



15 INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL OF YOUTH CREATIVITY FOLK INSPIRATIONS

RULES OF PARTICIPATION

I. TIME

Łódź, 23.06-29.06.2025

Arrival of foreign groups and guests-22.06.2025, departure-30.06.2025

II. PARTICIPATION IN THE FESTIVAL

1. The participants of the festival are:
 - a. Youth and adults presenting their artistic work individually or as a group on festival stages and during the festival programme events.
 - b. Children and youth participating in workshops and educational activities.
 - c. Youth participating in the festival projects.
 - d. Specialists from various fields related to the festival programme.
 - e. Young and adult volunteers.
 - f. Festival audience.
2. Under age festival participants shall take part in the festival events under supervision of: teachers, trainers, workshop leaders, coordinators of the festival projects or parents.
3. Organized groups and individuals participate in the festival according to the schedule made by the Organiser. All participants of competitions, concerts, stage presentations or other programme activities are required to be registered at the festival website www.folkoweinspiracje.pl –on-line REGISTRATION by filling in and submitting the FESTIVAL PARTICIPANT CARD
4. Registration of a foreign ensemble or delegation should be done by the leader. Individual under age participant should be registered by the leader.
5. Of age participants are registered by themselves.
6. In case of a few groups from one institution, each group has to be registered separately.
7. Volunteers are required to individually fill in the VOLUNTEERING FORM/ON-LINE REGISTRATION
8. Admission to the festival events for the audience requires invitations – available on www.folkoweinspiracje.pl/PROGRAMME/TICKETS-INVITATIONS.



9. The registered participant's withdrawal from the festival requires written notification to the following address info@folkoweinspiracje.pl no later than by 10 days before the beginning of the festival. If resignation is sent after this date, registration fee will not be reimbursed.

III. REGISTRATION FEE

1. The cost of accreditation for a group is PLN 600 (150 euros) and for an individual participant PLN 60 (15 euros).
2. The cost of meals and hostel for a festival participant is PLN 100 (25 euros) per day.
3. Costs incurred by groups invited to the Festival are determined individually and specified in a written invitation.
4. Payment for accommodation, meals and accreditation should be paid by Polish participants by 15.06.2025 to the account: FUNDACJA PROMOCJI I WSPIERANIA TWÓRCZOŚCI CONVIVO, SANTANDER POLSKA S.A. 79 1090 2705 0000 0001 1024 6980. The transfer should include the name and surname of the participant or the name of the group and the note FOLKOWE INSPIRACJE 2025 - name of the participant/group.
5. Foreign participants pay accreditation and other fees agreed with the organizer on the day of arrival, during registration at the Festival office.
6. Transport during the Festival is provided by the organizer. Foreign groups travel by their own means of transport that they used to come to the Festival or by transport provided by the organizer.
7. Insurance costs are borne by the Festival participants themselves.

IV. PROGRAMME INFORMATION

1. Programme events of the 15th edition of Folk Inspirations are going to take place under the following themes:

FOLK ethno STAGE, FOLK fun PARK, FOLK art ŁÓDŹ

2. Detailed programme of the festival will be available on www.folkoweinspiracje.pl in PROGRAMME.
3. Organiser reserves the right to changes in the programme.
4. Festival groups prepare concert programme or theatre performance with a repertoire related thematically to the idea of the festival:
 - a. choreography groups - from 20 to 40 minutes.,
 - b. vocal and instrumental groups, soloists - from 10 to 20 minutes.
 - c. theatre groups – 1 or 2 presentations up to 30 minutes each



- 5 . The Organisers will decide on the selection of songs or street performances for festival concerts.
6. Detailed programme for each group is determined during the festival with the leader.

V. "GOLDEN BOAT 2025" COMPETITIONS

1. Competitions will take place on 24.06.2025-26.06.2025 in the following categories:

GOLDEN BOAT 2025 – CHOREOGRAPHY

GOLDEN BOAT 2025 – VOCAL

GOLDEN BOAT 2025– MUSIC

GOLDEN BOAT 2025 – THEATRE

2. The deadline for submitting competition works in the GOLDEN BOAT – ART category (artistic presentations, works of art, film and photograph) is on 16.06.2025
3. Participants are obliged to register in ON-LINE REGISTRATION
4. Competition material should be attached to the PARTICIPANT CARD in registration according to the rules of a given competition.
5. The participation in each category is according to separate rules of participation available on www.folkoweinspiracje.pl in RULES
6. The verdict and giving out awards will take place during the gala concert GOLDEN BOAT 2025.
7. A detailed schedule of the competition auditions and the GOLDEN BOAT 2025 competition gala will be published by 16.06.2025 on the Festival website www.folkoweinspiracje.pl
8. The submission of diplomas and awards (not collected) will be determined individually with each laureatte by festival office.

VI. SAFETY DURING THE FESTIVAL

1. Safety in the festival venues is guaranteed by the Organiser according to the relevant regulations in force for each of the festival venues.
2. Groups of participants should be accompanied by the minimum number of leaders specified by the relevant regulations in force. The instructor or choreographer cannot be the sole group leader and cannot be the member of the group. The leaders have the overall responsibility for the presentations and safety of participants as well as an order in the dressing rooms.
3. The Organiser is not responsible for any belongings left behind in dressing rooms and rehearsal halls.



4. The organiser provides medical care to participants on site of the festival events.
5. Participants of the festival are required to have valid travel and health insurance for the whole duration of the festival or the valid insurance from school or a delegating organisation.

VII. OTHER ORGANISATIONAL PROVISIONS

1. The administrator of your personal data is Julian Tuwim Youth Centre in Łódź, 86 Wyszyńskiego alley, 94-050 Łódź. Personal data is collected and processed in order to correspond with you and for the purpose for which it has been made available. The full content of the information clause is available at: <http://palacmlodziezy.lodz.pl/rodo/klauzula-maila>.
2. Participants of competitions and stage presentations agree to exploitation and processing of their image and their competition material and they confirm it in the application form.
3. All questions, requests should be sent to: info@folkoweinspiracje.pl