

# Vocational education 2010

## Curriculum-based basic vocational education

### Students in curriculum-based basic vocational education numbered 133,800 in 2010

According to Statistics Finland, the number of students in curriculum-based vocational education provided by educational institutions was 133,800 in 2010. New students numbered 50,700. The number of students was 2 per cent higher and that of new students 0,4 per cent lower than one year previously. Fifty-three per cent of students were men. The majority of students were studying in the fields of technology and transport (42 per cent), welfare and health (16 per cent) and tourism, catering and home economics (12 per cent). Data on students describe the situation of 20 september.

#### New students and students in curriculum-based basic vocational education by field of education 2010<sup>1)</sup>

Field of education	New students total	New students, women	Students total	Students, women
<b>Total</b>	<b>50 713</b>	<b>24 551</b>	<b>133 770</b>	<b>62 508</b>
Humanities and Education	821	629	2 388	1 843
Culture	3 801	2 500	10 155	6 646
Economics and Administration	5 723	3 562	14 804	9 070
Natural sciences	1 623	253	4 686	613
Technology and Transport	20 596	4 084	56 631	10 201
Natural resources and the Environment	2 787	1 557	7 015	3 796
Welfare, Health and Sport	8 146	7 116	20 773	18 387
Tourism, Catering and Home economics	6 665	4 755	16 296	11 753
Other education	551	95	1 022	199

1) Excluding apprenticeship training.

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Region of education	New students total	Students total
<b>Whole country, total</b>	<b>50 713</b>	<b>133 770</b>
<b>Mainland Finland</b>	<b>50 416</b>	<b>133 003</b>
Uusimaa	10 547	27 854
Itä-Uusimaa	853	2 240
Varsinais-Suomi	3 947	10 575
Satakunta	2 294	6 150
Kanta-Häme	1 844	5 138
Pirkanmaa	4 658	11 742
Päijät-Häme	2 227	5 905
Kymenlaakso	1 650	4 456
South Karelia	1 081	2 946
Etelä-Savo	1 641	4 028
Pohjois-Savo	2 801	7 051
North Karelia	1 836	5 033
Central Finland	2 855	7 236
South Ostrobothnia	2 290	6 006
Ostrobothnia	1 578	4 315
Central Ostrobothnia	873	2 498
North Ostrobothnia	4 449	11 516
Kainuu	671	1 845
Lappi	2 321	6 469
<b>Åland</b>	<b>297</b>	<b>767</b>
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