

Station: Südwind Freiburg e.V.

Bildungsguide „Familienchance - Freiburg“

Sprache: Englisch



Hello,

my name is Anna Koch and I work for the Südwind Freiburg Association.

The Südwind Freiburg Association is a social and intercultural association in Freiburg.

An association is an organisation founded by a group of people, in order to do something together.

People of various origins, cultures, religions, ages and gender meet at our association.

The aim of the association is to promote the cultural dialogue and to advance the participation of all people to the political, cultural and social life.

Here at Südwind we offer plenty of various activities: children and youth groups, afternoon supervision and after-school childcare, preschool groups, cultural promotion, migrant advice, integration and women courses. All activities take place at various places in Freiburg. In the Lortzingstraße, Faulerstraße, Eschholzstraße and Lorettostraße. You can read all this on our homepage, which is available in various languages: German, English, Spanish, French and Arabic.

Today we are visiting the Lortzing Primary School, located at no. 1 Lortzing Street. Our association Südwind has various activities here and works closely with the school together.

I will first tell you something about this primary school. The primary school is located in the Brühl-Beurbarung quarter. Children of various origins and skills, aged between 6 and 10 learn in this school. The classes are modulated for the individual learning needs and interests of the children. In this school, there are various grade concepts. There are grades from the first to the fourth and two family grades. Family grades are school grades that mix children of various ages and grades. We also have a class that teaches children who attend the school with any knowledge of the German language. This class is a little smaller, that way children can find friends quicker and like this, learn the German language more intensely.

The Südwind Association offers in this school an after-school childcare, a kindergarten, a youth group, an integration course for adults and a migrant advice. That way, we can offer a supervision for the children as well as for the parents. The parents can attend a

language course at the same place where their children can attend the kindergarten or the school. The after-school childcare takes place before and after the regular classes in the school. This all occurs in a good mixture of learning, playing, understanding and humor. The focus is on the promotion of the independence of each and every child.

Children can be looked after in the time interval between (7:30) half past seven a.m. until 6 p.m. For children that are looked after the entire day, there is also a warm lunch. There are various supervision times, these are also called supervision modules, and they occur at various times. The fees for the after-school childcare are according to the respective modules/times. People with small incomes and people receiving public social aid can apply for a cost absorbtion. You can read all the information on our homepage.

When children come to us, they have the opportunity to experience various rooms with varied activities. We have a construction room, where they can play with Lego, cars or a supermarket playset. In our creative rooms, children can do handicrafts with various materials and take their works at home. Then, there is also the games room with awesome board games and various puzzles. Furthermore, we have a silent room, where children can draw, for example, mandalas, play with iron-on beads or quietly read on a cozy sofa. In order to let off steam, we have a small exercise room. They can also let off steam on the school yard and to borrow, for instance, a ball or a football from our toy box.

At 2 p.m. we go with the children to their regular groups: here, the children are with a constant supervisor in their classrooms and do their homework. After that, they have again the opportunity to participate in a project, as for instance a dance, handicrafts, crafts, theater or football project.

As you can hear, there are many activities at this school. For younger children (3 to 5 years old), that do not attend the school yet, there is a preschool assistance / daycare facility. Children are supervised in a protective and mindful manner on their way to school maturity and we promote the learning of the German language.

For the grades 5 to 13, there is a flexible afternoon supervision in this primary school that helps with their homework.

Moreover, integration courses for migrant adults take place here. Their focus is the acquisition and the expansion of the German language knowledge as a basis for an independent and self-determined life in Germany.

In order to supervise and assist this course in its entirety, we offer a migrant advice. This migrant advice offers migrants in Germany a constant, free and open consultation hour, in

order to accompany and support with everyday-life questions. If you are curious, just drop by or visit our homepage. Feel free to call us as well, should you have any questions.

Englische Übersetzung: Luminița Trașcă

Kontakt Daten:

Verein für soziale und interkulturelle Arbeit

Schulkindebetreuung (SCHUKS)

Birgit Rappenecker

Lortzingstraße 1

79106 Freiburg

Tel: 01772968515

rappenecker@suedwind-freiburg.de

www.suedwind-freiburg.de

