

Where do I apply?

Landkreis Goslar, Department of Education and Culture, Klubgartenstr. 6, 38640 Goslar

For all schoolchildren:

- **School transport**
- **Learning support**
- **School lunches**
- **School trips (of one or more days)**

Schoolchildren not receiving benefits from the Job Centre:

- **Payment for school essentials**
- **Social and cultural participation payments**

Contact persons:

Educational assistance and accreditation

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All schools in Goslar, except IGS and Vienenburg

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For **children in day-care** and **day nurseries**:

- **Trips of one or more days within the scope of child care**
- **Lunch at child-care facilities**
- **Social and cultural participation payments (not receiving benefits from the Job Centre)**

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If you receive **Unemployment Benefit II/income support**:

- **Payment for school essentials (no application required)**
- **Social and cultural participation payments**

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Education and Participation Benefits



Does your child also qualify?

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What does „Education and Participation“ include?

Since 2011, children and adolescents from low-income families have been given a legal entitlement to participate in school and nursery school trips and class excursions, to receive lunches in schools, after-school clubs and day nurseries, and to participate in music, sport and leisure activities in approved clubs and groups.

Education and participation benefits comprise:

- **School transport for pupils at upper secondary level** (sixth form at grammar school, comprehensive and all vocational schools).
 - **Learning support (extra tuition)**
 - **Excursions of one or more days conducted by schools and child care facilities**
 - **Community lunches in schools and child-care facilities**
 - **School essentials:**
Payment of an additional allowance of **€ 70,00** on **1st August** and **€ 30,00** on **1st February** of the respective year
- Recipients of child benefit supplements and housing benefit must apply separately for this benefit.
- **Social and cultural participation**
A payment of up to € 10 per month is available to help children and adolescents integrate in clubs and community groups. This benefit can be used by the individual recipient for club membership fees, music lessons or leisure activities during the holidays, and where necessary for equipment.



Who can claim?

Children, adolescents and young adults who have not yet reached their **25th birthday** (and do not receive a trainee allowance) are legally entitled to the education and participation package if their parents, one of their parents, or they themselves receive the **following benefits**:

- Unemployment Benefit II/ income support (so-called Hartz IV benefits)
- Assistance with living costs/ basic social security for senior citizens and those with reduced earning capacity
- Benefits under the Benefits for Asylum Seekers Act
- Housing benefit
- Child benefit supplements (KiZ) in addition to child benefit

The following are entitled to the benefits

- Schoolchildren who have not yet reached their 25th birthday, are attending a mainstream or vocational school and do not receive a trainee allowance,
- Children cared for in child-care or day-care facilities,
- Children and adolescents who have not yet reached their 18th birthday (benefits for social and cultural participation), and
- An allowance for personal school essentials may also be granted to children attending a school-based nursery.

Who can provide the services?

- Public sector bodies (e.g. schools or adult education centres),
- Voluntary youth welfare organisations,
- Music schools,
- Clubs and private individuals

The costs will be borne, if the **service provider** is **approved** by the District of Goslar and/or has entered into a corresponding agreement with the District of Goslar.



Contact details for matters concerning the **approval of service-providers** and the **conclusion of agreements** with them in respect of the provision of education and participation benefits:

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