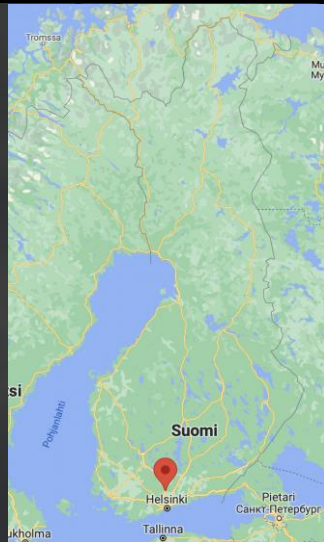
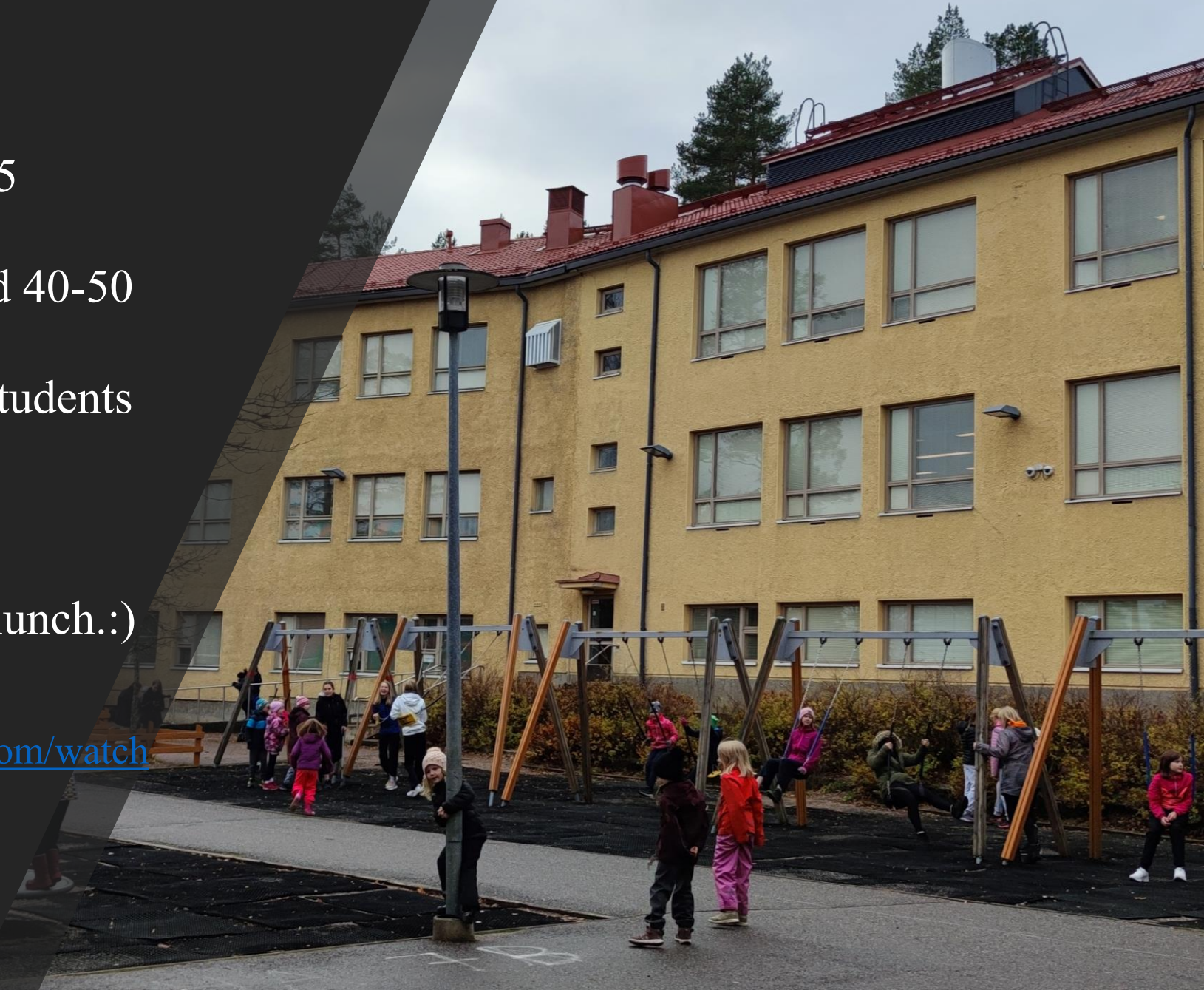


Our school: Puolimatka school in Hyvinkää, FINLAND



- Our school was founded in 1915 and has been active ever since.
- We have about 570 students and 40-50 teachers.
- There are about 85 immigrant students in the school.
- You can hear over 30 different languages around the school.
- You don't have to pay for your lunch.:)
- Video on our school: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_JLPDgILx28



Finnish specialty: Technical sloyd

- Educational sloyd is a system of handicraft-based education started by Uno Cygnaeus in Finland 1865.
- Our School has probably the best equipment in our city.
- Technical sloyd is taught for 7 years (1-7 grade), and it can be chosen as an optional subject (classes 8-9).
- Things you can do there: Wood work, Electricity and circuits, Welding and other metal work.
- There is also a textile sloyd
- Some equipment can only be used under a teachers supervision or not at all.





Finnish Specialty: Home economics

We are taught how to cook food, clean clothes and how to iron, recycle and clean. We also learn how to plan a household's economics.

Home economics is usually very fun and enjoyable when you can cook with your friends.

Home economics is mandatory in 7th grade (3 hrs per week), but it can be chosen as a optional subject (2 hours per week).

There is not a lot of exams. It's about planning & working together and learning by doing.

In Finland our lessons are 45 minutes long.

We start our days around at 8, 9 or 10 in the morning and we finish at 13, 14 or 15 in the afternoon.

Average Finnish Class



Actually not that average :-).
Welcome !

Our students have their presentation on the eTwinning-platform – please join us there!



Average Finnish student (8th grader)

