2020 ANNUAL REPORT





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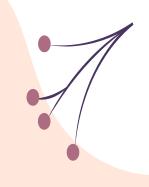
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Our National Committee President's Message



OUR NATIONAL COMMITTEE PRESIDENT SULTAN YILMAZ'S MESSAGE



Hello all,

As we're all aware, COVID– 19 pandemic affects the whole world, our country and the Award family of the International Award for Young People-Türkiye. We have confronted incredible problems and obstacles in of 2020. Nevertheless, we have experienced that it is possible to turn disadvantages into advantages if there is hope and effort is made. As the big International Award for Young People - Türkiye (IAYP-TR) family including the National Committee members, the National Office Staff, Award Coordinators, Award Leaders, Supervisors, precious participants and Award holders, we worked and succeeded all year to overcome the difficulties.

As you know, the logo and the name of the Award has changed. Our Award Leader and Supervisor trainings were held online. Validation Visits continue to be online, successfully. Many activities such as various meetings and participatory activities never stopped. As provided to all young people participating in the Award all around the world, the Bronze Adventurous Journeys, could be completed virtually which we could say in a way, is the last stop. The participants would be able to start VBE (Virtual Bronze Expedition) in the first months of 2021. For alternatives related to Gold Residential Projects, suggestions of completing the tasks virtually will follow Virtual Bronze Expeditions (VBE). Our determination for delivering the Award is derived from countless efforts of the dear participants to continue their Award journeys.



OUR NATIONAL COMMITTEE PRESIDENT SULTAN YILMAZ'S MESSAGE

Of course, as the IAYP-TR National Award Authority TİKAV management, we took care to act together with the management of the International Award Foundation in the works planned to be carried out under pandemic conditions. We tried to ensure that IAYP-TR participants benefit from practices in other countries.

We were able to move towards the target, and we gladly see that the number of our participants increased also in 2020. This means that the efforts made reach the goal.

In this success, first of all, the valuable contributions of our Award Centres, Award Coordinators, Award Leaders, Supervisors and the efforts of our National Office staff cannot be ignored.

Participants, who are supported with care, also successfully respond to their efforts. Our alumni participants add strength to the Programme with their activities. Thank you to all our stakeholders.

The founder and protector of our foundation, TİKAV Honorary President and Akfen Holding Chairman of the Board of Directors, Mr. Hamdi AKIN, and our main sponsor AKFEN Holding management were with us in the process we are in, as always. We owe gratitude.

It is my wish to come together with face-to-face work on healthy days.

With love and respect.





ABOUT US



ABOUT THE AWARD

International Award for Young People - Türkiye; It is an international program that supports out-of-school education that encourages young people between the ages of 14 and 24 to set goals, achieve their goals, celebrate their achievements and make a difference in society.

The Award has inspired millions of young people to change their lives since 1956. participants design their Award Programme, set their goals and enroll their progress. The Award plays an important role in the lives of young people outside of school, enabling them to be active, creating emphasis on their **Skill**, **Physical Recreation** and **Service**, and experience **Adventurous Journey**. The Award Programme enables young people to be recognized worldwide and gain a special international experience.

The Award Programme also helps young people to inspire individuals and communities and to improve themselves. Young people participating in the Award Programme learn to be self-confident and solution-oriented. They develop communication, problem solving and leadership skills. In this way, it affects the society in areas such as health, educational attainment, employment.

Thanks to the International Award for Young People, young people; they desire to create a meaningful change not only for themselves but also for their environment, by recognizing their goals and passions.



THE HISTORY OF THE AWARD 1956





The Award was founded in 1956 by The Duke of Edinburgh Prince Philip and started being delivered as 'The Duke of Edinburgh's International Award'. The Award was introduced to Turkey in 1995; it was delivered by the Turkish- English Friendship Association and schools.

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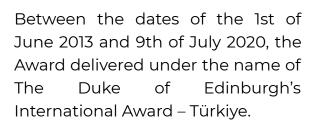
The Ministry of Education officially approved the delivery of the Award in high schools across 7 pilot cities and to TIKAV scholars.

Within this time, the validation and certification of the delivery of the Award was under the responsibility of the International Award Foundation.



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THE INTERNATIONAL AWARD FOR YOUNG PEOPLE TÜRKİYE







Since the 9th of July, 2020, the Award has started to be delivered with the name of The International Award For Young People - Türkiye (IAYP-TR), which is represented by TİKAV.





MISSION, VISION AND GOALS



<u>**Our Vision**</u> To increase the individual and societal value of young people that are living in our country through providing Access for them to participate and complete The Award.

Our Mission to provide the right conditions for delivering The Award, to promote The Award in a qualified manner within the framework of the standards and to preserve the quality of The Award nationwide.

Our Goal is to make The Award available to all 14-24 year olds in Turkey.

Turkey's Goal for 2021 is to increase the number of participants to 3500.

To increase the Award completion rate in line with the new entrants.



GUIDING PRINCIPLES

Individual Participants design their own Programme, which can be tailored to suit their personal circumstances, choices and local provision. They start at whichever level suits them best and they can take as long as they wish (within the age limit) to achieve their Award.

Non- Competitive Doing their Award is a personal challenge and not a competition against others. Every Participant's programme is tailor-made to reflect their individual starting point, abilities and interests.

Achievable An Award is achievable by any individual who chooses to take up the challenge, regardless of ability, gender, background or location, with the right guidance and inspiration.

Voluntary Whilst the Award may be offered within school, college, work time, custody or extra-curricular activity, individuals choose to do a programme and a must commit some of their free time to undertake their activities.

Development Participating in their Award Programme fosters personal and social development. Individuals gain valuable experiences and life skills, grow in confidence and become more aware of their environment and community transforming them into responsible young adults.





