

Accompaniment to Migrants



Emmaus demarcation (Bilbao, Logroño, Barbastro, Vitoria, Seville, Granada, Pamplona and Zaragoza).



600

Men, women, families, young people, teenagers, boys and girls. There is a variety of 25 different nationalities.



People working in the project

In every presence there is someone released to promote the project.







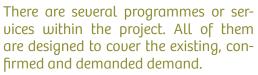
Presentation of the social reality

- Itaka-Escolapios has a long experience of collaboration and work with migrant population since its beginnings through different initiatives and projects such as homes for young people, educational support in schools, literacy classes, integration actions through leisure time or awareness campaigns. Contact with these people has increased awareness of the difficult reality experienced by this group in general.
- This sensitivity is the fruit of our charism and is at the heart of our mission. Through our charism we place education at the service of those with whom the Lord wished to identify himself: "I was a stranger and you welcomed me" (Mt 25:35).
- The factors that produce the migration of thousands of people are diverse: demographic pressure, deteriorating living conditions, social or political instability and persecution, ecological problems, cultural and historical factors, the influence of the media, gender inequalities,... All these situations produce great suffering in people who are looking for a better alternative life for themselves and/or their families.
- The general objective of these projects is to facilitate the social, formative and labour insertion of the migrants who participate in the entity, accompanying them in an integral way in all the areas of their lives, until they demand or require it.





Simple description of the task to be carried out



- Literacy classes and Spanish as a Foreign Language classes (El Faro, Ikaskide, Ojalá).
- Nursery and School Reinforcement Service (Ojalá-Txiki).
- Residential Resources/Homes
- Different housing models, with different educational presence in each

- one of them.
- Socio-Labour Guidance
- Some presences have accredited offices.
- Qualifying or pre-qualifying training, aimed at labour insertion
- Complementary training
- Services to cover the basic needs detected (Showers / Lockers Clothes Delivery...).
- Leisure and free time activities







Achievements in the last years



- Recognition as Socio-labour Guidance Offices.
- · Growth in homes and residential resources
- Recognition of all the people (volunteers, students, workers...) as Itaka participants. Concept of the "new we are".



Future intentions (lines of improvement)

- To be able to recognise ourselves in some presence as a School for Adults (EPA).
- To incorporate in the Insertion Companies Project that facilitate the Regularisation and the access to the labour market.
- To continue researching on Qualifying Training in which it is possible to be accredited.





Info: vídeo 1; vídeo 2