Students and qualifications of educational institutions by Area, Year, Information and Sector of Education, 2004-2021

			Total	Comprehensiv e education	education,	General upper secondary	Vocational education	University of applied	University education
					total	education		sciences education	
Kainuu	2004	Students total	0	0	7898	2037	3367	1911	583
		Foreign students	0	0	114	18	49	43	4
		Foreign speaking students	0	0	130	21	59	49	1
	2005	Students total	0	0	7997	2000	3418	1876	703
		Foreign students	0	0	129	26	57	44	2
		Foreign speaking students	0	0	150	30	71	49	0
	2006	Students total	0	0	8116	1966	3506	1951	693
		Foreign students	0	0	155	21	74	58	2
		Foreign speaking students	0	0	174	23	83	67	1
	2007	Students total	0	0	8338	1878	3732	2082	646
		Foreign students	0	0	206	26	98	81	1
	•	Foreign speaking students	0	0	237	32	115	89	1
	2008	Students total	0	0	8252	1864	3826	2009	553
		Foreign students	0	0	256	35	123	97	1
	2000	Foreign speaking students	0	0	294	1760	139	109	2
	2009		0	0	8537	1760	4080	2062	635
		Foreign students Foreign speaking students	0	0	281 320	34 40	137 153	106 122	4 5
	2010	Students total	0	0	8488	1658	4184	2072	5 574
	2010	Foreign students	0	0	317	36	137	141	3
		Foreign speaking students	0	0	367	49	158	156	4
	2011	Students total	0	0	8304	1605	4151	2119	429
	2011	Foreign students	0	0	305	39	129	135	2
		Foreign speaking students	0	0	365	52	156	155	2
	2012	Students total	0	0	8166	1586	4153	2141	286
		Foreign students	0	0	297	41	112	143	1
		Foreign speaking students	0	0	367	59	141	166	1
	2013	Students total	0	0	8248	1480	4553	2181	34
		Foreign students	0	0	304	39	114	151	0
		Foreign speaking students	0	0	395	52	169	174	0
	2014	Students total	0	0	7896	1321	4329	2210	36
		Foreign students	0	0	267	27	100	140	0
		Foreign speaking students	0	0	354	36	155	163	0
	2015	Students total	0	0	7713	1315	4192	2180	26
		Foreign students	0	0	276	29	107	140	0
		Foreign speaking students	0	0	364	39	151	174	0
	2016	Students total	0	0	7676	1318	4023	2302	33
		Foreign students	0	0	255	22	107	126	0
		Foreign speaking students	0	0	353	35	162	156	0
	2017	Students total	0	0	7706	1274	4036	2376	20
		Foreign students	0	0	255	10	122	123	0
	2010	Foreign speaking students	-	0	383	27	198	158	0
	2018	Students total Foreign students	0	0	8008 313	1226	4255	2503 133	24 0
		Foreign speaking students	0	0	445	10 24	170 253	168	0
	2019	Students total	0	0	8562	1158	4767	2618	19
	2019	Foreign students	0	0	387	9	251	127	0
		Foreign speaking students	0	0	518	24	331	163	0
	2020		16036	7447	8589	1064	4629	2873	23
	2020	Foreign students	643	225	418	5	273	140	0
		Foreign speaking students	901	324	577	19	363	195	0
	2021	Students total	15269	7362	7907	1140	3984	2768	15
		Foreign students	649	203	446	9	225	212	0
		Foreign speaking students	901	313	588	21	302	265	0

From 2020 onwards, comprehensive school pupils and students are included in the data.

Data for 2020 have been corrected as concerns WinNova educational institution (6,768 persons added).

Data on pre-primary education pupils for 2021 has been corrected on 25 April 2023. The figures published previously on 25 October 2022 were a total of 58,570 in pre-primary education, 48,907 in connection with early childhood education and 9,663 in connection with comprehensive education.

Data on general upper secondary education for 2021 has been corrected on 25 April 2023. The figures published previously on 25 October 2022 were: number of students 107,247 and number of new students 36,900.

Students total: Military education is included starting from 2010.

Foreign students: Foreign students are students whose nationality is other than Finnish.

Foreign speaking students: Foreign-language speaking students are students whose native language is not Finnish, Swedish or Sami.

Units: Number