GUIDING PRINCIPLES

Balanced

The Award provides a balanced framework to develop the individual's mind, body and community spirit by engaging them in range of activities in up to five different challenges.

Progressive

At each level of engagement, the Award demands progressively more time, commitment and responsibility from the Participant.

Inspirational

The Award inspires individuals to exceed their expectations. They are encouraged to set their own challenges and goals before starting an activity, aim for these goals and by showing improvement will achieve an Award.

Persistence

The Award requires and cannot be completed with a short burst of enthusiasm. Participants are encouraged to continue with activities and to maintain their interest beyond their programme requirements.

Enjoyable

Participants and Award Leaders should find the Award enjoyable, fullfilling and rewarding.



OUR STRATEGY

3 - Year Strategy

Access

Increasing the number of new Award entrants, particularly those from at risk or marginalised communities.

Reach

Increasing the number of Award Centres and deliverers by improving the social infrastructure of the Award.

Impact

Increasing Award completion rates by assisting, supporting and training providers- volunteers and Leaders- to enable more young people to achieve their Award.





AWARD LEVELS

Bronze

The Bronze Category is for young people older than **14 years old**. In the Bronze Category, Award Participants complete the Physical Recreation, Skills, Service and Adventurous Journey sections of the Award. In the first 3 sections, they take part in 3 different activities based on the goals they want to achieve. In this category, the participants have to take part in one activity for a minimum of **26 weeks**. In this category, the A&J lasts **2 days and 1 night**. The Bronze Category is completed in **26 weeks**.



Silver



The Silver Category is for young people older than **15 years old**. In the Silver Category, Award Participants complete the Physical Recreation, Skills, Service and Adventurous Journey sections of the Award. In the first 3 sections, they take part in 3 different activities based on the goals they want to achieve. In this category, the participants have to take part in one activity for a minimum of **26 weeks**. In this category, the A&J lasts **3 days and 2 nights**. If the participants is a Bronze Award Holder, the other sections must be carried out for **at least 26 weeks**. If the participant has directly starts with Silver, then one of the activities must be carried out for **52 weeks**. In conclusion, for Bronze Award Holders this category is completed in **26 weeks**, for new entrants it is completed in **52 weeks**.

Gold

The Gold Category is for young people older than **16 years old**. In the Gold Category, Award Participants does not only complete the Physical Recreation, Skills, Service and A&J sections of the Award, but they also take part in a Residential Project. The activities for the first three sections last **52 weeks**; if the participants is starting the Gold Award from scratch, then they must carry out one more activities out of the first three sections for another 6 months. In this category the A&J lasts **4 days and 3 nights**. Unique to this category, The Residential Project must last at least **5 days and 4 nights.** In this situation Silver Award Holders complete the Gold Category in **52 weeks**, new entrants complete it in at least **78 weeks**.





NATIONAL COMMITTEE



Dr. Hakan Çalışkan The Adventurous Journey Coordinator

Leyla Nilüfer Yılmaz The Social Work and Independent Participants Coordinator

Sultan Yilmaz The National Committee President

Pelin Akın Özalp The National Committee Vice President

Kıvanç Aker The Training Coordinator







Hande Bensu Emiral Project Assistant

THE NATIONAL OFFICE



Çiğdem Güler National Coordinator



Hakan Öz AJ Department Manager



Selen Karakelle Project Assistant





Gözde Yiğit Project Assistant



Kübra Kızıl Project Assistant





THE AWARD LEADER TRAINERS



Nilüfer Yılmaz



Kıvanç Aker



Soner Çakı



Aybüke Çalışkan





Arzu Akoğlu



Nuran Karaağaoğlu



Öznur Aydoğar





THE SUPERVISOR TRAINERS



Hakan Öz



Aybüke Çalışkan





Dr. Hakan Çalışkan



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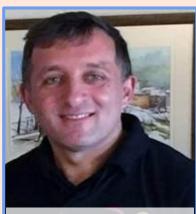


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ADVENTUROUS JOURNEY TEAM







Dr. Hakan Çalışkan



Kübra Kızıl





2020 IN NUMBERS

The Number of new Sub-Licence Agreements 19

The Number of Volunteers who became Award Leaders 79

The Number of Volunteers who became Supervisors 49

New Entrants 1111

The Number of Adventurous Journeys 2

The Number of Participants attended Adventurous Journeys 10

Total Days of Adventurous Journey 7

Award Gained 264





THE AWARD TODAY IN TURKEY

- **121** Active Award Centres
- **3456** Active Participants
- 427 Award Leaders
- 7 Award Leader Trainers
- **3** International Award Leader Trainers
- **292** Adventurous Journey Supervisors
- **11** Adventurous Journey Assessors
- **6** Adventurous Journey Trainers





LOCATIONS OF AWARD CENTRES



- Akfen Altyapı Holding A.Ş.
- Alkev Özel Anadolu Lisesi
- Anabilim Eğitim Kurumları
- Antalya Bilim Doğa Anadolu Lisesi
- Arnavutköy Korkmaz Yiğit Anadolu Lisesi
- Ataşehir Okan Eğitim Kurumları
- Atayurt Okulları
- Bahçeşehir Bilfen Anadolu ve Fen Lisesi
- Bahçeşehir Koleji Çanakkale Anadolu Lisesi
- Bahçeşehir Koleji Nakkaştepe Fen ve Teknoloji Anadolu Lisesi
- Beşiktaş Anadolu Lisesi
- Beşiktaş Atatürk Anadolu Lisesi
- Beşiktaş Kabataş Vakfı Okulları
- Beşiktaş Sakıp Sabancı Anadolu Lisesi

