



## Agenda of the Course in Finland

**Course: Improve your Intercultural Competence and Knowledge about (Vocational) Education in Finland // Verbesserung interkultureller Kompetenz und Erfahrungen über Kultur und das finnische Schul- und Berufsschulsystem**

27.11.-3.12.2022

Date/time	Framework plan	Detailed plan
<b>27<sup>th</sup> November (Sunday)</b>		
11:00	Sightseeing Oulu by Irene Eckart	Let's Walk (warm clothes!)
16:00	<b>Hotl Apollo, Best Western, Asemakatu 31-33, Oulu</b>	Bus picks up the group from Hotel Apollo Driver Sami Rantamäki p. +358 406 260 286
17:05	<b>Second group arrives at Oulu Airport/AY441</b>	Bus is waiting at the airport – Welcome and first practical instructions and information about the area by Irene Eckart
	<b>Departure and short stop at</b>	
17:30	<b>Liminka K-Supermarket</b>	Hostess Kirsti Oulasmaa: +358 407 695 274
19:30	<b>Arrival at Törmänhovi and accommodation</b>	<b>Workshop</b> Irene Eckart: information about socializing, programme; methods for introductions (of participants) including first tools introduced: scratch card, Padlet, answergarden, etc. – including group activities
- 22:00 h	<b>Introduction of participants; Course introduction, Group activities 'getting to know'</b>	
<b>28<sup>th</sup> November (Monday)</b>		
7.00-7.30	<b>Breakfast at Törmänhovi</b>	
7.30-8.30	<b>Trip to Nivala</b>	By bus - and information about the day: i.e. <b>Task</b> for course participants: Compare department visited with facilities at your college / your field of education
8.30-9.30	<b>Vocational Education Centre in Nivala</b> <b>A short introduction to JEDU</b> <b>Meeting with the Managing director, Vice principals, International coordinators</b>	Meeting at Restaurant for Coffee and tea Meet: Matti Väänänen/ Managing director, Erkki Juola/principal, Sirpa Korhonen/Vice principal, Hannu Simi/ International coordinator, Kirsi Peltola/, International secretary, Timo Junnila, Eng teacher & Intern. coordinator
9.30-11.30	<b>Visit of the vocational school and its workshops</b> - Logistics, Electrical engineering and automation technology Vehicle Sector, Construction	Timo Junnila, Jyrki Saarela/ education director, Mika Lukkarinen/education manager, Tomi Huovari/ education manager – incl. tasks – see Padlet or Irene's info
11.30-12.00	<b>Lunch at Nivala</b>	Restaurant
12.00-12.30	<b>Trip to Haapajärvi</b>	By bus
12.30-13.00	<b>The Vocational Education Centre, Haapajärvi</b> Meeting with the Education Manager, student counsellor & International coordinator	<b>Agriculture and forestry</b> unit: Timo Seppälä, education manager; Pertti Kuosmanen, student counsellor and Maija Salminen/& intern. coordinator.
13.00-15.00	<b>Visit vocational school and its workshops</b>	A visit to the barn and familiarization with agricultural training – Workshop: discussion about facilities
15.00-16.00	<b>Trip to Ylivieska</b>	bus, Water and soft drinks at the bus
16.00-18.30	<b>Shopping and trip to Oulainen</b>	Shopping in Kärkkäinen Grocery Store (tasks see Padlet)
19:15	<b>Dinner at Törmänhovi</b>	
20:00-21:00	<b>Workshop</b> Irene Eckart	Workshop: Evaluation of the day; Project work; Erasmus / eTwinning - (tasks see Padlet)
<b>29<sup>th</sup> November (Tuesday)</b>		
7.00-8.00	<b>Breakfast at Törmänhovi</b>	By bus to Business unit
8.15-9.00	<b>The Vocational Education Centre, Oulainen</b> Meeting with the education manager, marketing teacher & International coordinator Introduction of the Oulainen unit.	Ritva Joki-Kolehmainen/ education manager and Tuula Leskinen/ international coordinator & marketing All teachers briefly present their colleges incl. Workshop by Irene Eckart about today's tasks
9.00-9.15	<b>Coffee and tea</b>	



