

# Tervetuloa Jyväskylään!

Finnish as a Second Language  
Staff Training in JYU

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- Should I learn Finnish?
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- Language Centre
  - possibilities to learn Finnish

Should

**MORE THAN 60 WORDS FOR  
SNOW**



**NOT ONE FOR  
'PLEASE'**

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# The University of Jyväskylä Language Policy Action Plan 2015 - 2016

”International employees are required to have at least developing basic skills in Finnish (CEFR: A2.2) within three years from the beginning of the employment relationship.”

[https://www.jyu.fi/hallinto/strategia/en/JY\\_languagepolicy](https://www.jyu.fi/hallinto/strategia/en/JY_languagepolicy)

[https://www.jyu.fi/hallinto/strategia/en/action\\_plan\\_languagepolicy](https://www.jyu.fi/hallinto/strategia/en/action_plan_languagepolicy)

# Kielikeskus – Language Centre

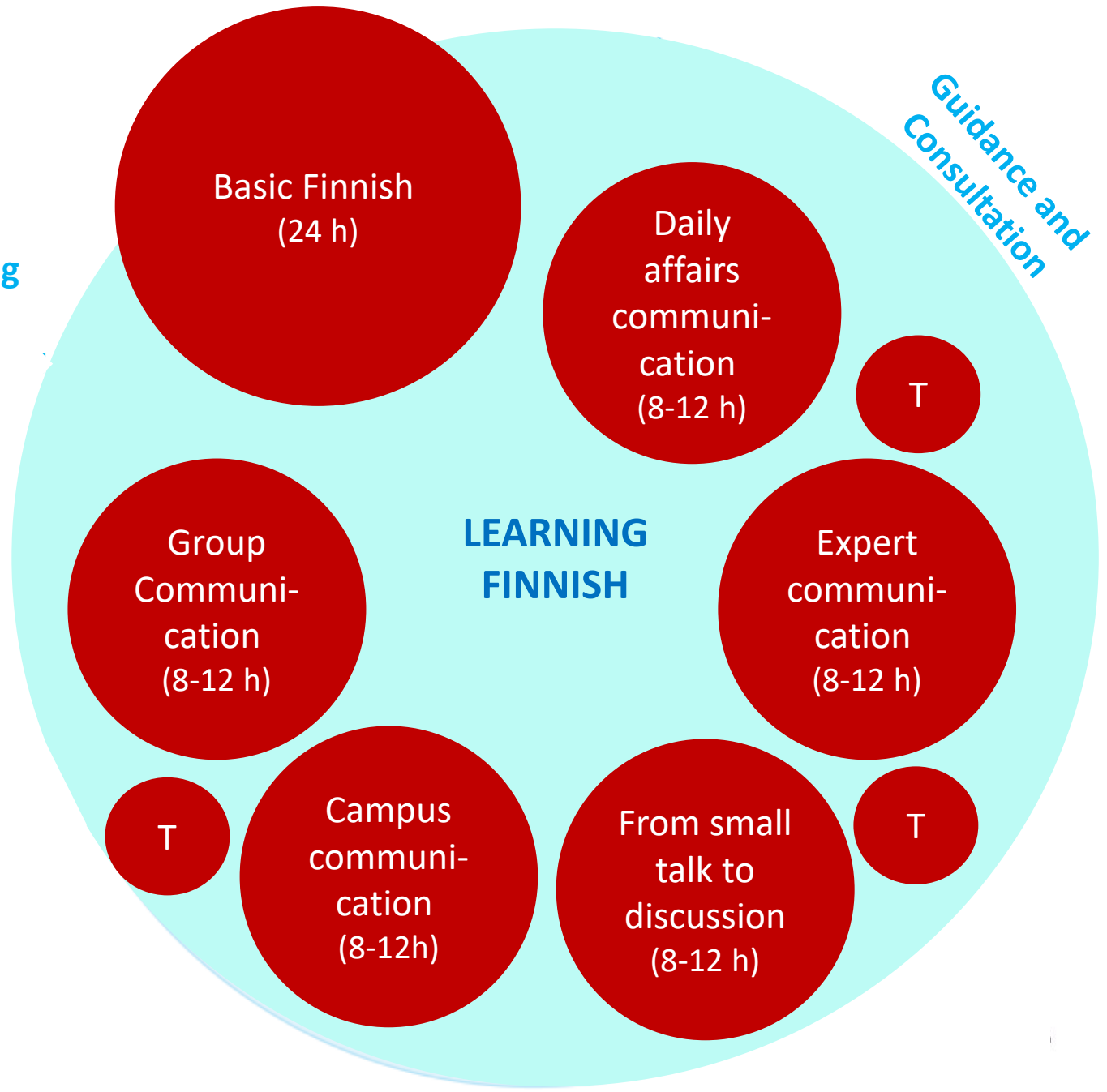
- Courses in communication and language skills
- Courses for both students and staff.
  - Staff training courses
    - Content and timetable tailored for staff.
    - Information about staff training in the weekly bulletin.
  - Suomi toisena kielenä -kurssit
    - Finnish as a second language courses.
  - Guidance in planning your personal learning path.



Guidance and Consultation

Independent language learning

Departmental support (1-2 h)



# XHNK016 Basic Finnish for Staff Members

- Monday the 11th of September - until the 16th of October
- in O103 Mondays and Thursdays
  - from 4 pm to 6 pm (16.15-17.45)
- more groups in January and in March!
- register in Korppi!

**Welcome staff and spouses!**



# Possibilities to study and use Finnish in Jyväskylä

- Possibility for individual guidance in designing your learning path. Contact Maaria Oksala (maaria.oksala@jyu.fi)
- XHNK060 Consultation for Finnish language self study 31.10.2017
- Language Centre courses
- Self study
- Courses organized by other institutions

Colleagues, neighbours, friends  
Everyday life, work place,  
hobbies



# National Certificate of Language Proficiency (YKI)

- Further information:
- <http://oph.fi/english/services/yki>



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