- Beştepe Okulları
- Bilfen Antalya Fen Lisesi ve Anadolu Lisesi
- Bilkent Erzurum Laboratuvar Lisesi
- Bilkent Laboratuvar ve Uluslararası Okulu
- Çağfen Koleji
- Çağrıbey Anadolu Lisesi
- Çamlıca Bilfen Anadolu ve Fen Lisesi
- Çiğdemim Eğitim, Çevre ve Dayanışma Derneği
- Çorlu Fen Bilimleri Okulları
- Darüşşafaka Eğitim Kurumları
- Elazığ Özel Bilgem Okulları
- Enka Okulları
- Eryaman Okyanus Anadolu Lisesi
- Eskişehir Gelişim Okulları
- Fatin Rüştü Zorlu Anadolu Lisesi



- Feyziye Mektepleri Vakfı Özel Ayazağa lşık Lisesi
- Feyziye Mektepleri Vakfı Özel Erenköy Işık Lisesi
- Feyziye Mektepleri Vakfı Özel
 Ispartakule Işık Lisesi
- Feyziye Mektepleri Vakfı Özel Nişantaşı Işık Lisesi
- Galatasaray Lisesi
- Gazi Üniversitesi Vakfı Özel Anadolu ve Fen Lisesi
- İELEV Özel Lisesi
- İhsan Doğramacı Vakfı Özel Bilkent Lisesi
- İstanbul Erkek Lisesi
- İstanbul International School
- İstanbul NUN Okulları

- Kabataş Erkek Lisesi
- Kadıköy Anadolu Lisesi
- Koç Üniversitesi
- Maltepe Üniversitesi
- Marmara Koleji
- Martaş Otomotiv
- MEF International School
- MEV Koleji Özel Basınköy Anadolu ve Fen Lisesi
- MEV Özel Toros Anadolu Lisesi
- Mimar Sinan Eğitim Kurumları
- Mustafa Kemal Anadolu Lisesi (eski adı: Türk Maarif Koleji Özel Maarifet Anadolu Lisesi)
- Nesibe Aydın Eğitim Kurumları
- Nevzat Ayaz Anadolu Lisesi
- Nişantaşı Anadolu Lisesi



- ODTÜ Geliştirme Vakfı Okulları Özel Mersin Anadolu Lisesi
- ODTÜ Geliştirme Vakfı Özel Lisesi
- Özel Alman Lisesi
- Özel Ataşehir Sevinç Anadolu Lisesi
- Özel Beylikdüzü Gökkuşağı Anadolu Lisesi
- Özel Bilfen Çayyolu Anadolu Fen Lisesi
- Özel Bilfen Gaziantep Anadolu ve Fen Lisesi
- Özel Bilfen Kayseri Anadolu ve Fen Lisesi
- Özel Burçak Eyüboğlu Fen ve Teknoloji Lisesi
- Özel Bursa Bilfen Anadolu Fen Lisesi

- Özel Çağdaş Okulları Anadolu ve Fen Lisesi
- Özel Çekmeköy Sevinç Anadolu Lisesi
- Özel Doğan Koleji Anadolu Lisesi
- Özel Eyüboğlu Koleji
- Özel Florya Can Ada Koleji Anadolu Lisesi
- Özel Gökkuşağı Anadolu Lisesi
- Özel Gökkuşağı Koleji
- Özel Güney Gelişim Anadolu Lisesi
- Özel Işıkkent Anadolu Lisesi
- Özel İncek Okyanus Anadolu Lisesi
- Özel İstek 1915 Çanakkale Okulları
- Özel İstek Antalya Konyaaltı Okulları
- Özel İstek Antalya Lara Okulları
- Özel İstek Bilge Kağan Okulları
- Özel İstek İzmir Anadolu Lisesi
- Özel İstek Kemal Atatürk Anadolu Lisesi



- Özel İstek Kuşadası Okulları
- Özel İstek Uluğbey Okulları
- Özel İzmir Amerikan Koleji
- Özel İzmir Bilfen Fen ve Anadolu Lisesi
- Özel Kocaeli Bahçeşehir Anadolu Lisesi
- Özel Mef Lisesi
- Özel Özen Anadolu Lisesi
- Özel Şehir Koleji Anadolu Fen Lisesi
- Özel Tarsus Amerikan Koleji
- Özel Toros Fen Lisesi
- Özel Uğur Anadolu Lisesi
- Özel Ümraniye Gökkuşağı Anadolu / Fen Lisesi
- Özel Üsküdar Amerikan Lisesi
- Özel Yeni Yol Okulları
- Sajev Özel Küçük Prens Lisesi
- Sakarya Bahçeşehir Koleji

- Sev Amerikan Koleji
- Sosyalben Vakfı
- Tarabya İngiliz Okulları
- Tarsus Özel Toros Anadolu Lisesi
- TED Adana Koleji
- TED Atakent Koleji
- TED Atakent Koleji Bahçeşehir Kampüsü
- TED Eskişehir Koleji
- TED İstanbul Koleji Özel Lisesi
- TED Malatya Koleji
- TED Mersin Koleji Özel Lisesi
- TED Rönesans Anadolu Lisesi
- TED Sivas Koleji
- Teknoloji ve İnsan Koleji
- Terakki Vakfı Özel Şişli Terakki Lisesi ve Fen Lisesi



- Terakki Vakfı Özel Şişli Terakki Tepeören Anadolu Lisesi
- TEV İnanç Türkeş Özel Lisesi
- The British International School
- Tuzla Özel Okan Anadolu Lisesi
- Türkiye İnsan Kaynakları Eğitim ve Sağlık Vakfı / Bireysel Gelişim Programı
- Validebağ Fen Lisesi
- Vizyon Koleji Anadolu Lisesi Bahçeşehir Kampüsü
- Vizyon Koleji Anadolu Lisesi Beylikdüzü Kampüsü
- VKV Koç Özel Lisesi
- Yakacık Fen Bilimleri Okulları



