

Finnish for Exchange Students (3/5 ECTS)

There are two options to study Finnish on a basic Finnish language course: Groups A and B meet **twice a week**, and these are **5 ECTS courses**. Groups C and D meet **once a week**, and these are **3 ECTS courses**. All the courses last for two periods.

The topics include introducing and talking about yourself and your family, greetings, getting to know useful phrases when shopping or eating, telling the time and talking about the weather. The topics also include daily activities, living, transport and the immediate surroundings.

The goal of the course is not only to get familiar with the Finnish language students hear in everyday life, but also to get a glimpse of Finnish culture. **The course will be assessed** on a scale of 0–5. The assessment will be based on a final written and oral examination and possible course tasks, as well as on participation during the course. Please note that you can only attend the final exam if you have participated in **at least 75%** of the course. In addition to the attendance in class, students are responsible to do homework.

Finnish for Exchange Students A (5 ECTS) 16.1.–5.5.2023 Teacher: Aura Vapaametsä (aura.vapaametsa@helsinki.fi) Monday 12–14 , Siltavuorenpenger 3A (Athena), room 167 Friday 12–14 , Unioninkatu 40, room 4	Finnish for Exchange Students B (5 ECTS) 16.1.–4.5.2023 Teacher: Nina Sudenkallio (nina.sudenkallio@helsinki.fi) Monday 16–18 , Fabianinkatu 24, room 531 Thursday 16–18 , Yliopistonkatu 3 (Porthania), P673
Finnish for Exchange Students C (3 ECTS) 18.1.–3.5.2023 Teacher: Aura Vapaametsä (aura.vapaametsa@helsinki.fi) Wednesday 16–18 , Fabianinkatu 24, room 531	Finnish for Exchange Students D (3 ECTS) 19.1.–4.5.2023 (Kumpula campus) Teacher: Emilia Harjunpää (emilia.harjunpaa@helsinki.fi) Thursday 8.30–10.00 , Exactum, D123

Course code: FINN-114 **Target level:** A1.1./A1.2 **Enrolment:** via Sisu

Course material:

5-ECTS groups:

Group A: Material provided by the teacher

Group B: Kuparinen, Tapaninen & Kuisma: *Sun Suomi*. Otava. Chapters 1–20.

3-ECTS groups (C & D): *A Taste of Finnish* + material provided by the teacher

Before the course starts, you can have a look at the online material *A Taste of Finnish*.