

ABOUT VUOKSI



Vuoksi Oppitie Campus

Vuoksi provide and develop versatile and high-quality vocational qualification to promote the well-being of the society, region, and people in close cooperation with employers and their establishments and other interest groups.

As a regional vocational upper secondary education provider, Vuoksi have a mission to provide the knowledge and the skills that meet the needs of the working life and future.

We built with our students flexible learning environments and individual studypaths for the motivation of our students to successful learning.

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Vuoksi Kyntäjäntie Campus

Vocational qualifications in study fields such as agriculture, business and administration, forestry, construction, catering, machinery, media and visual expression, hairdressing, electrical engineering, metal industry, software development, cleaning and property services, animal care and horticulture; altogether 13 study programmes, all accredited by the Finnish National Agency for Education.

Vuoksi also provides <u>VUOKSI International Services</u>, which is the centre and information point. It serves immigrants living in the region, local businesses and basically just anyone interested in international issues. In Kauhajoki we have at the moment people from about 18 different nationalities.

WHAT WE OFFER?

- Free education and the basic equipments and work clothing for studying.
- Safe and modern studying environment.
- Free and healthy lunch every school day.
- Guidence and support for the studies;
 Study advisors and group advisors will work with
 you to develop a personal competency
 development plan (HOKS) and assist you with any
 issues related to your studies.

International Coordinator helps you with other issues of living and being in Kauhajoki.



ACCOMMODATION

Vuoksi co-operates with Kauhajoki town rental apatments. We will help you to find and apply accommodation.

We organize to all Finest Future students accommodation in shared rooms but you can also rent your own apartment.

Example of apartment

Application for accomodation





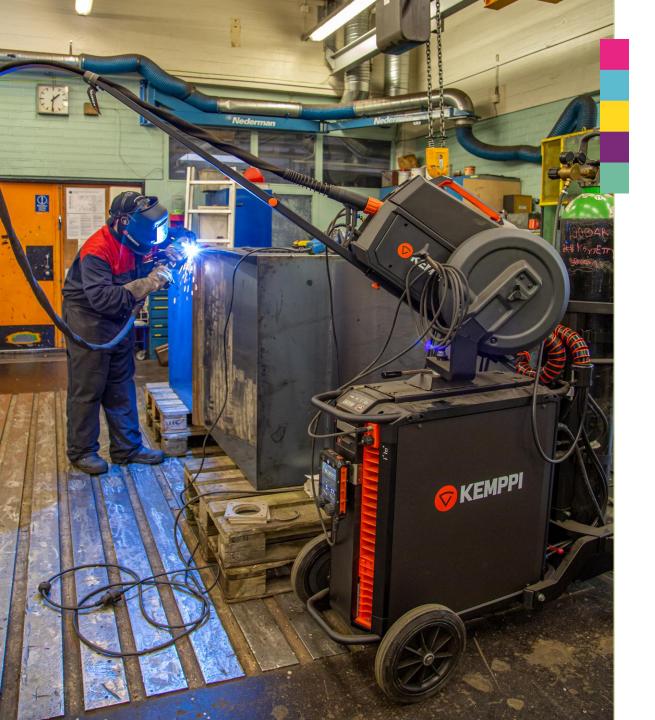
Vocational Qualification in Mechanical Engineering and Production Technology

Mechanical Fitter

Mechanical fitters can assemble and install mechanical machines and equipment. Mechanical fitters are able to apply mechanics, hydraulics, and pneumatics in their work. They are also able to install machines and equipment and service them. We have well equipped indoor practical areas. The practice perioids are in real local companies.

Mechanical fitters work in tasks involving installation and assembling of different mechanical equipment and machines in industry, repair shops or the customer's facilities. They work as part of production by carrying out assemblies, installing individual parts, or machine parts and by participating in servicing and maintenance tasks. You can also continue studies in upper level in Universities (for example engineer).

Additional information, videos and applying: <u>Kone- ja tuotantotekniikan perustutkinto | Vuoksi</u>



Vocational Qualification in Mechanical Engineering and Production Technology

Plater Welder

Plater-welders can plan and do plate work, welding, and work on metal structures according to drawings, using modern manufacturing methods. Plater-welders weld, shape and join different plates.

They work as part of production in which different objects are manufactured from steel according to work drawings and instructions. Their work tasks include work such as different kinds of welding tasks and cutting and bending plates. We have well equipped indoor practical areas. The practice perioids are in real local companies.

Plater-welders work in the metal industry in the manufacture of plate pieces and welded pieces, making different steel structures or their components. You can also continue studies in upper level in Universities (for example engineer).

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Vocational Qualification in Restaurant and Catering Services

Cook

Competence area of Food Services

Cook works in food preparation tasks at restaurants with different business ideas or missions or in public sector units. Cook can prepare tasty, nutritious and wholesome food and take special diets into account. Cook can set out food as individual plated dishes or dishes for a large group of customers.

Vuoksi has well equipped practical restaurant kitchen and schools own institutional kitchens. The practice perioids are in real local companies.

Cooks work in restaurants, cafes and in public sectors institutional kitchens (schools, hospitals etc).

Additional information, videos and applying:

<u>Ravintola- ja cateringalan perustutkinto | Vuoksi</u>



Vocational Qualification in Agriculture

Rural Entrepreneur

Competence area of Agriculture

Rural entrepreneurs know how to work in various types of rural enterprises. They have extensive basic knowledge how to keep land fertile and the factors that affect plant growth. They possess good technical skills and know how to use and take care of the machinery and equipment necessary for their work.

Depending on their choices, they know how to manage production animals and promote their welfare, pursue forestry methodically, serve customers, or use and plan the production technology and the building stock of their enterprise.