DATE	EVENT NAME	LOCATION
9 January 2020	Adventurous Journey Department Evaluation meeting and Motivation Dinner	Eskişehir
11-12 January 2020	Award Leader Training	İstanbul
1 February 2020	National Committee Meeting	Ankara
18 February 2020	1st Meeting of Independent Award Leaders Meeting	İstanbul
29 February - 1 March 2020	Award Leader Training	İstanbul
6 - 7 - 8 March 2020	Supervisor Training	Eskişehir
15 April 2020	Award Coordinators/ Award Leaders Meeting	Online Platform
17 April 2020	Participant Zoom Meeting	Online Platform



DATE		LOCATION
18 April 2020	Supervisors Meeting	Online Platform
19 April 2020	Award Coordinators/ Award Leaders Meeting	Online Platform
20 April 2020	Award Coordinators/ Award Leaders/ Supervisors Meeting	Online Platform
4 May 2020	Validebağ Fen Lisesi Introductory Meeting	Online Platform
20 May 2020	Independent Participants A&J Training - 1st Module	Online Platform
21 May 2020	Talk Show "WHEN EDUCATION IS OUT OF SCHOOL"	Online Platform
22 May 2020	Independent Participants A&J Training - 2nd Module	Online Platform
27 May 2020	Independent Participants A&J Training - 3rd Module	Online Platform





DATE	EVENT NAME	LOCATION
29 May 2020	Independent Participants A&J Training - 4th Module	Online Platform
1 June 2020	Independent Participants A&J Training - 5th Module	Online Platform
2 June 2020	Independent Participants A&J Training - 6th Module	Online Platform
4 June 2020	Independent Participants A&J Training - 7th Module	Online Platform
8 June 2020	Independent Participants A&J Training - 8th Module	Online Platform
9 June 2020	Independent Participants A&J Training - 9th Module	Online Platform
11 June 2020	Independent Participants A&J Training - 10th Module	Online Platform
12 June 2020	2020 Adventurous Journeys' Meeting	Online Platform





DATE	EVENT NAME	LOCATION
29 June 2020	National Committee Meeting	Online Platform
4 July 2020	Supervisor Training	Eskişehir
14 September 2020	Beştepe Okulları Introductory Meeting	Online Platform
28 September 2020	National Committee Meeting	Online Platform
9 October 2020	SosyalBen Vakfı Introductory Meeting	Online Platform
19 October 2020	Strategic Partnership Meeting with LÖSEV	Online Platform
24- 25 October 2020	Award Leader Training	Online Platform
26 October 2020	Özel Çağdaş Okulları Anadolu ve Fen Lisesi Introductory Meeting	Online Platform



DATE	EVENT NAME	LOCATION
14-15 November 2020	Award Leader Training	Online Platform
25 November 2020	Feyziye Mektepleri Vakfı Özel Ayazağa Işık Lisesi Introductory Meeting	Online Platform
28-29 November 2020	Supervisor Training	Online Platform
5-6 December 2020	Award Leader Training	Online Platform
12-13 December 2020	Supervisor Training	Online Platform
22 December 2020	Talk Show- " Mindfulness"	Online Platform
28 December 2020	Özel Gökkuşağı Koleji Introductory Meeting	Online Platform



VALIDATION VISITS

DATE	AWARD CENTRE
16 January 2020	Türkiye İnsan Kaynakları Eğitim ve Sağlık Vakfı / Bireysel Gelişim Projesi
5 February 2020	Mimar Sinan Eğitim Kurumları
6 February 2020	Anabilim Eğitim Kurumları
7 February 2020	İstanbul International School
18 February 2020	Bahçeşehir Koleji Nakkaştepe Fen ve Teknoloji Anadolu Lisesi
25 February 2020	Terakki Vakfı Özel Şişli Terakki Lisesi ve Fen Lisesi
26 February 2020	ODTÜ GVO Özel Mersin Anadolu Lisesi
26 February 2020	Özel Toros Fen Lisesi
2 March 2020	Özel Üsküdar Amerikan Lisesi



VALIDATION VISITS

DATE	AWARD CENTRE
5 March 2020	Özel Yeni Yol Okulları
5 March 2020	TED Eskişehir Koleji
12 November 2020	Özel Burçak Eyüboğlu Fen ve Teknoloji Lisesi
12 November 2020	Özel Eyüboğlu Koleji
19 November 2020	Tarabya İngiliz Okulları
27 November 2020	Özel Gökkuşağı Okulları
2 December 2020	Özel Alman Lisesi
4 December 2020	TED İstanbul Koleji Özel Lisesi
25 December 2020	Özel Marmara Koleji
30 December 2020	Özel İncek Okyanus Koleji Anadolu Lisesi



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2020 AWARD CEREMONIES

DATE	AWARD CENTRE
9 January 2020	Özel Ataşehir Sevinç Anadolu Lisesi Bronze Award Ceremony
16 January 2020	Yakacık Fen Bilimleri Okulları Bronze Award Ceremony
5 February 2020	Özel Alman Lisesi Bronze Award Ceremony
10 February 2020	Tarabya İngiliz Okulları Bronze Award Ceremony
21 February 2020	İstek Özel Bilge Kağan Okulları Bronze and Silver Award Ceremonies
28 February 2020	TED Rönesans Anadolu Lisesi Bronze Award Ceremony

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2020 AWARD CEREMONIES

DATE	AWARD CENTRE
28 February 2020	İstek Özel Uluğbey Okulları Bronze Award Ceremony
28 February 2020	ODTÜ GVO Özel Mersin Anadolu Lisesi Bronze Award Ceremony
19 March 2020	Anabilim Eğitim Kurumları Bronze Award Ceremony
23 March 2020	Bilkent Laboratuvar ve Uluslararası Okulu Bronze Award Ceremony
7 April 2020	British International School Bronze Award Ceremony
16 April 2020	Arnavutköy Korkmaz Yiğit Anadolu Lisesi Bronze Award Ceremony

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UGO-TR / IAYP-TR AGAIN!

