



# Volunteer in Denmark in 2026

## European Solidarity Corps

Are you **between 18 and 30** years old and would you like to volunteer through the **European Solidarity Corps program** in Denmark in 2026?

Then we might have the right opportunity for you!

Check out our **11 projects** and find the place that fits you best!

### ESC VOLUNTEER

- **Finances:** food and accomodation covered + pocket money
- Your travel is covered up to a certain limit
- **Health insurance** is covered
- **Working hours:** 30-38 hours/week  
- 2 vacation days/month

### APPLICATION PROCESS

- Fill out the **online form** you find on our website
- Have your **CV, motivation letter and pictures** ready to upload
- Pay attention to the **deadline!**

# 11 different ESC projects in Denmark

Project	Location	Start Date
<b>1. 18+ Team</b> at AFS Interkultur	Copenhagen	Start of August 2026
<b>2. Program Team</b> at AFS Interkultur	Copenhagen	Start of August 2026
<b>3. Primary and middle school</b> at Balleskolen	Silkeborg	End of August 2026
<b>4. Contribute to the international atmosphere</b> at Ranum Efterskole	Ranum, North Jutland	Start of August 2026
<b>5. Gardening and permaculture or practical administrative work</b> at Brenderup folk college	Brenderup, Funen, Southern Denmark	Start of August 2026
<b>6. Develop your pedagogical skills</b> and create events for students at Egå youth folk college	Egå, Aarhus municipality	Start of August 2026
<b>7. Become part of the “højskoleliv”</b> at Ribe youth folk college	Ribe, Esbjerg Municipality, Southern Denmark	Start of August 2026
<b>8. Northern Europe's oldest organic farming school</b>	Kalø Økologisk Landbrugsskole Jutland	Start of August 2026
<b>9. Organize creative cultural events</b> at Kulturfabrikken	Nykøbing Falster	Mid-September 2026
<b>10. Maritime-natural center</b>	Strynø, South Funen Archipelago	May 2026
<b>11. Vibrant school community</b> of Halvorsminde Efterskole & Fri Fagskole	Hjørring, North Jutland	Start of August 2026

Read more below and on our [website](#)

# 1. Be a part of the **18+ Team** at AFS Interkultur

AFS Interkultur is a non-profit organisation and the oldest youth exchange organisation in Denmark. We work for peace and facilitate more than 400 youth exchanges every year.

The volunteer will be the liaison between the 18+ team in the office and the AFS volunteers in charge of the 18+ programs work.

 From August 2026 to July 2027

 Accommodation in the vibrant CPH Village

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# 2. Be a part of the **Program Team** at AFS Interkultur

AFS Interkultur is a non-profit organisation and the oldest youth exchange organisation in Denmark. We work for peace and facilitate more than 400 youth exchanges every year.

The volunteer will be part of the Program Department and of the volunteer committee responsible, among others, for planning and implementing camps for school program participants.



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### 3. Volunteer in a primary and middle school at Balleskolen

Balleskolen is a public primary school with 600 students (aged 6 – 16), offering an educational section for all students, an after-school program and a youth club. It features a thriving musical profile and focuses on building ethical, social and emotional skills.

Volunteers will actively engage in school activities during the day and in after-school programs in the afternoon, working alongside staff and students. Their roles will be adapted to their skills and interests.

📅 End of August 2026 – End of June 2027

📌 [Read more here.](#)



### 4. Contribute to the international atmosphere at Ranum Efterskole

With over 500 students, Ranum Efterskole - situated in Northern Jutland - is one of Denmark's largest general international efterskoler. Students live on campus, which forms a small town.

The main task for the volunteers is to create an intercultural environment at the school, through informal cultural activities, dancing classes, language classes – your ideas are welcome!

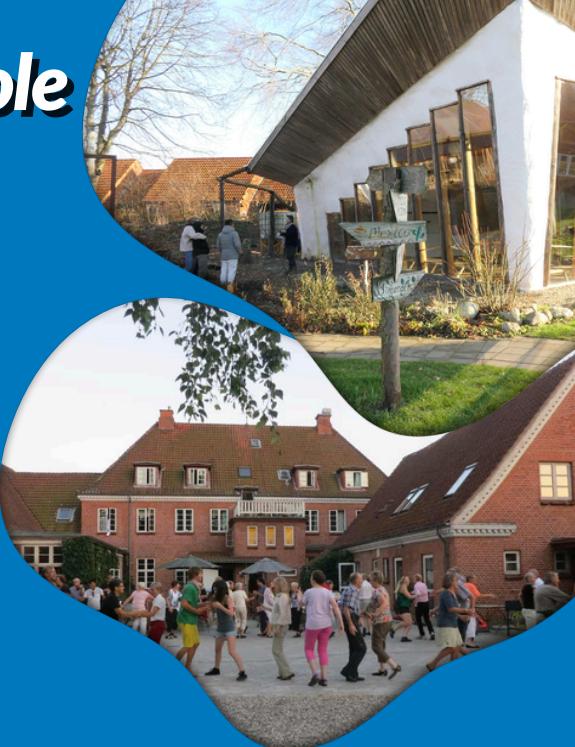
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# 5. Volunteer at Brenderup Højskole

Brenderup Højskole is a contemporary Danish folk high school, where students are primarily between 18 and 25. The school focuses on sustainability in its subjects but also daily activities, and it offers an exchange of ideas and viewpoints among people from different cultures.



