

## WillkommensKITAs Saxony



### What is it about?

Childcare centres are facing multiple challenges and thus need practical support: How do we deal with cultural and social diversity? What will encourage parents to actively engage into everyday life of the institution? How can we best support children in their language learning? As part of the *WillkommensKITAs* programme, the German Children and Youth Foundation (Deutsche Kinder- und Jugendstiftung) supports childcare centres in Saxony in finding answers to all their individual needs.

### A KiTa for everybody!

The programme *WillkommensKITAs* shall contribute to **all children and their families** to **feel at ease** as well as **welcome** and **appreciated**. They are thus enabled to **part-take** and join in into everyday life at the KiTa with their individual ideas and strengths. All children, parents and staff will encounter the **richness of cultural diversity**.

### Which support will child care centres receive?

The programme *WillkommensKITAs* offers specialist support to the teams by **hands-on guidance**, **demand orientated training** as well as **professional exchange and networking**. It aims at building a **local support network** for each institution cooperating with external institutions such as the major's office and community officials, heads of refugee accommodations, commissioner for foreigners or counselling agencies.

### An overview of the programme

**When?** January 2018 – December 2022

**Who?** Childcare professionals in cooperation partnerships, children and their parents

**Where?** 90 childcare centres in Saxony

### Any questions? Please get in touch!

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