One of the most exciting news from 2020 was the change of the name and the logo of the Award in Turkey. The Duke of Edinburgh's International Award-Türkiye will continue its existence as the International Award for Young People-Türkiye from July 2020.





COVID-19 AND OUR "AWARD- From Home" GUIDES

In April 2020, we shared "AWARD - from Home" Guides with all of our volunteers and our participants, stating that each part of the Award Programme can be carried out from home. Participants use YouTube videos for their Skills and Physical Recreation. They walk with Helpsteps and donate their steps to various foundations and associations.



CHANGING GEAR TO ONLINE TRAININGS - AWARD LEADER TRAININGS







All trainings organized by IAYP-TR, due to COVID-19, have been performed online. Our National Office staff attended various trainings on Digital Learning Tools in order to have better knowledge of Online Education processes. The acquisition related to digital tools were integrated into online online trainings. It was an extremely successful academic year.

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CHANGING GEAR TO ONLINE TRAININGS - SUPERVISOR TRAININGS

In August, we started preparations for Virtual Bronze Expedition (VBE) for Adventurous Journeys, the fourth and most memorable section of the Award Programme. At the end of 2020, infrastructure and translation process was completed. Virtual Bronze Expeditions will take place in 2021 via Google Classroom.





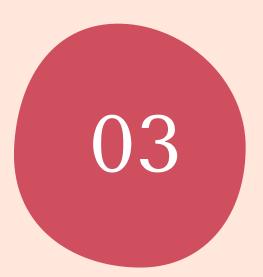




Google Classroom







ALL EVENTS









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JULY - AUGUST -SEPTEMBER 2020





- DECEMBER 2020

AWARD LEADER TRAINING

Our Award Leader Training were hosted by Ataşehir Sevinç Private High School on **11-12 January 2020**. We welcome our new volunteers who joined us; we wish them success in the Award Programme journeys.





JANUARY - FEBRUARY - MARCH 2020 AWARD LEADER TRAINING

Our Award Leader Training were hosted by İstek Vakfı Kemal Atatürk Private High School on **29 February - 1 March 2020**. We welcome our new volunteers who joined us; we wish them success in the Award Programme journeys.





NATIONAL COMMITTEE MEETING

On the February 1st, 2020 The International Award For Young People - Türkiye (IAYP-TR) National Committee Meeting was held. National Committee President **Sultan Yilmaz**, Adventurous Journey Coordinator **Hakan Çalışkan**, Independent Participants Coordinator **Leyla Nilüfer Yılmaz** and Education Coordinator **Kıvanç Aker** and National Office staff attended the meeting.





SUPERVISOR TRAINING

Supervisor Training was held in Eskişehir ESOGÜ Hotel on **6 – 7 – 8 March 2020**. By attending in the training, we welcome our Supervisors who are part of the Award Family!







ADVENTUROUS JOURNEY DEPARTMENT EVALUATION MEETING AND MOTIVATION DINNER

Adventurous Journey Department 2019 Evaluation Meeting and motivation dinner was held on **09 January 2020** in Eskişehir. National Committee President **Sultan Yılmaz**, Adventurous Journey Coordinator **Hakan Çalışkan**, TİKAV Secretary General **Özlem Gül Hadımoğulları**, National Coordinator **Çiğdem Güler**, Adventurous Journey Department Manager **Hakan Öz,** Adventurous Journey Department Assistant **Kübra Kızıl** and our **A&J Supervisors** came together in Eskişehir. Briefings of 2019 were shared and plans were made for 2020 period.





THE SECOND COMPANY JOINED AWARD FAMILY

AKFEN INFRASTRUCTURE HOLDING

We welcome Akfen Infrastructure Holding, our second corporate Award Centre, and we thank them for their cooperation and support in the Award. We hope to reach more young people together...









Hello, I'm İpek Günad, eleventh grade student at İstek Uluğbey Anatolian High School. At the same time, I'm one of the team members of the Turkish Triathlon National Team. Apart from my school life, I try to pay equal attention to sports and social activities.

When my Biology Teacher announced the Award, I thought this Programme was just for me. The main purpose of my application was that I couldn't spare my time for other activities due to the trainings and I wanted to do different activities outside of the sport. In this way, I could spare my time for different activities within a framework.

I chose triathlon, which I have been doing professionally for three years for the Physical Recreation section. I took part in the "Peer Workshop Activity" organized by my school for the Service section. In this activity, we played educational and instructive games with younger students in primary school. I chose gastronomy for the Skills section. Since I have a working Mom, I always prepare my meals myself since middle school. I thought that gastronomy would be beneficial for me as I wanted to prepare healthy meals for myself and since I'm engaged in sports. I want to study nutrition and dietetics in university. After completing these three different activities, we went to Eskişehir for the Adventurous Journey section. This was the part that I enjoyed the most and at the same time, it was the hardest part. Although it was difficult for me to walk up the mountain with fifteen kilos backpack, it was very enjoyable to spend time in nature with my friends and to do research on plants.

If you ask "What was the contribution of the Award to my life", my answer would be, with the help of the Award, I had a chance to devote more time to different social activities, improved myself in different areas and started to see from different perspectives.

I realised that I had many skills that I wasn't aware of before the Award. With these skills, I believe that I will always be one step ahead of others as I had different areas of interest

-BRONZE CATEGORY PARTICIPANT İPEK GÜNAD





ONLINE ZOOM MEETINGS WITH AWARD VOLUNTEERS

The **"Award from Home Guide"** was introduced to the Award Coordinators/ Award Leaders/ Supervisors at online meetings. During the pandemic which affected the world, it was explained that the Award Programme could be delivered with flexibilities provided for the participants which included the temporary changes.



