

A good life consists of a combination of many different areas.



INTERNATIONAL HOUSE JYVÄSKYLÄ

We offer integration and employment services to non-Finnish speakers in the Jyväskylä area. Our goal is to help them live their lives in Jyväskylä.

Services are free and confidential.

We work together with our networks.

Services are for all immigrants e.g.

- Job-seeking customers
- Stay-at-home parents
- Students
- The elderly
- Minors who have arrived in the country without a guardian



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Help for living an independent and smooth everyday life in Jyväskylä. Guidance and advice on everyday matters in several different languages.

⇒ Multilingual information and guidance service

Help with job hunting, identifying skills, finding study opportunities, and entrepreneurship-related matters. Help with finding opportunities to learn Finnish.

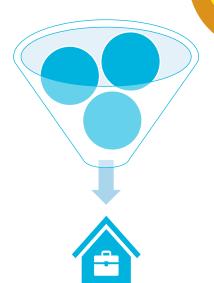
⇒ Career advisors, Finnish coach

Official matters related to employment e.g. employment plans and official employment statements.

⇒ Employment officials

Care for arriving quota refugees. Providing initial integration services for those in need of more support.

⇒ Integration services





MULTILINGUAL GUIDANCE AND COUNSELING

- Guidance and counseling in everyday matters for residents of Jyväskylä in up to 9 different languages and interpreter if needed.
- All workers speak Finnish as well
- The service is open, confidential, and free for everyone
- Multilingual Guidance and Counseling Services provides help and support with:
 - Residence permits
 - Applying for citizenship
 - Social security
 - Healthcare matters
 - Leisure activities, hobbies
 - Housing
 - Other everyday matters



CAREER ADVISORS

- Work on things related to work, study or entrepreneurship.
- Walk-in service
- Personal career counseling
- Services are in Finnish, English or Russian

FINNISH LANGUAGE COACH

- Helping clients find suitable Finnish language studies.
- Finnish language speaking group once a week.
- Orientation assistance at the workplace at the start of employment.
- On-site Finnish language coaching at the workplace.
- Training for employers on clear Finnish, language awareness, interaction methods, and orientation.



EVENTS AND COURSES

- Related to work or Finnish language
- E.g. job search, job application documents, knowledge about Finnish working life, Finnish language short courses relevant for job seeking or related to different professions and Finnish language speaking groups.



INTEGRATION SERVICES

City of Jyväskylä is responsible for the reception and initial integration of quota refugees.

This is how we support integration:

- Organize the reception of refugees who have moved to Jyväskylä
- Guide and advise on everyday matters and, for example, in dealing with authorities.
- Assist clients in office and home meetings related to integration, participation, and well-being, as well as in cooperation meetings with authorities.
- Organize multilingual social orientation sessions and other necessary services.
- Collaborate with authorities, other actors, and various associations, organizations, and volunteers.

For international students:

The assessment of service needs related to integration and skills

Map out service needs and find the right services

Send email: tiina.kurittu@jyvaskyla.fi



HOW TO CONTACT US?

Our office: Hannikaisenkatu 11-13, and doors are open Mon to Fri from 9 AM to 3 PM Services are available on a walk-in basis (no need to make an appointment) or by booking an appointment. We can also arrange a remote contact with our worker (via Microsoft Teams)

Walk-in

- Pop-up counseling at JAMK & JYU. Schedule in newsletter and web page.
- Career advisors at International House
- Multilingual guidance and counselling

Booking an appointment

Visit our office (Mon-Fri, 9-15) and fill in a contact request form or send an email

- ⇒ tiina.Kurittu@jyvaskyla.fi (Career advising, the assessment of service needs)
- monikielinen.ohjaus@jyvaskyla.fi (Everyday matters)



MORE INFORMATION?

Websites

- New resident Welcome to Jyväskylä
- Information package for people moving to Jyväskylä
- International House Jyväskylä | Jyväskylä.fi (jyvaskyla.fi)
- Services for the International Students | Jyväskylä.fi
- Events and courses at International House Jyväskylä | Jyväskylä.fi
- Multilingual guidance and counseling | Jyväskylä.fi

Facebook

https://www.facebook.com/internationalhousejyvaskyla



Read more about services from our new guide:

The guide is written in plain Finnish and can be found from our website:

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International House Jyväskylän palvelut

