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before registering your **Child(ren)** for



VBS 2026

Dear parents and friends of VBS!

We look forward to another exciting VBS experience! Last year we could welcome 100 kids in the main programme and we hope that many can join us once again – or for the first time!

Please be patient with our registration facility when we ask you to repeat certain entries in the case of registering more than one child. (Please finalise the registration for one group before starting another, f ex if you'd enrol a 5-11 and a Junior Helper.)

IMPORTANT: About three days after registration you will receive an email from the Coordinator: It will ensure you that your child(ren) is/are “in the system”. If not, please use the contact form at the bottom of the VBS page to enquire if there was a problem. (The chronology of incoming registrations will be important if we need to establish a waiting list!)

VBS children must be 5-11 years old by the end of August. But, should places remain available after closing online registration (i.e. end of July – unless we approach maximum capacity even before the end of the month), then only September birthdays (for kids turning 5) can be included. (Until then, these kids would be part of a waiting list ‘by default’. However, once their attendance is confirmed, it will remain secure.)

Please be aware that the Pre-School & Nursery area is reserved for the kids aged 0-4 who are the responsibility of Senior Helpers, so that our valiant volunteers are free to help throughout the VBS hours. (The registration of these little ones is part of the Senior Helpers’ form.)

At the start of August there will be a notification to instruct you regarding advance payment of the participation fee. This will help the Check-in Team on the first VBS day to do a speedy processing. - ***(Like last year, we offer a dedicated account just for this purpose, which also makes it easier to check and confirm any transfers.)***

We will also keep the option to pay cash on the first day: Here we ask that you prepare the exact amount, please:

Participation fee: 1st, 2nd child (of same family) - EUR 30 each

3rd, 4th,... child (of same family) - EUR 20 each

You will also receive an informative MEMO a few days before we are starting to explore the rainforests of Central America. (One important info point f. ex. will be that we do not cook lunch for participants, but that each is to bring a little packed lunch.)