Sampola Kindergarten offers early childhood education and at the same time facilitates teacher training and scientific research in collaboration with The City of Oulu and The University of Oulu.

**EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION**

Education provided at Sampola follows The National Core Curriculum, The Early Childhood Education Plan of Oulu and The Early Childhood Education Plan of Sampola.

**RESEARCH**

Sampola offers an excellent environment for childhood studies.

**TEACHER TRAINING**

Sampola offers opportunities for students at various stages of their studies have an opportunity to observe and practice the teaching of young children.

Sampola is part of a larger Learning & Interaction Observation Forum (LeaForum) research project.

**GROUPS OF CHILDREN**

**Lemminkäiset**
Children under the age of 3

**Tellervot**
Children between the ages of 1–5

**Joukahaiset**
Children between the ages of 3–5

**Untamoiset**
Children between the ages of 3–6, including pre-primary education

**Väinämöiset**
Pre-primary education, children the age of 6
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