

LEARNING TOGETHER

Education Finland programme **promotes and supports** Finnish education exporters and **matches** their offering with international customers.

Together with our members, we aim to create and identify new possibilities for education export. The programme gives visibility to the Finnish education know-how, matches the Finnish offering with international demand and increases cooperation between education solutions providers and stakeholders both in Finland and abroad.

Our member organisations represent **the best of Finland from all aspects of education** – following the principle of lifelong learning. Our members offer solutions from early childhood education and care, basic education, teacher training, vocational education, corporate education and consultancy but also new learning environment solutions from school design to furniture and different world-class digital solutions.

Our members are entitled to use our official member label.



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LEARNING LIES AT THE HEART OF FINNISH SOCIETY

Finland's excellent learning outcomes are the result of research-based pedagogy and an innovative approach to teaching and learning.

Teachers in Finland are highly educated and they enjoy professional freedom and trust. Education is seen as a national priority and is highly valued.

Basic principles and strengths of Finnish education

- Equity – everyone has access to education at all levels
- Education system is based on trust and responsibility
- Early childhood and basic education form the basis for life-long learning
- Teachers hold master's degrees
- Focus on learning rather than testing
- No dead-ends in the education system



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LEARNING IS

CONTINUOUS AND EVERYWHERE

The education system is continuously improved, and one way to do this is to harness the digital transformation.

- Physical and digital dimensions are combined to form an inspiring, active and self-motivating learning environment.
- Finnish EdTech companies have world-class expertise in innovative solutions for teaching and learning.
- Digital technology enables learning also outside of school on smartphones and tablets, and EdTech plays a major role in bringing down costs and engaging learners in new and innovative ways.
- The new core curriculum for K12 emphasises problem-oriented learning, interaction and responsibility-taking.

INDIVIDUAL PATHS

TO PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

- General upper secondary education is flexibly organised.
- Vocational education and training is organised in cooperation with the world of work.
- Higher education is offered by universities and universities of applied sciences.
- Finland offers opportunities to increase one's knowledge and skills at institutes of adult education open to all – learning never ends!