AWARD CRITERIA

The quality of the proposals will be assessed by assigning points out of a total of 100, on the basis of the below award criteria and weightings.

To be considered for award, applications must pass the following thresholds:

- At least 70 out of the total 100 points, and
- At least half of the maximum points in each of the three award criteria categories (i.e. minimum 10 points for the category "Relevance of the organisation's profile and experience"; 20 points for the categories "Strategic Development" and "Quality of management and coordination")

Relevance of the	The relevance of the organisation to the youth field and objectives of the action in terms of:		
organisation's			
profile and	- the organisation's objectives and principles;		
experience	- the organisation's target groups;		
(maximum 20	- the organisation's regular activities;		
points)	- the organisation's experience in the youth field.		
Strategic	The extent to which:		
development (maximum 40	 the objectives identified are relevant and in line with the objectives of the Action and contribute to the EU Youth Strategy¹; 		
points)	 the planned activities are suitable to address the identified needs and objectives; 		
	 the planned activities bring a real benefit to the organisation, participants, participating organisations and have a potential broader impact (e.g. on local, regional, national and transnational level); the objectives and planned activities are integrated in the organisation's regular work and activities; 		
	 the organisation contributes to the Inclusion and Diversity strategy of the Programme; the organisation embeds in its activities one or more basic principles 		
	(environmental sustainability and responsibility, active participation in the network of Erasmus organisations, virtual components).		
Quality of	The extent to which:		
management and coordination (maximum 40	 the objectives, the activities and targets planned are clear and realistic in relation to the applicant's human resources and internal organisation; 		
points)	 the partnership approach is balanced and effective and, where applicable, suitable to bring in new and less experienced organisations; 		
	 the measures to ensure quality of activities and safety and protection of participants are appropriate; 		
	 the principle of active youth participation is applied and an involvement of participants in all phases of the activities is planned; 		
	 the measures to ensure a solid learning dimension are appropriate, including the support to the reflection, identification and documentation of the learning outcomes; 		

 $^{^{}m 1}$ As set up in the Council Resolution on The European Union Youth Strategy 2019-2027, OJEU C456 of 18 December 2018

-	the methods of measuring the organisation's progress towards
	achieving its objectives (monitoring and evaluation) and for risk
	management are appropriate and effective;

 the measures aimed at sharing the outcomes of the project within and outside the participating organisations are appropriate and effective.