



Come and join us on a discovery study-visit in Oulu, Northern Finland

29 January 2017-3 October 2017



The city of Oulu presents their work in the educational field with collaborating services (e.g. the department of culture and leisure). Participants will receive information on the support system for schools. We will visit several schools on all levels, including the teacher training college and a school for pre-service teachers. Furthermore we will spend a day at one of the 5 special schools of the VALTERI-network where participants visit the school and learn about their model to support inclusive education in the North Finland and Lapland region. Participants will have the opportunity to have dialogues with teachers, e.g. about the curriculum reform. On Friday we will have a breakfast meeting with principals of the schools we visited so they can have more time for dialogue. After each day participants can reflect in small groups on what they learned.

FULL DISCRIPTION OF THE STUDY VISIT:

6 day-study visit: (price: 1200 € 5 nights half board, 2 dinners, school visits)

More information and contact:

On Sunday-evening we meet at the hotel:

- Welcome sessions and getting to know each other.
- Presentation of the full program
- Facts about Finland and Oulu
- A welcome dinner

Monday – Thursday:

- Full day at the Department of Education and Culture of the City of Oulu.
- Visit of the Valteri Learning and Consulting Center in Oulu with the focus on inclusion and collaboration models with local schools
- Visits of several schools, all levels with the focus on teaching in Finland, curriculum reforms, inclusion, vocational training, and so on
- Visit of the teacher training college at the University of Oulu
- We have a farewell dinner on Thursday evening.

Friday morning:

Breakfast meeting with several principals.

Participants with a KA1-grant can use their grant for this study-visit if relevant.

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