A study carried out by in Bosnia and Herzegovina’s research agency Populari has showed that young people are unemployed not only because of lack of work, but also because they do not want to look for a job and expect institutions to find work for them.

The results showed that many (60%) young people have high expectations of what they think they deserve, while their understanding of what is required of them is low.

Bosnia and Herzegovina has the highest rate of unemployment in the region. Around 20,000 young people graduate every year in the country. This leads to hyper-production of highly educated human resources in some fields and is affecting the unemployment in Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Weather it's the low salaries, „bad“ work conditions or laziness, young people prefer to be unemployed and spend their days wondering around rather than having a steady job with a secure monthly income.

The survey confirms that the country is in a vicious circle when it comes to employment of young people due to poor economic situation, low quality in higher education, high expectations among young people, and a lack of experience.