

## ***My experiences in Bournemouth***



*On the 28<sup>th</sup> of July I started my journey to Bournemouth. At the beginning we had two weeks full time classes at Anglo Continental. We did a lot of tests to get to know our English Level and to find out where we have problems. After these two weeks we started our internships. I work in TheGallery of Arts University Bournemouth. There I help organising different exhibitions and I do general office tasks. As I work in a small*

*team I get a lot of responsibilities and I learn a lot. In the beginning I was surprised by how different people do work in England compared to Switzerland. First of all I work from 9am – 5pm but I wouldn't complain about that. People work in my opinion less organised and strict to how I know it from Switzerland. But I could adapt to their way of working and I'm very happy with my work placement.*

*I get on very well with the other KV Plus participants from Bournemouth and therefore we do a lot together. We've already been to many different places as example London, the Jurassic cost or Stonehenge. We know that it is not beneficial for our English improving to stay always in the swiss group but as we do not really have the opportunity to get in touch with other students in school, it is obvious that we stay most of the time together. We already met some of the students from Torbay as they came one weekend to Bournemouth for visiting us.*



*I live in a lovely host family near to the centre of Bournemouth. During the first two weeks I lived in another family where I had a lot of rules and I didn't feel very welcomed. Hence, I've been very glad being able to change the family. My current host family is origin from Venezuela, what I really appreciate because I noticed during my time in*

*England that I'm not that fond of the English culture. But still I'm looking forward to the upcoming time in England and Bordeaux.*