15 April 2020 – Award Coordinators / Award Leaders Meeting



18 April 2020 – Supervisors Meeting



19 April 2020 – Award Coordinators / Award Leaders Meeting





20 April 2020 –Award Coordinators / Award Leaders / Supervisors Meeting



ONLINE MEETINGS WITH PARTICIPANTS

The **"Award From Home Guide"** was introduced to **500 participants** on an online meeting, which took place on 17 April 2020. During the pandemic which affected the world, it was explained that the Award Programme could be delivered with flexibilities and the temporary changes were explained.





ONLINE TALKSHOW WITH AWARD VOLUNTEERS "WHEN EDUCATION IS LEFT WITHOUT SCHOOL"

In the online interview held on **May 21st @18:00**, while talking about the different challenges, fears, doubts, and the need for adaptation within a great change; **Expert Psychologist Melis Gültekin** answered the questions of our volunteers and the difficulties they faced. In the interview, the aim was to take a deeper look at the needs of our volunteers, and their doubts from a psychological perspective and what could be done to support them.

We thank to Expert Psychologist Melis Gültekin for her valuable contributions.





NATIONAL COMMITTEE MEETING

On **June 29th, 2020**, the International Award for Young People – Türkiye (IAYP) National Committee Meeting was held online. National Committee President **Sultan Yılmaz**, National Committee Vice President **Pelin Akın Özalp**, Adventurous Journey Coordinator **Hakan Çalışkan**, Independent Participants Coordinator **Leyla Nilüfer Yılmaz** and Education Coordinator **Kıvanç Aker** and National Office staff attended the meeting.





ADVENTUROUS JOURNEY PREPARATIONS AND TRAINING- ONLINE COURSES FOR INDEPENDENT PARTICIPANTS

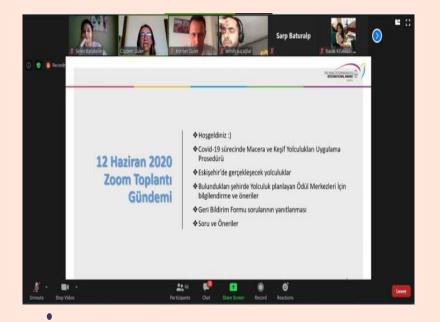
During the pandemic that affected the whole world, the A&J preparations and trainings were held as online courses for independent participants, which started in the last week of May and continued in the first two weeks of June. The aim was to prepare our independent participants for A&J's The topics of the online courses were as follows: Environment and Ecology, Nutrition in Nature, Meteorology, Outfit Guides in Nature, Needed Equipments in A&J's, Using Map and Compass; First Aid in Nature; Planning Purposeful Activity; Emergency Procedures; Physical Preparation Process. Independent participants attended a ten hour online course in which, they covered a different topic each day and all the questions of our participants were answered. We thank our A&J Operations Manager Hakan Öz for the trainings.



2020 ADVENTUROUS JOURNEYS ONLINE MEETING

In the A&J's that would be held in 2020, as the National Office, we took into consideration the international coronavirus outbreak normalization process and the conditions of our country. At this meeting, after sharing the comprehensive measures we have taken as the National Office, various arrangements were introduced to enable our participants to complete the Award Programme and support our valuable volunteers.







Thanks to the Award Programme that I joined, I am definitely more productive and organized. I gained a habit to carry out all my work systematically. It allowed me to reach my goals in a shorter time.



For instance; I had a chance to improve my foreign language level in a shorter time. While I regularly feed stray animals, I increased my bond with animals. And also, I want to thank to the Award, with this bond, I adopted a dog.

Thanks to the paragliding that I have chosen as a Physical Recreation section, I increased my interaction with nature and I spent my time efficiently during my summer vacation.

-BRONZE CATEGORY PARTICIPANT IRMAK CAN



JULY - AUGUST - SEPTEMBER 2020

SUPERVISOR TRAINING

Supervisor Training was held on **4 – 5 July 2020**. By attending in the training, we welcome our Supervisors who are part of the Award Family!