Rural entrepreneurs work in farms, companies providing interlacing, working, machinery, bioenergy and landscape maintenance services as an entrepreneur or employee.

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Vocational Qualification in Construction

Building Constructor

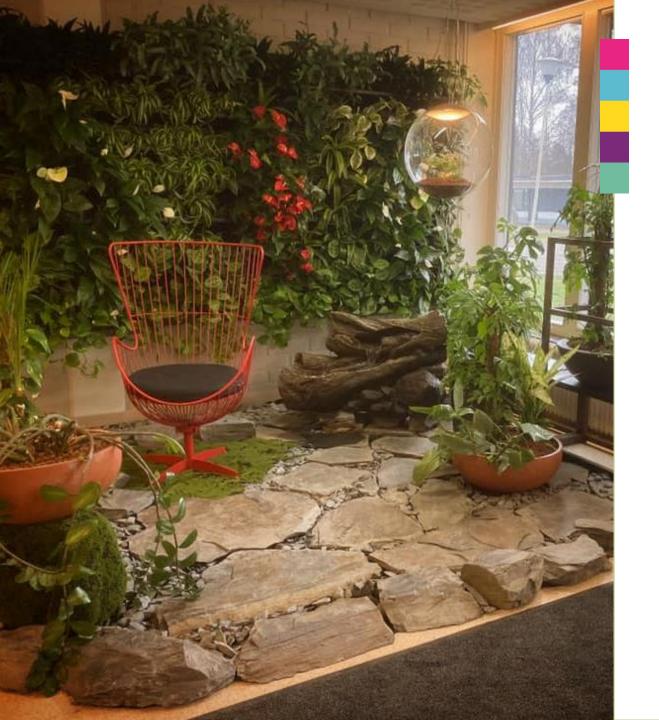
Building Constructor work as a house builder with the professional skills to carry out foundation, frame and roofing work of buildings as well as interior decoration and finishing work. In the training you learn practical skills that building constructor and carpenter need in their work.

They need customer service skills, good physical condition, problem-solving skills and an independent and responsible attitude. The training is very practical. The practical work is carried out at Vuoksi's own house construction sites and at customers sites.

Building constructor can work as entrepreneurs or employees in construction companies on new and renovation sites.

Additional information, videos and applying:

Rakennusalan perustutkinto | Talonrakentaja | Vuoksi



Vocational Qualification in Horticulture

Gardener

Gardeners who have completed the competence area of landscape industries are able to build and maintain safe and pleasant green areas that support biodiversity.

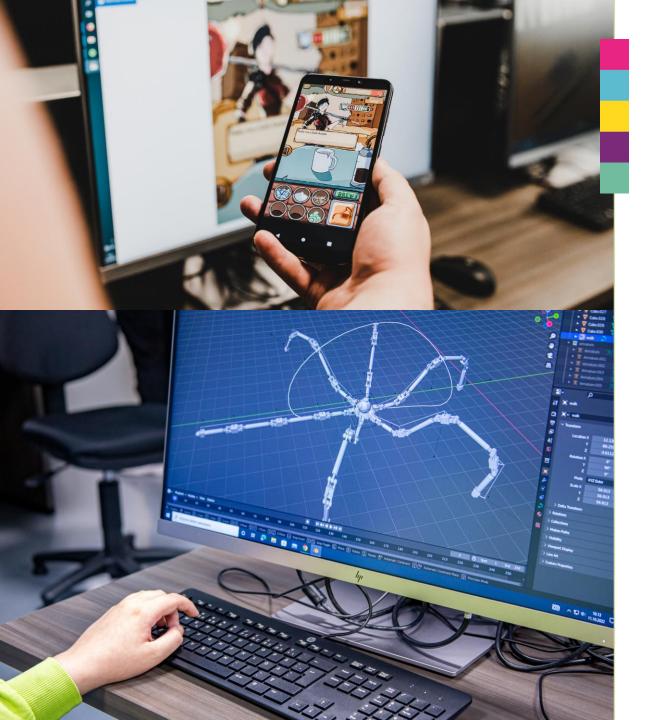
They are familiar with the materials used in landscaping and knows how to work with them. They can operate the machinery, equipment and tools used in the building and maintenance of green areas.

Vuoksi has well equipped indoor and outdoor practical areas. Schools own garden/flower shop is run by students. The practice perioids are in real local companies or in public sector.

A gardener can work in a flower and garden trade in sales tasks for products and services, as a grower in horticultural production, as a yard and garden designer or as a landscapist and in green area maintenance tasks.

Additional information, videos and applying:

<u>Puutarha-alan perustutkinto | Viheralan koulutus | Vuoksi</u>



Vocational qualification in Information and Communications Technology

Software Developer, game industry

The main focus of the software developer training in the game industry is working on various game projects. During the training, you will learn the different stages of the game production process, such as scriptwriting, graphic design, coding, 3D-modeling and game implementation, as well as the use of different development environments.

The work of a software developer combines logical thinking and creativity. The training gives you the readiness to be placed in diverse positions in the growing gaming industry or continue studies in upper level in Universities (for example engineer).

Additional information, videos and applying:

<u>Tieto- ja viestintätekniikan perustutkinto | Vuoksi</u>

ABOUT KAUHAJOKI

Vuoksi Campuses are located close to the Kauhajoki town center.

Kauhajoki town is situated in the southern Ostrobothnia. With its dynamic business community, Kauhajoki is the second largest town in the Province of Western Finland in terms of land area.

Kauhajoki population is approximately 14 000.





NICE TO KNOW - LINKS

<u>Visit Suupohja - Seikkaile Suupohjassa</u>

Suupohja region - video

Kauhajoki town

Vuoksi Youtube channel

Vuoksi instagram

Vuoksi Facebook

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General Information

