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HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!
STEINER WALDORF EDUCATION
100 YEARS
Extensive curriculum reform in Finland 2012 – 2016

Rethinking education > Why, What and How?
MAIN GOALS OF THE CURRICULUM REFORM IN FINLAND

Joy of learning and learning motivation:
   Meaningfulness of learning – learning across subjects
Transversal competences demand:
- knowledge
- skills
- values
- attitudes
- will/volition

SEVEN TRANSVERSAL COMPETENCES IN BASIC EDUCATION

- Thinking and learning to learn
- Cultural competence, interaction and expression
- Taking care of oneself, managing daily life
- Participation involvement, building a sustainable future
- Working life competence, entrepreneurship
- Multiliteracy
- Digital competence

Development as a human being and as a citizen
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Joy of learning and learning motivation:
- Meaningfulness of learning – learning across subjects
- Collaboration and dialogue
- Respecting the uniqueness of every pupil

Sustainable way of living:
- Ethical reflection, scientific knowledge, empathy, courage

Strong basis for lifelong learning and well-being
IMPORTANCE OF SCHOOL CULTURE
Curriculum reform as a transparent and collaborative learning process
IMPORTANCE OF SCHOOLS AND EDUCATION

Comprehensibility
Manageability
Meaningfulness
Sense of coherence -> Sustainable well-being

THANK YOU!