

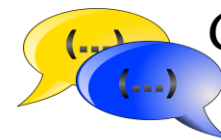


TOLERANCE

is NOT  
Enough!

students  
building  
understanding  
through  
dialog

*"Tolerance is NOT Enough!"*  
is part of MRDS initiative in Macedonia for interfaith dialog.



**Conversations**  
*open hearts open minds*



## WHAT'S WRONG WITH TOLERANCE?

You can think I am stupid, strange or crazy, but still **tolerate** to be with me for a day. I don't want to be tolerated like that!

Is **peace** enough? Peace alone suggests the absence of war, but not necessarily the absence of hatred.

**Harmony** is what we need! Harmony that comes from listening, understanding, accepting and respecting each other, and working together for the good of all.



## WHY THIS PROJECT?

This project is based on the “A Common Word” initiative which encourages inter-religious dialogue and understanding worldwide.

Our goal is that young people in Macedonia will have better knowledge and attitudes about each other's culture and religion which help them to improve the communication between each other and develop relational connections of trust and respect across religious and ethnic lines.

Through discussion, games, movies, role play, and presentations students will gain skills and knowledge in Intercultural understanding. Workshops will be held in Skopje and Tetovo, covering topics of diversity, worldview and intercultural communication. At 4-day Summer Camp Ohrid 30 June – 3 July students who participated in the workshops will deepen connections made at the workshops as they exchange experiences and opinions about trust, respect and communication. The students will pass on to others what they have learned at the workshop and summer camp by giving presentations at high schools in Skopje and Tetovo and in the media.


## WHAT IS INCLUDED?

- Workshop in Skopje or Tetovo
- Field Trips to Tetovo, Skopje and Strumica
- Summer Camp in Ohrid
- Beach Volley Tournament During the Summer Camp
- Parties (Karaoke Party, Party with Cultural Presentations)
- Games (team building, role plays, get to know games, trust building games, energizers)
- Media presentations
- High School Presentations

## HOW CAN I APPLY?

If you are 18-22 years old and want to make a positive difference in your society for the benefit of all, then this project is for you!

Send us the following:

1. application  
([download](#) here or find on Facebook [MRDS-Macedonia](#) 
2. CV

Send to [info@mrds-macedonia.org](mailto:info@mrds-macedonia.org)

Deadlines for applying are

- 2 April for Tetovo
- 30 April for Skopje

- Dynamic youth
- Team-oriented environment
- Exciting locations
- Fun learning activities
- Competitive knowledge
- Opportunity for advancement



**Workshop** (*chose one location*)  
 Tetovo 15-17 April  
 Skopje 13-15 May

**Field Trip** 21 May

**Summer Camp** 30 June – 3 July

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