9.15-10.45	<b>Course participants are divided into smaller groups</b>	Groups join sales lecture (Arja Mäkinen) and participants present their own field of study+discussion
11.00-11.45	<b>Lunch</b>	restaurant in Kosteentkatu
11.45-12.00	<b>Trip to Oulainen High School</b>	by bus to Oulainen High School / Information about tasks (Irene)
12.00-14.00	<b>Introduction to Finnish High School system</b>	Oulainen High School, Principal Markku Leppäjärvi; Including workshop (Irene)
14.00-14.15	<b>Trip to Oulainen Social and health care unit</b>	By bus to Social and Health Care unit
14.15-15.45	<b>The Vocational Education Centre, Oulainen Social and health care unit</b> - its workshops, information about Cooperation with the Oulu University of Applied Sciences	Tuija Huovinen/education director Sanna Pellikka/ social and health teacher Workshop by Irene Eckart re observations and TASK: Prepare a lesson plan
16.00-17.00	<b>K-supermarket &amp; Alko</b>	Visit Grocery and liquor store with Task: comparison of goods presented, prices, etc.
17.30-18.30	<b>Workshop at Törmänhovi</b>	<b>Workshop by I. Eckart: Evaluation of the day; Prepare tasks for Students with regard to Sightseeing Trips ('Lernen am anderen Ort') or tasks for company visits (retailer) - (tasks see Padlet)</b>
19:00	<b>Dinner at Törmänhovi</b>	
<b>30<sup>th</sup> November (Wednesday)</b>		
6.30-7.30	<b>Breakfast at Törmänhovi</b>	
7.45-8.30	<b>Trip from Oulainen to Kalajoki</b>	By bus
9.00-11.00	<b>The Vocational Education Centre, Kalajoki Meeting with the Education Director and International coordinator Teacher Visit to the house building site</b>	Esa Siirilä/education director, Markus Muuttola International coordinator & tourism teacher Marko Hannus/Mechanical engineering and production technology teacher, Markus Pahkala/Construction teacher and Hannu Simi – with Tasks by Irene re visits
11.00-12.00	<b>Lunch in Kalajoki unit</b>	restaurant
13.00-14.00	<b>Company Visit/ Boat factory</b>	by bus to Finmaster boats Kalajoki - Aluminum and GRP boats
14.00-16.00	<b>Raikas leisure home visit (designed and built by students) Activities in Hiekkasärkät, Kalajoki seafront, walking on sand dunes/ride a fatbike on the beach Coffee at the Raikas Leisure home</b>	Programme: Coffee and <b>Outdoor activities</b> in seafront ( <b>Casual warm clothing/sportswear</b> ) Riding with fatbike (Task: <b>'Lernen am anderen Ort' / How to organize field trips? / ideas for tourism students</b> )
16.00-17.00	<b>Trip to Oulainen</b>	bus to Törmänhovi
17:30-19:00	<b>Workshop at Törmänhovi</b>	<b>Workshop: Evaluation of the day – Field Trips / lesson ideas / see tasks in Padlet of the day – with regard to participants' profiles</b>
19:00	<b>Dinner at Törmänhovi</b>	
<b>1<sup>st</sup> December (Thursday)</b>		
7.00-8.00	<b>Breakfast at Törmänhovi</b>	
8.00-8.30	<b>Trip to Haapavesi</b>	By bus
8.30-11.00	<b>Vocational Education Haapavesi, Teollisuustie Meeting with Education Manager, Director and International coordinator. Introduction to programs and premises.</b>	Jukka Leppälä/ Education Manager; Riikka-Kaisa Nuolioja/ Education Director, Jaana Liukkonen-Karvosenoja/ Tourism Teacher & Intern. Coordinator Workshop Irene: comparison of different programmes (tasks see Padlet)
11.00-11.15	<b>Trip to Kytökyläntie</b>	
11.15-12.15	<b>Visiting JEDU Garden in Ruustinnanhov</b>	Anne Lahti/Horticulture



12.15-12.30	<b>Back to Teollisuustie</b>	
12.30-13.00	<b>Student and teacher mobility planning</b>	Discussion about Networking possibilities
13.00-14.00	<b>Lunch at Opinpuu</b>	JEDU students/Lotta Hirvanen/ Restaurant and Catering Services
14.30-15.30	<b>Finnish Vocational teacher education, Finnish Student counsellor education. Skills Finland activities</b>	Virpi Niku/ Student Counsellor; Kirsi Hangasmaa/ Hairdressing and Beauty Care Teacher & Skills Finland Skills Manager, Hairdressing. Workshop (Irene) with regard to teacher education
15.30-16.00	<b>Sport and wellbeing projects</b>	Terhi Lehtola/ PE teacher
16.30-17.00	<b>Stop at the grocery store and Alko,Haapavesi</b>	Finnish liquor store / Christmas mulled wines
17.00-17.30	<b>Trip to Oulainen</b>	Questions/Tasks with regard to company visit: Retailer
17.30-19.00	<b>Workshop at Törmänhovi</b>	<b>Workshop:</b> evaluation of the day and discussion of tasks with regard to teacher education and retailer - preparation of tasks for next day (tasks see Padlet).
19.00	<b>Dinner at Törmänhovi</b>	
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> December (Friday)</b>		
6.00	<b>Breakfast at Törmänhovi</b>	
6.30	<b>Trip to Lapland</b>	By bus
8.30/9.00	<b>Coffee break/Rest stop in Kemi</b>	Workshop: tasks with regard to Santa Village and tourism / the village from a business perspective. Find tasks for your students related to your field of teaching and publish them in the group's Padlet.
10.30/11.00	<b>Arrival Rovaniemi and short Sightseeing tour in Rovaniemi</b>	
11:30-14.20	<b>Arctic Circle and Santa Claus Village Opportunity to (own) Lunch</b>	<a href="https://santaclausvillage.info/">https://santaclausvillage.info/</a>
14.20/30	Trip to Arktikum by bus	
14.40-16.30	<b>Scientific Centre Arktikum</b>	<a href="https://www.arktikum.fi/en/home.html">https://www.arktikum.fi/en/home.html</a>
14.45	<b>Guided tour (in German)</b>	Information about Finnish nature and Lapland, Northern Lights etc.
16.30	<b>Trip to Oulu</b>	<b>Workshop</b> and Task – see Padlet During trip: Pairwork on tasks of the day – presented on Saturday
19.30	<b>Arrival in Oulu</b>	Accommodation at Hotel Apollo
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> December (Saturday)</b>		
7:30 – 12.00	<b>Presentation of Tasks 1-3 (see Padlet); Feedback and Evaluation; Information about Report; Oulu Sights to be visited</b>	Last Networking activities and preparation of presentations Presentation and Feedback Workshop
12.15	Departure from Hotel to Oulu Airport	Journey to the airport by taxi or bus (individually)

Have a good trip home!

Looking forward to seeing you again.

Irene Eckart, TEAchers on the Move

23 November 2022