

Professional Teacher Education

Application period: 8 January to 29 January 2019. Application period ends on 29 January 2019 at 15.00 Finnish time.

Eligibility requirements in short:

An applicant must have a relevant higher education degree and the required work experience.

Applicants who seek qualification as vocational subject teachers

- Bachelor's (or higher) degree and 3 years of professional work experience
- applicants applying with a UAS Bachelor's degree in the field of Social Services and Health (excl. the field of Beauty Care): 5 years of work experience corresponding to the content of the degree
- applicants applying with a Master's degree in the field of Social Services and Health: 3 years of professional work experience (N.B. Bachelor's degree in the field of Social Services and Health completed in a university (as opposed to a UAS) does not grant eligibility to apply for Professional Teacher Education)
- applicants from the field of Dance or Circus: 3 years of relevant studies and 3 years of professional work experience

Applicants who seek qualification as general subject teachers

- in most cases a relevant Master's degree; no professional work experience required

Applicants working as vocational subject teachers and applying without a higher education degree

- 5 years of professional work experience

No admission points will be granted for the degree and work experience required for eligibility.

Admission points		
Other completed degrees In addition to the degree with which you apply, max. 2 degrees	Degree	4
	Degree	4
Basic studies in educational sciences	Not completed	0
	Completed	10
Further education Further studies completed since 1.1.2013, each individual course/training must be at least 1 cr or 1 cp or 0,5 cu or 27 h in scope	less than 2 cr	0
	2–5 cr	0,5
	6–9 cr	1
	10–13 cr	1,5
	14–17 cr	2
	18–21 cr	2,5
	22–25 cr	3
	26–29 cr	3,5
Teaching experience from official educational institutions (part-time teaching can be converted into full-time teaching)	30 cr or more	4
	less than 5 months	0
	5–12 months	1
	over 12–18 months	2
	over 18–24 months	3
	over 24–30 months	4
Teaching experience from vocational education since 1 January 2017 At least 5 months of teaching experience from a vocational upper secondary school and/or a University of Applied Sciences	over 30 months	5
	No	0
	Yes	10
Maximum points		37

In case applicants have the same score, the criteria below will be applied:

1. First preference for admission
2. Teaching experience from vocational education since 1 January 2017, yes
3. Teaching experience from official educational institutions, over 30 months
4. Teaching experience from official educational institutions, over 24–30 months
5. Teaching experience from official educational institutions, over 18–24 months
6. Teaching experience from official educational institutions, over 12–18 months
7. Basic studies in educational sciences, completed
8. Other completed degrees, two degrees
9. Further education, 30 cr or more
10. Further education, 26–29 cr
11. Further education, 22–25 cr

If the applicant selection is not finalized based on the aforementioned criteria, a random computer-generated selection will be employed.