

## Integration Programmes

Integration takes place first and foremost at school, in training, and at work. For people who do not (yet) have access to school, training or work, there are various integration programmes.

### Specific Programmes

Numerous programmes for foreigners aid them in making contacts and becoming a part of Swiss society. These programmes include discussion groups, leisure time activities, talks, or classes. The Ausländerdienst Baselland (ald) or the community of residence provide information regarding the various offers. Many communities hold an event that welcomes new residents – a good way of gaining a first overview.

### Clubs

Many residents in Canton Basel-Landschaft are members of a club (Verein). There are clubs for a wide range of interests. Even small communities have athletic, cultural, and other clubs which are an excellent way of meeting people. Most clubs are open for everyone. Information regarding clubs can be found on the community websites.

### Migration Organisations

Various clubs have been established by immigrants based on a common language group, country of origin, or religion. Many of these clubs have integrational or advisory offers aimed at supporting their members upon their arrival in Switzerland and in Canton Basel-Landschaft.

### Offers for Young People

For young people in Canton Basel-Landschaft, there are many recreational offers that give them a chance to meet their peers. Many communities have meeting points and various recreational activities. The young people are supervised, can contribute ideas, and realise projects (Jugendarbeit). Most offers are free. Youth clubs are an opportunity to take part in outdoor activities with peers. The offers are provided by clubs, communities, or regional churches and are open for all young people. The community of residence provides further information.

### Additional information (links, addresses, information sheets, brochures)

[www.hallo-baselland.ch/en/language-and-integration/integration-programmes](http://www.hallo-baselland.ch/en/language-and-integration/integration-programmes)