15 AUGUST 2020 TED RÖNESANS COLLEGE GOLD ADVENTUROUS JOURNEY





18 AUGUST 2020 ESKİŞEHİR GELİŞİM SCHOOLS SILVER ADVENTUROUS JOURNEY

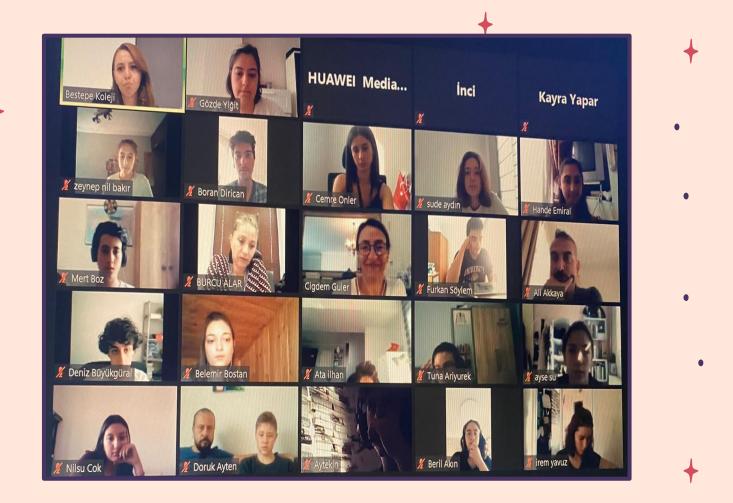






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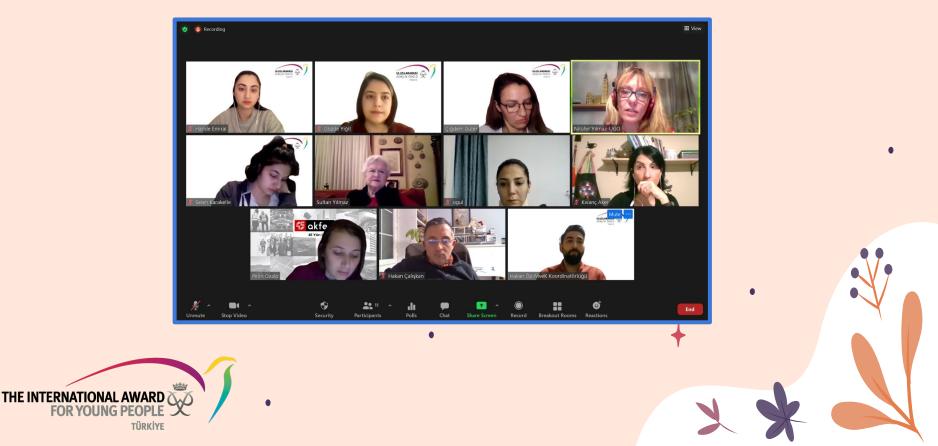


THE INTERNATIONAL AWARD FOR YOUNG PEOPLE TÜRKİYE

JULY - AUGUST - SEPTEMBER 2020

NATIONAL COMMITTEE MEETING

On the **September 28th, 2020**, the International Award for Young People – Türkiye (IAYP-TR) 3rd National Committee Meeting was held online. National Committee President **Sultan Yılmaz**, National Committee Vice President **Pelin Akın Özalp**, Adventurous Journey Coordinator **Hakan Çalışkan**, Independent Participants Coordinator **Leyla Nilüfer Yılmaz** and Education Coordinator **Kıvanç Aker** and National Office staff attended the meeting.





I see The International Award For Young People-Türkiye as a journey from the beginning. My involvement in this journey dates back to the first week of high school. When I saw The Award among my school's social activities and read its content, I thought it would be so accurate and enjoyable programme for me. In almost every period of my school life, I have been involved in activities related to the each section of the Award. After starting the Bronze Category, I also added Service section to y activities that I am currently conducting in the section of Physical Recreation and Skills. Reporting on my activities in these sections on a weekly basis; I can see the progress of each step systematically and the difference between the starting point and the reached point..

I think the Adventurous Journey section, which is the second phase of the Programme, is quite complementary as a nature journey that envisages the use of skills acquired in these three sections. During the journey, it is very enjoyable and instructive experience for all of us to find the opportunity to "Develop Skills" in finding the right direction with map and compass, to provide "Physical Recreation" by overcoming the obstacles caused by nature, and to do "Service" thanks to nature observation and finding solutions to problems. Although, we had to push ourselves a little, both physically and mentally, I think the experiences we had and the pleasure we had were well worth it.

I wanted to continue this journey, which I started at the beginning of my prep school and completed it with pleasure, and I started my Silver Category. Within the scope of The International Award for Young People-Türkiye, the experiences that I have gained, even after graduating entirely from the Programme, I believe it is a very valuable experience to accompany me "in my life journey".

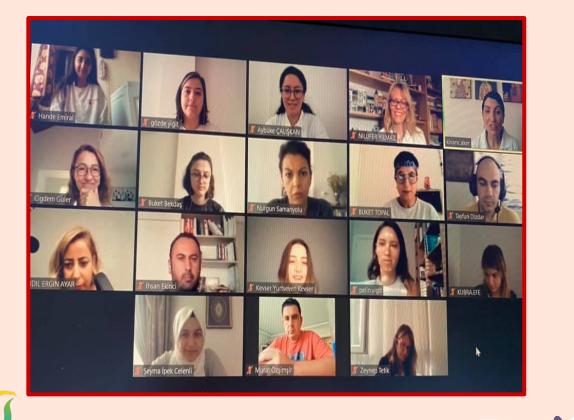


SILVER CATEGORY PARTICIPANT ALPER KINACI

AWARD LEADER TRAINING

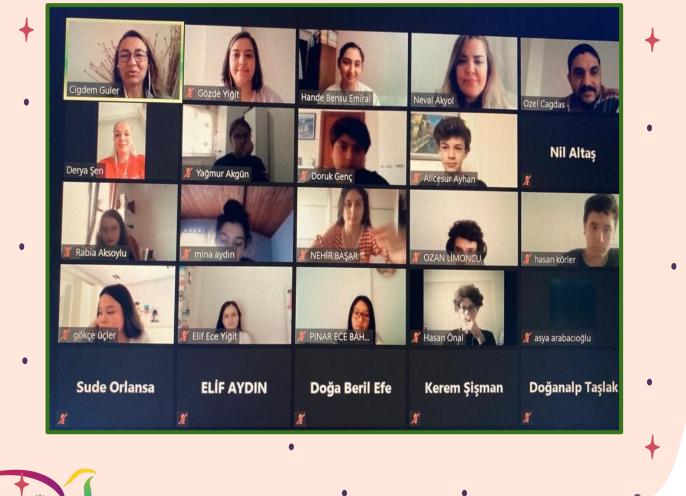
Our Award Leader Training was held online via Zoom on **24 - 25 October 2020.** It welcomes our new volunteers; we wish you success in the Award Programme journeys.







