## City of Pistoia Education and Instruction Service

## STUDYING IN PISTOIA

# OPPORTUNITIES FOR STUDY AND TRAINING IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION CENTRES

For over twenty years, Pistoia has built up a very extensive network of early childhood education services that has come to the attention of the international community.

The "Studying in Pistoia" programme offers a wide variety of opportunities to learn about the educational experiences that the city plans for children.

Each year the infant-toddler centres, nursery schools and *AreeBambini* welcome numerous visitors from Italy and all over the world who are interested in learning about them.

This rich heritage of knowledge and experience is made available to anyone already working in the sector, wishing to reflect more deeply on educational and organizational strategies, or to those about to enter the field.

"Studying in Pistoia" consists of 3 types of programme:

- Visits to early childhood centres
- Internships in early childhood centres
- Online meeting on the educational services system (duration 2 hours)

#### VISITS TO EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTRES

**Duration:** 1 - 5 days

Period: from October to May (from Monday to Friday)

Who is it for: educators, teachers, education experts, and university students from other areas, interested in a thorough understanding of the issues relating to the educational services in the light of Pistoia's experiences.

#### INTERNSHIPS IN EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTRES

**Duration**: minimum 7 days - maximum 3 months.

Period: from October to May (from Monday to Friday)

Who is it for: university and high school students whose training must be carried out in a school or teachers, especially from abroad, who wish to have the opportunity to learn about Pistoia's early childhood education programme. During the internship, the student works as a teacher at one of the centres and is supervised by a tutor throughout the study period.

#### FEES

## Half-day visits

€ 25,00 per person per day

## Full-day visits

€ 40,00 per person per day

## The following are free of charge:

- Group leaders (1 per 10 paying visitors)
- University lecturers and similar
- Municipal and Regionals administrators

## Internships

€ 40,00 per person per week (lunch included)

€ 160,00 per person per month (lunch included)

no lunch is provided for internships in the AreeBambini

Online meeting on the educational services system (duration 2 hours)

€ 20,00 per person up to 15 partecipants

€ 15,00 per person over 15 partecipants

#### PAYMENT METHOD

Payment must be made by bank transfer to the city of Pistoia

#### **BANK DETAILS:**

INTESA SANPAOLO SPA – Filiale di Pistoia – via Roma

ABI: 03069 CAB: 13830 CIN: C C/C n° 46002 intestato a:

Comune di Pistoia - Tesoreria Comunale

IBAN: IT 67 C 03069 13830 100000046002

BIC SWIFT: BCI TI TMM (only for bank transfers from abroad)

Please specify the following reason for payment:

VISITA SERVIZI EDUCAZIONE

#### **HOW TO ENROL**

The enrolment forms are available on the internet at Once fully completed https://www.comune.pistoia.it/aree-tematiche/educazione/tirocini-e-delegazioni/delegazioni-e-tirocini-formativi

send to the following email address d.cappellini@comune.pistoia.it

VISITORS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR ORGANIZING THEIR OWN TRANSPORTATION, ACCOMMODATION AND INTERPRETERS

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