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| ID CODE | FI 03 - SCC |
| NAME | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National language: Työllistämö • English: Employment agency |
| URL | https://www.seinajoki.fi/kasvatus-ja-opetus/kansalaisopisto/muu-toiminta-kansalaisopistolla/tyollistamo/ |
| LANGUAGE/S | Finnish |
| PROMOTER | Seinäjoki Community College (Seinäjoen opisto) |
| AUTHOR/S (if different) | |
| DESCRIPTION & AIMS | <p>The goal of the employment agency is to empower, develop skills, create faith in the future and find a path to employment. The employment office supports guidance in education and applying for working life. The employment office also provides the fins for finding and applying for a completely new field.</p> <p>The goal is pursued through group, individual and work coaching, where coaching, learning and rehabilitation take place through functional and creative means as well as through work. In the activities the participants strengthen their existing skills, learn new skills and look for things that bring joy to life.</p> <p>Working life and competence skills are promoted e.g. by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • learning the IT skills needed in everyday and working life • developing job search skills and communication skills needed in work life • encouraging the use and learning of a foreign language by getting to know everyday financial skills • with gym training, exercise and relaxation • joint cooking • working at a lunch cafe <p>Also guidance for studying and learning skills is offered under the name “Ohjauspalvelu” (Guidance and Counselling Service). Practically anyone who feels that they need guidance in applying for activities that strengthen skills and well-being, in orientation, motivation and in the formation of further plans can apply for the guidance service. The task of the guidance service, together with the customer, is to find out the customer's life field and areas of interest and opportunities.</p> |



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| SKILLS INVOLVED | Digital skills, communication skills, language skills, social skills, learning to learn skills |
| EVALUATION AND MONITORING | |
| DURATION OF THE PROJECT | Ongoing |
| TARGET OF POPULATION | The employment shop is aimed at those at risk of unemployment, the unemployed and adults outside the labour force. |
| INDIVIDUAL / GROUP ACTIVITY | The goal is pursued through group, individual and work coaching. |
| PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS | The employment workshop requires the participant to want to develop and strive for education or working life. |
| DURATION OF THE COURSE | New group started on September 6, 2021. |
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| WHY IS IT A GOOD PRACTICE? | More than 60% of the participants who have completed the employment workshop period have either entered study or work. |
| RELATED REFERENCES | |