

Intensive Finnish for Beginners (Finnish 1A + 1B + 2A, 8 ECTS)

The topics will range from introducing and telling about oneself to greetings, family, food, shopping, weather and telling the time. The topics also include daily activities, living, transport and the immediate surroundings. The course includes exercises on everyday conversations. The aim is to introduce students not only to the basic structures of Finnish (verb types, noun types, locative cases, consonant gradation, object case marking, some infinite verb forms and the positive simple past), but also to the Finnish way of life.

The course will be assessed on a scale of 0–5. The assessment will be based on a final examination and possible course tasks, as well as on participation during the course. Intensive Finnish for Beginners corresponds to Finnish 1A+B and Finnish 2A.

Regular attendance (over 75%) is necessary on this course.

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Textbook:

Gehring – Heinzmann, *Suomen mestari 1* (revised edition) and *Suomen mestari 2* (Chapter 1)

Course code: FINN-115

Target level: A1.3

Enrolment via Sisu