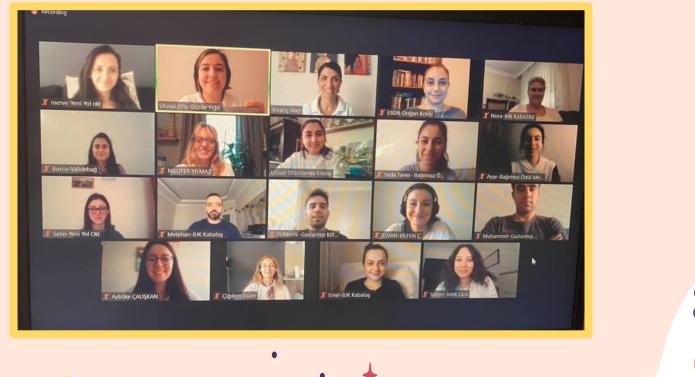
22 OCTOBER PRIVATE ÇAĞDAŞ SCHOOLS ANATOLIAN AND SCIENCE HIGH SCHOOL ONLINE INTRODUCTORY MEETING





AWARD LEADER TRAINING

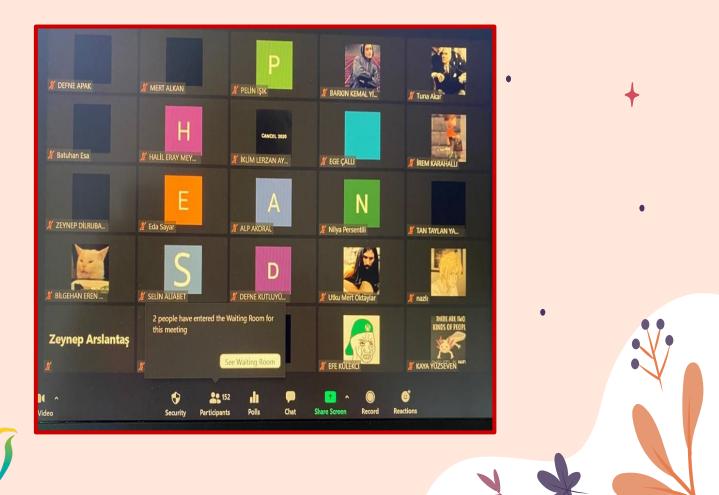
Our Award Leader Training was held online via Zoom on **14 - 15 November 2020.** It welcomes our new volunteers; we wish you success in the Award Programme journeys.





FEYZİYE MEKTEPLERİ FOUNDATION AYAZAĞA IŞIK PRIVATE HIGH SCHOOL INTRODUCTORY MEETING

On **November 25, 2020**, we held a large introductory meeting with Feyziye Mektepleri Foundation Ayazağa Işık Private High School, exceeding 150 people.





SUPERVISOR TRAINING

"Supervisor Training" was held on **28-29 November 2020**. We would like to welcome our Supervisors, who are part of the Award Family by participating in the training!





OCTOBER - NOVEMBER - DECEMBER 2020 AWARD LEADER TRAINING

Our Award Leader Training was held online via Zoom on **5- 6 December 2020.** It welcomes our new volunteers; we wish you success in the Award Programme journeys.





SUPERVISOR TRAINING

"Supervisor Training" was held on **12 - 13 December 2020**. We would like to welcome our Supervisors, who are part of the Award Family by participating in the training!





MINDFULNESS EVENT WITH SIBEL YÜCESAN

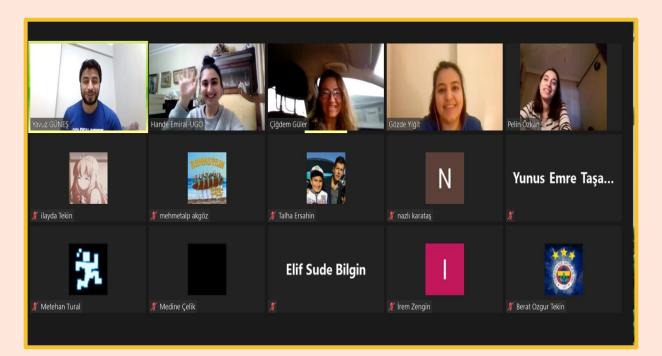
We organized our Mindfulness event on **December 22, 2020**, where we often experience feelings of anxiety and panic, which will enable us to realize life first and to "park" our speed from time to time.





PRIVATE GÖKKUŞAĞI COLLEGE ONLINE INTRODUCTORY MEETING

We held an Online Introductory Meeting at the Private Gökkuşağı College on **28 December 2020**.







WHAT CAN WE ACHIEVE TOGETHER?



Corporate Partnership

The International Award for Young People is a global framework for non-formal education, which challenges young people aged 14-24 to dream big, celebrate their achievements and make a difference in their world.

The Award is based on the principle of learning by experience; in particular, it aims to bring the 21st Century competencies required in business life to the participants. Thus, it prepares them for social and business life. The Award Programme; with the formation it provides, is one of the key elements that employers are looking for in their prospect employees' CVs and it provides an advantage to our graduates in recruitment process.





We carry out "Talent Development" (Internship Programme's) and "Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) Projects" with companies. As an alternative, during the projects to increase the awareness of the Award in Turkey and to include more young people as possible we aim to train employee as Award Leaders (mentors) and Supervisors to gain a unique experience. We are currently in cooperation with the leading companies in their sectors. Within the scope

of the Award Programme, examples of such
 collaborations are also frequently encountered abroad.

Volunteers are at the heart of the Award in delivering it to young people. You can become a volunteer and assist young people throughout the Award journey by mentoring them. By joining our volunteer family, you will come together with our Award Leaders in the yearly events and you will be a part of a large national and international family.

Event Sponsor

Volunteering

During the year, we organize various events that include our participants and volunteers. You can organize these events with us and witness the success of young people.

For more information you can contact us via info@intaward.org.tr.

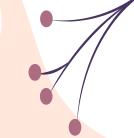
Strategic Partnership

We aim to collaborate with NGOs and other companies parallel to Award in fact measures. We can become strategic partners with your organisation in line with our vision, mission and goals, we can strengthen our projects.









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