17 year, which stay for one year at the school. The school is situated in the western part of Zealand in a small town named Faarevejle.

An "Efterskole" is a unique schooling concept found only in Denmark. It is a kind of a private boarding school with government grants that provides Secondary School education for young people, predominately between the ages of 14-17. The school is privately run, and this means that there is an annual fee for parents to send their child/children to the school, but families may apply for government funding depending on their financial status.

## **Volunteer profile**

- over the age of 20
- out-going, sociable and has a sense of humor
- good at English

## **Volunteering at the project**

- living at the school, there is the opportunity to participate in all of the school's activities during the week and at weekends
- you get your own room in a house that you will share with 2-4 other young people, who also work at the school
- the school will provide a timetable for the volunteer, which will offer him/her the chance to use all of their skills, linguistically, artistically, in sports and socially
- the volunteer will be involved in the areas of the curriculum that are relevant to his/her key skills
- the volunteer would be offered the same learning possibilities of any trainee teaching with regards to pedagogy and didactics
- the volunteer would be provided with constant support and advice
- we expect the volunteer to engage in all aspects of the school's life

## **Receiving Organization**

### **Odsherreds Efterskole**

Adelers Alle 127, 4540 Fårevejle

Website: <http://www.odsherredsefterskole.dk/>

Facebook: [www.facebook.com/OdsherredsEfterskole](http://www.facebook.com/OdsherredsEfterskole)

PIC number: 918055240

EI reference number: Pending

Next volunteer period: 12th August 2017-29th June 2018

Deadline for application: 26th March 2017

Number of volunteers: 1-2

Valid Age: 20+