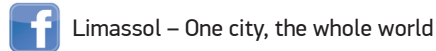


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INTEGRATION PROGRAMS  
BY LOCAL AUTHORITIES

Events & other activities

Training & Education programmes

Social support programmes

Social orientation programmes

#### THE PROJECT

The project "Limassol: one city, the whole world" is addressed to Third Country Nationals (TCNs) living and working legally in Cyprus to facilitate their integration into the local community.

In particular, the project is addressed to third country nationals who are immigrant workers and those who have a residence permit in Cyprus, as well as refugees, asylum seekers and beneficiaries of international protection.

#### OUR AIM

The programme covers a wide range of services and activities aiming to inform TCNs and facilitate their interaction with the local community, the creation of conditions for their smooth participation in the everyday

life and providing basic support mechanisms and services to familiarize themselves with the Cypriot society, culture and lifestyle.

The project is implemented for the fourth consecutive year in the Limassol District covering the period between January 2017 – January 2018.

#### THE PARTNERSHIP

Limassol Municipality is the Project Coordinator partnering with the Municipalities of Ayios Athanasios, Germasogeia, Mesa Yitonia, the Community Council of Mesa Yitonia and the strategy and communication consultants Opinion & Action.

The activities are implemented by all project partners.



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REPUBLIC OF CYPRUS

**EVENTS AND OTHER ACTIVITIES**

In the context of the project, a series of events and activities are organized for which you can be informed via the Internet and social media. The events and activities aim to mobilise citizens to respect diversity and tackle racism as well as to facilitate the interaction between TCNs and the local community to develop feelings of acceptance and combat discrimination.

**LIMASSOL MUNICIPALITY**

> Europe Day event with the participation of music and dancing groups from different EU countries and countries outside the EU.

**AGIOS ATHANASIOS MUNICIPALITY**

> Children multicultural festival in the context of the International Children's Day.

> Multicultural event with the participation of Cypriots, other Europeans and TCNs.

**MESA YITONIA MUNICIPALITY**

> Athletic event: mini – football tournament with anti – racist messages and participa-

tion of teams consisting of TCNs, Cypriots and other Europeans.

**Saturday 23/9/2017**  
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**GERMASOGIA MUNICIPALITY**

> Flower Festival: «Anthestiria» with anti – racism messages and participation of TCN groups and organisations.

**SKE MESA YITONIAS**

> Children festival with the involvement of TCN, Cypriot and other European children participating at the child care and creative activities programme

> Children's excursion aiming at the educational and creative interaction of TCN and Cypriot children.

**OPINION & ACTION**

Training seminars for volunteers and youth of the Limassol Municipality and other stakeholders.

**September 2017**  
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**1. TRAINING AND EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMES**

The aim is to strengthen the skills of the participants and facilitate them in their everyday life as well as to their personal and professional development.

**LIMASSOL MUNICIPALITY****Computer Lessons**

Every Sunday | 11:00 – 12:30  
Group A: June 2017 | Group B: Sept. 2017

**Training seminar on Internet safety, privacy and mobile usage**

Sunday 24/09/2017 | 10:00 – 12:00

**For more information contact:**  
**99865460 & 99728871**

**AGIOS ATHANASIOS MUNICIPALITY****Computer Lessons**

Every Wednesday – Thursday – Saturday  
Time: 19:00 – 21:00 on weekdays and 09:00 – 11:00 on Saturday  
Venue: Ayios Athanasios Municipal Building  
Duration: October – December 2017

**Art Lessons inspired by the Cypriot history and tradition**

Every Tuesday and Friday | 16:00 – 18:00  
Venue: Linopetra Lyceum  
Duration: September – October 2017

**Seminars for the development of entrepreneurship skills and business planning preparation**

**Seminar 1:** Saturday 14/10/2017  
9:30 – 13:30

**Seminar 2:** Saturday 21/10/2017  
09:30 – 13:30

**Seminar 3:** Saturday 04/11/2017  
09:30 – 13:30

**Seminar 4:** Saturday 11/11/2017  
09:30 – 13:30

**Seminar 5:** Saturday 18/11/2017  
09:30 – 13:30

*All Seminars are held at the Ayios Athanasios Municipal Cultural Center*

**For more information contact:**  
**25864107 / 108**  
**[mayer@agiosathanasios.org.cy](mailto:mayer@agiosathanasios.org.cy)**

**2. SOCIAL SUPPORT PROGRAMMES**

The aim is to serve and facilitate the everyday life of TCN children and parents, to raise awareness on everyday issues and to address any problems they may face.

**SKE MESA YITONIAS****Childcare and creative activities for children and student support to their homework.**

Children from 5 to 12 can participate in the programme. The programme is implemented daily on weekdays at the Children Clubs of SKE Mesa Yitonias, operating at the 27th, 10th and 21st Limassol Primary Schools.

Implementation period:

From February to July 2017 and from September to January 2018, time: 12.30 – 18.00.

For the summer months (May – June – July), time: 7.30 – 16.00.

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**25723209**

**[skemesayitonia@cytanet.com.cy](mailto:skemesayitonia@cytanet.com.cy)**

**LIMASSOL MUNICIPALITY****Social Street Work**

Social support and orientation actions aiming to orientate TCNs in the Cypriot society by providing information on everyday issues such as housing, transport, communication, job opportunities, health services, their rights and obligations. The social street work

includes the provision of personalized psycho – social support by social workers that are present every Sunday at places where TCNs are gathering as well as through personal appointments for counseling and psychological support.

Every Sunday at the Church of Saint Cathrine, in MOLOS area and in various areas of the city.

**Contact with the specialised social workers**  
**Tel.: 99865460 & 99728871**  
**[streetwork@limassolmunicipal.com.cy](mailto:streetwork@limassolmunicipal.com.cy)**

**Social interventions in primary schools with high number of TCN children**

Immediate intervention for pupils facing problems of adaptation and integration in the school community. Assessment of the needs of TCN families and provision of information. Implementation of experiential workshops with mixed groups of pupils aiming the prevention and tackling of racist attitudes and strengthening the social skills of TCN children.

**Contact the school social worker**  
**Tel.: 99865423**

**[streetwork@limassolmunicipal.com.cy](mailto:streetwork@limassolmunicipal.com.cy)**

**3. SOCIAL ORIENTATION PROGRAMMES**

Organisation of educational excursions in cultural and historical sites in Cyprus with the aim of introducing the Cypriot culture and history to TCNs.

**LIMASSOL MUNICIPALITY**

Dates: Sunday, 30/07/2017 & 17/09/2017  
Visiting sights to be announced later on.  
Participation will be based on priority order.  
**For more information contact:**  
**99865460 & 99728871**

**AGIOS ATHANASIOS MUNICIPALITY**

Dates: Sunday, 18/06/2017 & 10/12/2017  
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