

Adult education of educational institutions 2010

Educational institutions' adult education not leading to a qualification had 2.2 million participants in 2010

According to data collected by Statistics Finland from educational institutions, a total of 5.7 million hours of teaching were given in adult education not leading to a qualification, which is 6 per cent more than in the year before. The number of participants (gross number of students) was two per cent less than in the previous year, totalled 2.2 million.

Educational institutions adult education not leading to a qualification by type of education in 2010

Type of education	Participants (gross)	Women %	Teaching hours
Further vocational education, not apprenticeship training	112 809	42	512 003
Further vocational education, apprenticeship training	4 790	68	39 774
Employment training for adults	66 789	44	1 298 045
Courses ordered by the employer	224 574	46	386 603
Education organised as liberal adult education	1 648 969	72	2 886 030
Open polytechnic teaching	15 800	67	262 435
Open university teaching ¹⁾	44 660	77	72 182
Other education	93 528	54	283 909
Total	2 211 919	67	5 740 981

1) Excl. data on open university teaching implemented by the universities themselves.

The highest number of participants attended education organised as liberal adult education, where the gross number of students was 1.6 million and their net number was one million. The number of teaching hours was also highest in liberal adult education, at 2.9 million hours. The highest share (28 per cent) of all the teaching hours given in adult education not leading to a qualification was given in the field of culture, especially in crafts and design.

In 2011, students in basic level education outside comprehensive school in upper secondary general schools, folk high schools and vocational institutes numbered 2,400, of whom 1,400 were studying the full comprehensive school curriculum and 900 attended additional education (10th grade).

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General education	22 272	-	63 262	1 961	40 628	527	342	34 365	163 357
Humanities and Education	49 721	473	318 662	33 960	561 632	21 040	40 180	18 565	1 044 233
Culture	17 962	51	5 598	3 618	1 511 599	21 306	8 078	33 004	1 601 216
Economics and Administration	68 931	4 770	92 184	43 175	87 021	83 624	15 093	40 387	435 185
Natural sciences	52 384	1 287	33 646	15 408	104 455	34 113	717	3 906	245 916
Technology and Transport	101 730	7 508	435 955	125 567	30 866	23 146	285	54 463	779 520
Natural resources and the Environment	18 351	3 634	3 674	5 008	10 808	3 302	420	11 972	57 169
Welfare, Health and Sport	129 942	15 569	71 880	125 090	471 583	51 450	5 800	26 568	897 882
Tourism, Catering and Home economics	10 136	6 078	40 340	10 967	25 340	23 913	260	9 730	126 764
Other education	40 574	404	232 844	21 849	42 098	14	1 007	50 949	389 739

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