



# September 2022

## 500 kids in school

Team of Center for Youth Integration believes that education is a force that can help the children and young people we work with to get out of the cycle of poverty they have been living in for generations.

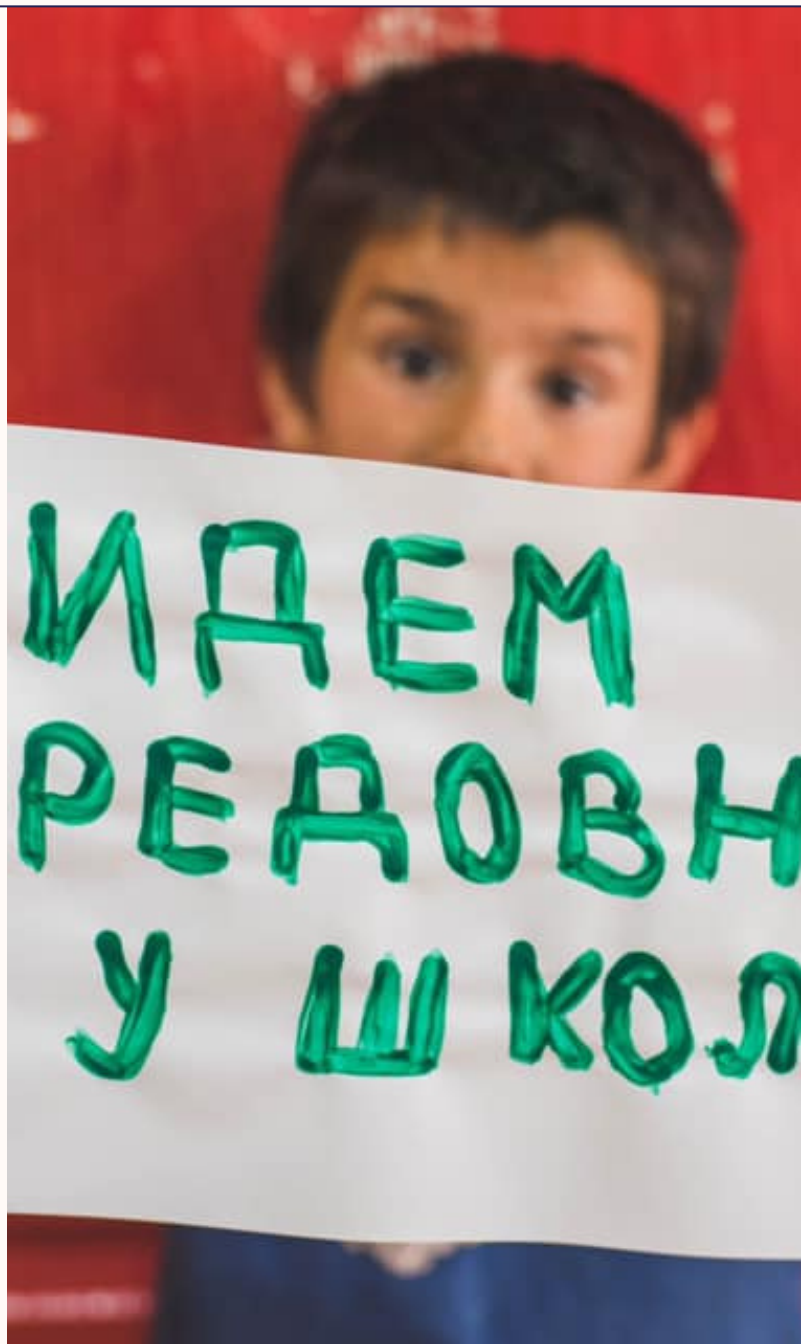
CYI supports both formal and informal education and through a series of activities, we work daily to improve the knowledge and skills of beneficiaries of our programs.

**18 years of work experience** has also shown us that inclusion in education is a key factor in the integration of children from minority groups.

And this September, we will provide support for over 500 beneficiaries of our services and programs.

### About Center for Youth Integration

The only organization deals with the prevention, protection and improvement of the position of children and youth in street situation and those who are at risk of being in street situation, but also children and youth refugees and migrants for 18 years.





# CYI programs

## Drop in Shelter

This year, Drop in Shelter celebrates its **15th** birthday.

Since the beginning of the year, we have supported **320** beneficiaries and implemented **330** educational workshops. Every day, at least **65** girls and boys visited Drop in Shelter on 2 locations. During this period, we served **19,000** meals and organized **14,500** baths.

From September, we will support over **300** primary school students.

## Programme of education

This year, we supported **233** beneficiaries, realized **410** workshops with children, provided support to children in **179** school classes, organized **37** extracurricular activities with children and **61** workshops with parents.

We will continue with support from September working with **54** preschoolers, **54** first graders and **55** fifth grade students.

## Employment support program

During this year, we continued to support young people in street situation.

In this cycle, **10** young people were included in the course for waiters and bartenders and completed at least **40** days of work practice.

**6** beneficiaries passed the final exam and received certificates afterwards.

**7** beneficiaries got a formal job.

There are **17** active employers within the Inclusive Network of Employers who provide support to beneficiaries of our program in various ways.

**4** young people decided to enroll or continue their education in high school, which is the result of intensive work in educational workshops.



## Programme of support refugee and migrant children

Since the beginning of the year, **121** children have participated in educational activities in AC Krnjača and Miksalište.

We have facilitated over **250** online language lessons for children in AC Krnjača. Over **630** individual children were supported through activities in safe corners for children.

From September, support continues for all children placed in AC Krnjača in inclusion in education, homework and through non-formal education activities.

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## Revis 2022

During the first 6 months of 2022, as part of the REVIS project - "**Responding to Violence against children in Schools and adjacent settings**", CYI, as a partner organization, educated more than **500** children from **10** primary and high schools in Belgrade, Šid and Kraljevo.

With the support of the Ministry of Education, Science and Technological Development and teaching staff in schools, we work to suppress and recognize negative social and gender norms that lead to violence among children.

## Philanthropy program

This year, we organized the campaign "**Lemonade day**" and collected over **400,000** dinars for the purchase of school supplies. As this sum is not enough to cover the needs of all our beneficiaries, we continue with the collection of funds.

Also, providing snacks for all schoolchildren is a challenge for us, so we invite you to support us.



## Center for youth integration

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