

Title of the activity	EXPRESSING YOUR WISHES IN A COLLAGE
Brief description	<p>Ask participants to make a collage that represents their wishes for activities in their free time or their wishes related to a job. They can use pictures from magazines, coloured paper, and paint.</p> <p>After they have finished this, expose the collages for everyone to see. Look at each one together and ask the participants what they see. Then ask the participant who made it to tell what s-he has tried to express in it.</p> <p>After all collages have been discussed, gather in a circle and talk together about options to give 'hand and feet' to the wishes and dreams.</p>
Aims	<p>To help participants think about and express their wishes / dreams when it comes to activities to do in their free time or related to a job;</p> <p>To give them ideas about how to actually make their wishes / dreams come through.</p>
Main skills addressed	<p>ownership</p> <p>courage</p> <p>self-expression</p> <p>self-motivation</p> <p>information literacy</p>
Why is this activity suitable for promoting civic participation and integration?	<p>The activity makes participants aware of what they want and what the possibilities are to actually make their wishes for activities or jobs come through.</p>
Link to website (if available)	
Which non-formal learning tool is (mainly) used	visual art
Suitable for how many participants (min. / max.)	4-12
Indication of duration of the activity	<p>depending on the amount of participants, but a guideline could be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - making the collages - 1 hour - presenting the collages and discussing them: 10 min. max. per collage - giving hand and feet to the wishes: 10 min. max. per participants
Indication of preparation (time, which material are needed)	<p>materials needed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - collection of magazines, newspapers, coloured paper, enough for the number of participants you expect. - material (tape, washing pegs and a line etc.) that enable you to hang the collages.
Evaluation method (if applicable)	
Variations (if applicable)	



A large, central graphic in a bright yellow color. It consists of a thick, stylized arrow shape that curves from the top left to the bottom right. The words "Alternative" and "Ways" are stacked vertically in the center of the arrow in a bold, sans-serif font, matching the style of the small logo.