

# AYY Tutor Training 2020



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# Who are we?



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**AYY for a new student**

<https://bit.ly/AYY-en>

Please watch the video linked above

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The best student's life in the world.

# Who decides what AYY does?

## representative council

Aalto students vote for **45 student representatives**, 2 years  
highest decision-making body, strategy and budget

employees

~ **40**, e.g. specialists,  
support & know-how



board

The representative council chooses **10 students**, 1 year:  
executes the strategy

volunteers

**150-200 volunteers** e.g. in committees and sections

associations

**200** associations, that make  
Aalto what it is

# Influencing & advocacy

- On local and national levels
- Educational politics: e.g. quality of teaching and Aalto's strategy renewal process
- Social politics: e.g. FSHS, student income
- International affairs: e.g. internationalization in Finland, immigration issues and residence permits

# Community

- 14 000 members
- 100+ fields of expertise and almost 100 nationalities represented
- About 200 associations
  - In addition to subject associations, there are also sports, music and culture clubs
- Hundreds of volunteers in different sections and committees



# Services



- Student card
  - Kela meal subsidy
  - Various student benefits throughout Finland, e.g. VR
- Housing
  - About 2600 apartments
  - Emergency housing in the autumn
- Health and well-being
  - FSHS services
  - Harrassment contact persons: [hairinta-mies@ayy.fi](mailto:hairinta-mies@ayy.fi) and [hairinta-nainen@ayy.fi](mailto:hairinta-nainen@ayy.fi)



# Coming up!



Orientation Week 31.8.-4.9.2020



AYYIO Annual Ball 12.9.2020 at Finlandia Hall



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Student Union

# Tutoring in a nutshell

- As a tutor...
- you are most likely the first contact to the new university environment
- you guide the new students to become a part of the Aalto community
- you help them with practical matters (getting around, student card etc.)



# Tutor's checklist

1. Your job is important!
2. Try to attend to the whole group, and note that all members are unique individuals
3. Guide into the world of studying as well
4. Be equal with new students
5. Be easily approachable
6. Don't feel bad if everything doesn't go 100% according to plan
7. You are an influencer of opinion to the entire group – let the new students form their own opinions on things and student culture
8. Finish with style



# Schedule

June - August  
**Summer**

tutor trainings for all Aalto tutors, MyCourses  
ordering the tutor t-shirt  
possible extra trainings  
(by your own school or association)

**Summer**  
**August**

contact with the new students  
possibly some additional training for tutors in  
case orientation happens partially or completely  
online

**31.8.-4.9.2020**

orientation week – keep it free!

**November 2020/**

submitting the tutor report > study credit!

**April 2021**

# Where to ask for help?

**MyCourses:** all the information & schedules!

**AYY's Central Office** (Otakaari II)

- Service point & housing office, keys and stickers for the student card

**Starting point & Starting point of wellbeing, Y119** (Otakaari I)

- Wellbeing services (e.g. FSHS, Unisport, AYY harassment contact persons) in the same place

**Your own tutor responsible and us!**

**Thank you!**

