

JaVA – training of youth leaders

Project description:

Do you care what happens with youngsters?

Youth leaders' training aim is to render knowledge and practical skills necessary to serve youngsters in parishes. JaVA training consists of 3 interrelated training weekends between which participants are given practical tasks for ministry to youngsters in parishes.

During the training weekends participants take part in lessons, they share their experience and take practice in leading services and youth evenings, organization of camps and develop working plan for youth work in their parishes. JaVA training has been successfully carried out already for 10 years, during these years around 200 participants have had the training. Each year JAVA training has helped successfully launch youth work in several LELB parishes. Participants who have accomplished JaVA training, feel much more confident to launch and develop youth work in their parishes.

From the questionnaires of participants' evaluation, things that have been the most worthy in JaVA.

- *how to plan and launch youth work*
- *possibility for each one to practice to lead youth evenings and services*
- *practical experience and good practical lessons*
- *how to prepare a Bible class*

Project offer:

Gregorschool offers 15 to 20 young adults the possibility to study JaVA training course in a suitable environment, by encouraging communication and fellowship among peers from all over Latvia.

Project implementation plan:

JaVA course layout:

12.-14.10.2018. (Weekend), 9.-11.11.2018.(Weekend), 7.-9.12.2018. (Weekend)

Project expenses:

Project expenses are calculated for 20 people.

For one weekend		
Position	Per person	Together
Catering (7 meals + 3 snack breaks)	25,-	500,-
Public utilities	30,-	600,-
Lecturers/guests (4 people)	4,-	80,-
Administrative expenses	10,-	200,-
Transport expenses	3,-	60,-
Materials	1,-	20,-
Unscheduled expenses	7,30	146,-
In total:	80,30	1606,-

Expenses	
All 3 weekends (20 people)	4818,-
In total:	4818,-

Incomes (three weekends)		
Position	Per person	Together
Adolescents' deposits (35+35+35Eur) (20 people)	105,-	2100,-
Donations (approximate sum)	25,-	500,-
Uncovered expenses	110,90	2218,-
In total:	240,90	4818,-