



Programme of preschool education and creative activities for children

Period of 2024 - 2025



LIFE STATION



HELLENIC REPUBLIC
Ministry of Social Cohesion
and Family Affairs

THE ACTION PLAN

«Provision of fostering and support for the inclusion of children in preschool education as well as access to services of creative activities for children, school-age children, teenagers and people with disabilities».

THE PROGRAMME

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The goals

- o To ensure, equal and without exclusions, access for preschool and school- age children - and especially children in need - to quality education services, in accordance with the specific points of the Council Recommendation EU 2021/1004 about the constitution of a European Child Guarantee.
- o To provide access for children, teenagers and people with disabilities to services of creative activities, according to the act 4941/2022/article 104 (Official Journal of the Hellenic Republic no 113/A/16.6.2022).

WHO IT BENEFITS

- ▶ Children of preschool age (0 – 4 years old)
- ▶ Children of school age (5 – 12 years old)
- ▶ Children, teenagers and people with disabilities

WHO CAN APPLY

- √ parents of children of infant, preschool or school age teenagers and people with disabilities
- √ people who are, by court decision, guardians of a child
- √ people who have been appointed as legal guardians or are exercising guardianship of the supported person by court decision, or are responsible for the care of a person with disability or are foster parents with active foster care in the National Register of Approved Fostering of Children.

THE TYPES OF ESTABLISHMENTS

- ◆ Nurseries, Preschool and Childcare Facilities, Extended Care Nurseries
- ◆ Centers of Creative Activities for Children
- ◆ Centers of Creative Activities for People with Disabilities

All services included in the Programme are provided by entities of both the Public and Private sector (e.g. municipal and private enterprises).

The process regarding placement and voucher allocation to approved beneficiaries will be implemented by the Hellenic Agency for Local Development and Local Governance. Beneficiaries will have the opportunity to indicate the establishment of their choice, as long as it corresponds to the category of their voucher.

SOURCES OF FUNDING

The programme is co-funded by the European Social Fund+ (ESF+), falling under the National Strategic Reference Framework (NSRF 2021- 2027), national funds and the Regular Budget of the Ministry of Social Cohesion and Family Affairs.

The total budget is estimated to €361.200.000.

The Programme is implemented by the Hellenic Agency for Local Development and Local Government.

THE PROCESS OF PARTICIPATING IN THE PROGRAMME

For the information of interested parties, the detailed Invitation for the Expression of Interest with the terms, conditions and requirements for participation is uploaded on the website of the Hellenic Agency for Local Development and Local Government (www.eetaa.gr).

For more information a **call center** is operating (call 2105214600), as well as a **helpdesk** (send e-mail to helpdesk@eetaa.gr).

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