**All volunteers** will help with some general activities, such as coordinating the meals or facilitating leisure activities. Then, individual activities will be carried out in **one of the two areas described below**.

From August 2026 to July 2027

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## ***Learn more about gardening and permaculture***

Engage in practical work in the small permaculture garden and greenhouse and in the sustainable construction area, assisting teachers in various practical tasks and in classes. Some tasks will be outdoor all year round.



## ***Engage with practical administrative work***

Engage with practical office work and be the link between students and the office, developing communication and organizational skills. Assist also the kitchen staff with planning and practical tasks.

## 6. Develop your pedagogical skills and create events for students at Egå Ungdomshøjskole



Egå Ungdomshøjskole is a youth folk high school for students between the age of 16 and 19, who are active members engaged and responsible for the school community. There are courses of every level for the creative, the thoughtful and the sportive ones.

The volunteer will participate in the school life creating a welcoming and stimulating learning environment with a mix of practical, social and teaching tasks. The volunteer will find a high degree of freedom in their work environment - a perfect opportunity to develop your personal skills!

 From August 2026 to July 2027

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## 7. Become part of the “højskoleliv” at Ribe Ungdomshøjskole

At the Youth Folk High School young people between 16 and 19 learn democracy in practice, strengthen social abilities and develop skills in various subjects, all this within a marked international profile.



The volunteer will be part of the school community and will be involved in the planning process, having the possibility to put their stamp on future activities. Tasks will be both practical and pedagogical in relation to the volunteer's interests and abilities.

 From August 2026 to July 2027

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# 8. Volunteer in Northern Europe's oldest organic farming school

At Kalø Økologisk Landbrugsskole approximately 100 students and future farmers are instructed in domestic animal care, cultivation of plants, technical skills, social studies, economics, production and management. The international program of Kalø creates an exciting international environment.



There are **two different volunteering opportunities** at Kalø, in the kitchen and in the farming areas.

 From August 2026 to July 2027

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## Contribute to sustainable kitchen operations

Volunteers in the kitchen will engage in a dynamic program centered around sustainable food systems and will assist in meal preparation, food preservation, menu planning, and much more.



## Learn more about the nature of farming

Volunteers will participate in a year-round program tailored to the agricultural season. Activities include working with livestock, cultivating plants, performing fieldwork, managing agricultural machinery, and preparing vegetables for the farm shop.

## 9. Organize creative community events at Kultufabrikken

Kultufabrikken is a place where local children and young people can go and participate in events, concerts, workshops or skate, climb or just hang out in the café with their friends. A place to which they can belong, where they can be themselves.

Volunteers will, among many other things, help running the café, create and participate in events, plan workshops for the community, write monthly blogs and document the life of the center.

 from Mid-September 2026 to August 2027

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## 10. Volunteer at a maritime-nature center

The Øhavets Smakke- og Naturcenter is placed directly at the water front, surrounded by beautiful nature. The **Exhibition** tells the natural and cultural history of the South Fyn Archipelago, focusing on the sail between the many islands in the area with Smack Dinghies. The center's **Boatyard** carries out restorations, maintains the center's own Smack Dinghies and is also a **museum**.

The activities include preparing the boats and the camping site for the summer season, sailing, upkeeping the dinghies, painting, cutting grass, cleaning, guiding tourists, upkeeping the campsite and various gear.

 From May 2026 to October 2026

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# 11. Volunteer in the vibrant school community of **Halvorsminde Efterskole & Fri Fagskole**

The school offers a combination of general and vocational education for students aged 14 to 18. Halvorsminde Efterskole focuses on academic subjects, sports, creativity and personal development, while Halvor Fri Fagskole offers practice-oriented study lines such as Crafts, Gastronomy or Wellness.

The volunteer will participate as a teacher's assistant in different subjects or create their own elective course. In addition, the volunteer can also arrange and take part in social and cultural activities outside regular classes.



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**Apply by 1<sup>st</sup> February 2026**

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**Send the application by the deadline!**

If you have any questions or issues please write to  
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