





12.6.2025

DEAR NEW LYSEO STUDENT,

Congratulations on your new study place in the traditional but youthful Oulun Lyseo upper secondary school and welcome to start your studies with us!

In order to confirm your study place in Lyseo, please accept our offer no later than Thursday 26^{th} of June. You can accept the offered study place either

- activating the email link that you receive from My Studyinfo service or
- directly at My Studyinfo

If you are unable to accept the study place at My Studyinfo service, you can do it by visiting our office at Kajaaninkatu 3. The school office will be open 12.–18.6. and 23.–26.6.2024 from 8.30 to 14.00 o'clock (except during lunch hour 11–12). IB DP coordinator, Heli-Maarit Miihkinen, is available until 19th of June and again from 1st of August onwards. Please, contact her if there are student welfare issues relevant to the start of the studies.

Attached to this letter you will find info about the start of your IB studies. You will later receive an additional email with instructions on how to make a Wilma account. Please check your email spam filter in case of mishandled messages. Wilma is a digital platform in which you can send messages to teachers, see study records and enroll in courses.

You can access Wilma at https://ouka.inschool.fi Please, fill in the student info form at Wilma (from the header take *Forms* and from there *Sähköinen opiskelijatietolomake*) before the 26th of June. Remember to add contact details of your quardians also.

If you want to join The Union of Upper Secondary Schools Students in Finland, you can do it at https://lukio.fi/seravo-start/english/. The membership is voluntary, but a student card is one of their member benefits.

The academic year 2025–2026 starts on Wednesday 6th August at 9.00 when all new lyseo students gather at the main school (Kajaaninkatu 3, 2nd floor) for initial information. For more info about your studies see our website https://www.ouka.fi/oulun-lyseo You can follow us also on Facebook and Instagram @oulunlyseo

On Monday the 18th of August at 18.00 there will be an information meeting for the guardians at the main school (Kajaaninkatu 3, 2nd floor). Please ask your guardians to schedule the meeting in their calendars. Guardians get to meet the group counselor who is the first person to contact in issues related to studies at Lyseo.

At http://tiny.cc/wilmauusi are instructions (in Finnish) to guardians about how to create Wilma account by Suomi.fi service. If guardians have already Wilma account, they can add our school to it by following instruction (in Finnish) at http://tiny.cc/wilmavanha

For students starting their upper secondary education in the autumn of 2025, the study materials will be free of charge. Also, daily travel costs will be covered for distances greater than seven kilometres. At the end your studies, fees of the IB final examinations will be paid by the school.

Before continuing your summer, check that

- 1. you have accepted the study place offered
- 2. activated your Wilma ID (instructions in a separate email) and
- 3. Filled the student student info form in Wilma.

With best wishes,

Mika Aalto head

