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# LIONS CAMP IMAGINE PEACE NORWAY







For a better world!

Camp Imagine Peace started in 2011 after the terror attack at Utøya Island. This is one of the sites we will visit durig the camp.

The students at the ongoing youth camp in Norway at that time really wanted to help. They showed compassion, care and love for all of these people, these strangers from another country, and most importantly, they showed us that we are all equal humans no matter where we originate from.

The purpose of our camp is to make friends across the borders, across religions, political views and different upbringings. It's to help the youth - the future – to understand that we cannot all be branded as a person by the things we might identify ourselves with, but by the heart and soul inside, as an individual.

### Activities

We visit sightings in Norway/Østfold/ Akershus that have helped our country to where we are today, parts of Norway's everyday life and culture.

This means there will be both outdoor activities and guided tours at historic sights.

At the end of the camp the students will perform in "The Final Show" for the host families in which the students are free to show something from their own country, or another talent they have.

We encourage the students to bring an instrument or check if their instrument might be available at the camp.

# Apply

To be a participant at Imagine Peace, you need to send your application to: Youth Exchange Program Chairperson, Incoming Norway, yepc.norway@lions. no before the March 15, 2025.

### Contact

If you have any questions regarding the camp, please contact Camp Director Helle Soos. E-mail: helle@soos.no Phone +47 906 44 258

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# Lions Camp Imagine Peace

International Youth Camp, District E, Norway.

### **General information**

Arrival: July 8th Departure: July 27th Host family: July 8th–July 14th Camp period: July 14th – July 27th

Location: Host families in Østfold and Akershus area, the camp at Jeløy Island, Frelsesarmeens kurssenter. This year oversea participants are not offered an additional week. Age limits: 18 – 22 years Camp capacity: 30 – 45 Sex: Male/female mix Language: English Camp fee: 200 Euro

#### Program/activities

Eight days of excursions where we reflect on peace from different perspectives. We hope you will go through a personal positive change and understand other cultures better, become more eco-friendly and eager to give your contribution to a better world.

### **Practical information**

Bring warm and waterproof clothing, as well as ordinary summer clothing and good footwear. You don't need to be in top physical condition, as long as you enjoy outdoor activities







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