

ethnopoly

Ethnopoly is a game that lets you discover the social and cultural diversity of local residents, associations and institutions. Ethnopoly is organised in small teams and encourages dialogue between people from different cultures.

First edition in Pont-Rouge on Friday 26 September 2025 !

The teams

The teams are made up of 7th and 8th year primary school pupils from Pont-Rouge school, aged between 10 and 12. In groups of 4 children accompanied by an adult, they tour the neighbourhood and its surroundings to discover the themes presented.

The posts

Throughout the day (or half-day, around 20 residents, workers, associations and institutions from Lancy welcome the teams into their homes to give them a fifteen-minute presentation on an aspect of their culture, a special feature of the town or an area of expertise.

How the game works

Using a map, the children choose the places they want to visit. At each stop, they discover a theme: paella recipes, Arabic writing, tea tasting, how to tie a sari, etc., as well as waste sorting at the town hall, the town council and the activities of local associations.

Aim of the game

To accumulate cultural wealth by meeting the inhabitants of Pont-Rouge and discovering the town. Each team receives points for visiting the stations. To win, a team must meet as many people as possible. The day ends with a snack, a show and a prize-giving ceremony for the three groups that have accumulated the most points.

Want to get involved? We are looking for

- People to hold shifts: from 8:30am to 12pm and from 1pm to 3pm (or half day only). Each group will stay for 15 minutes.
- Companions available from 8am to 4pm

Information

Odile Magnenat (neighbourhood coordinator): 079.409.94.66 / o.magnenat@lancy.ch Present at the Espace quartier on Tuesdays and Wednesdays between 4.30pm and 6pm.

To register: <https://forms.gle/gYrDkFaP1kbjKWxo8>