

Postcards from Home: A European exchange, Connecting across the continent

- 1** Send a postcard to Galway, European Capital of Culture
- 2** Receive a postcard from another European country and gift from Galway
- 3** Continue to exchange postcards with your postal partner in December and January

What has made you feel at home recently?

It might be something or someone in your living space or local environment. We'd love to share our different experiences of home at a time when they have meant so much - and to connect with other people and places while opportunities to experience them in person are more limited.

We are inviting people of all ages from across Europe to send three Postcards from Home, sharing:

- *What home means to me now / **Home is...***
- *A memory of home / **Home was...***
- *A dream of home for the future / **Home will be...***

You can capture this creatively in any form - a few words or a poem, a picture, a musical phrase. And even exchange digital postcards with your postal partner.

Postcards from Home is part of Amateo's 'Connecting the Unexpected' project, that will blend live and digital creative workshops in Galway, Ireland (November 2020) and across Europe, ending in Maribor, Slovenia (May 2021).

Take Part

Step 1: Send a postcard to: "GALWAY, IRELAND"

Before 15 November 2020*

This must include your name and address if you'd like a reply(!)

And your reply to: *Home is...*

Step 2: Receive a Postcard from another European country, via Galway, and a gift from the European Capital of Culture

Step 3: Continue your exchange and share your postcards and comments

Optional steps: Join the creative workshops in person or online (You can download templates, send us pictures and access the digital events here: www.amateo.org/postcards-from-home)

***Your postcard and address will be shared with a participant from another country, with whom you will be connected as postal partners. Postcards from Home will also be shared anonymously with those taking part in creative workshops in Maribor.**



Instructions:

- Print
- Fold along the dotted line
- Stick to create your first postcard template
- Add your details or use your own postcard (please include all the details listed below)
- **Home is...** you could reply with a sketch, photograph, words or a poem



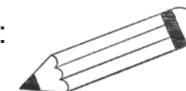
Take Part

By sending a postcard, you agree that your postcard and address will be shared with a participant from another country with whom you will be connected as postal partners.

You will then share two further postcards:

1. Home was.. (December/January)

2. Home will be... (February/March)



Postcards sent to the project will be shared anonymously with those taking part in Maribor workshops (May) to inspire new creative works



My name:

My address:



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