

# VOCATIONAL EDUCATION - QUESTIONS

## What is the students' age at a secondary vocational school (Lower and Upper)?

- The secondary education welcomes generations of 15-year olds.
- The secondary education takes two to five years.
  - short-term vocational education (2 years),
  - vocational secondary education (3-year programs),
  - technical education (4-year programs),
  - technical vocational education (2 years after completing secondary vocational studies)

## Can vocational students continue their education at university? What do they have to do?

- Yes
- Finish secondary school
- Pass vocational matura exam
- Have enough points in order to be accepted

# What kind of vocational exams do the vocational students have to take to become professional workers?

- Vocational matura exam
- Final exams

## What types of projects are conducted in Vocational Education?

- Training - internship
- Practice in the lab
- Research work

Do you have any competition in your school or in your city in terms of Vocational Education?

- At various subjects (profession and general)
- Kenguru
- Cankar
- Poliglot
- Profession
- National competitions

## What departments are there in your school?

- Based on the subjects (Electrical engineering, computing, foreign languages, math...)

## How many lessons of vocational education does a student have per week?

- 4-year programs :
  - 1. year: 22 hours general, 12 hours vocational subjects
  - 2. year: 18 hours general, 17 hours vocational subjects
  - 3. year: 15 hours general, 19 hours vocational subjects
  - 4. year: 14 hours general, 19 hours vocational subjects
- 3-year programs:
  - 1. year: 16 hours general, 17 hours vocational subjects
  - 2. year: 13 hours general, 21 hours vocational subjects
  - 3. year: 12 hours general, 20 hours vocational subjects



# Does a student have a document for starting a business after finishing your school?

- Certificate of matura or final exam

## How are the students placed in a vocational department?

- In the lab there are usually divided into groups
- (16 in one group max)
- Otherwise together

# Can a student have another job different from his/her department after the high school?

- Yes

## How many days does a student have to take internship in a week?

- 4-year programs :
  - 1. grade: 6 hours per week
  - 2. grade: 8 hours per week
  - 3. grade: 9 hours per week
  - 4. grade: 9 hours per week
- 3-year programs:
  - 1. grade: 8 hours per week
  - 2. grade: 12 hours per week
  - 3. grade: 13 hours per week

## Is there any danger of workplace incident?

- Of course
- Safety regulations
- Pass the exam of safety before working in the lab

Is there an open high school ( like distance education programme ) for vocational education?

- No

# Is there any private school for vocational education?

- no

## Are there any sponsor firms in your school?

- Yes, when we are planning to buy some materials we find a sponsor



# Is there any obligatory second or third language class in vocational education?

- no

# Does a student have to take a state of health in order to start vocational education?

- no

# Does a student have a right to become a technician after the high school?

- yes

## Types of schools for VET (Vocational Education Training)? Requirements to access (age, exam, etc.)?

- Vocational (3 years)
- Technical (4 years)
- Enough points after primary school
- They enroll at 15

# Is there a final exam in VET for graduation?

- yes

## How do students choose a school (public and private school)?

- Public schools
- Less than 2% of private secondary schools

## Can students enroll in university after VET?

- No, unless if they continue 3+2 and pass vocational matura

# Are there any placements in companies? How much time? Compulsory?

- Vocational school
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- kopiraj



## Is there any kind of guidance for labour market?

- A councillor has some additional lessons on the topic

## How is students' evaluation in vocational subjects?

- Grading (from 1-5)
- 1-negative grade