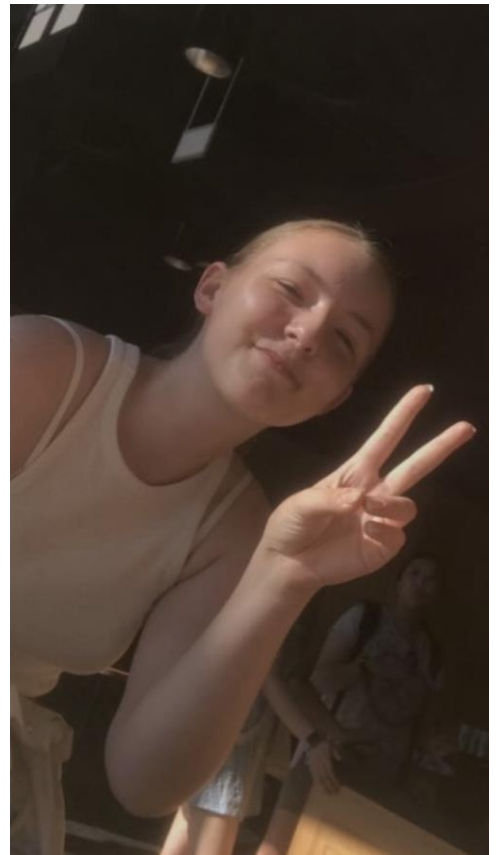


Hello everyone! My name is Julia and the next year I will be working in Hjallerup Fritids- and Ungdomsklubben as a volunteer. I am 18 years old and I come from Cologne in Germany.

In my free time I like to read, listen to music and play volleyball or tennis. But I also love to spend time with my family and friends.

This year in June I graduated from high school so I had to think about what I wanted to do afterwards. I knew that I wanted to gain some experiences before studying. Then I heard about a volunteer year and I really liked the idea of meeting new people in a different country. And now I'm in Denmark experiencing many new things. The main reason why I chose this project was that I always thought about working with children.

I'm really looking forward to the next year because I'm very excited to learn Danish and to meet all the children at the club.



Hello my name is Fabian Kaul, I'm 20 years old and I'm from Germany, the city of Duisburg to be exact. After graduating from school I started a dual studies but the topics didn't really match my interests, so after thinking about it I decided to quit. And because I didn't want to just rush into the next studies without knowing what I wanted to do, I decided to go abroad for one year. Whilst looking for possible projects I stumbled upon a project called „Youth Leisure“ at the Fritids - og. Ungdomsklub in Dronninglund and thought of it to be very appealing. Thereafter I sent out an application... and the rest is history. I am an very active

person and in my spare time I love going to the gym or for a swim, meeting up with friends, reading books, listening to music, as well as going for walks. Additionally I am a very open-minded person and because during my teenage years I was able to participate in several projects in the field of youth work such as being a mentor for new students at my school or being a volunteer in my church community helping the pastor with the confirmands, this opportunity is pretty appealing to me. Right now I've been staying in Denmark for about two weeks and have really been enjoying it. Whether it's the time spent at the club with the youngsters, living in the apartment with my roommates, or exploring the landscapes and cities nearby; it all contributes to me becoming more responsible, mature, getting to know a different culture and its diversity, gaining new experiences and my personal development in general.



Hello everyone!

My name is Emma and I am 18 years old. I come from Germany, near Bonn. Here in Brøndeslev, I

work at the Fridisklub and Youthclub in Dronninglund.

I just finished school and graduated. Throughout this year I want to develop myself personally and

gain new experiences. Since I am spending a year in Denmark, I want to improve my English skills and

get to know the Danish culture and language.

In my free time, I like to dance, especially Hip Hop, and meet with friends and family. Besides this, I

am interested in creativity and music. I am an optimistic, responsible and friendly person.

Right now I have been staying here for one week and I like the work a lot, as well as being with the

kids. Furthermore, I enjoy the many activities they can do there.

I am looking forward to a year of meeting new people and having fun.



## Selina

Hello my name is Selina, I am 18 years old and from Germany. This year was my graduation year, therefore I decided to make a gap year and work as a volunteer.

In this way, I found the project here at the Brønderslev Ungdomsskole/Fritisclub! What moved me to apply for ESC was my interest in working with children and youngsters and thus gain new experiences. That's why I am really looking forward to have a great time with the children and be part of the activities from the Clubs here in Brønderslev!

I like to spend my free time meeting with friends, doing sports like dancing and playing badminton or traveling to new places. Besides that, I love to do music, I play the piano and sing. I used to do that with my sister and in the church choir of my parish. Due to music, more precisely songs from Danish artists like Christopher, my interest in getting to know Denmark, its culture and language arouse even more.

Therefore, I can't wait to spend a year here and to all the new experiences within it!