

EUROPASS CERTIFICATE SUPPLEMENT

1. TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (EL) ⁽¹⁾

Δίπλωμα Επαγγελματικής Ειδικότητας Εκπαίδευσης και Κατάρτισης Επιπέδου 5 Ειδικότητα Ι.Ε.Κ.:

ΣΥΝΟΔΟΣ ΒΟΥΝΟΥ

⁽¹⁾ in the original.

2. TRANSLATED TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (EN) ⁽¹⁾

Vocational Training Diploma Initial Vocational Training (I.E.K.) Level 5 Specialty of I.E.K.:

MOUNTAIN GUIDE

The translation has no legal status.

3. PROFILE OF SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

LEARNING OUTCOMES (KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, COMPETENCES)

The holder of a diploma of this specialty:

KNOWLEDGE

- Understands English, both in writing and orally.
- Understands the method of operation of computers, IT systems and telecommunication systems.
- Describes the basic principles of Management and Marketing for Mountain Tourism.
- Presents the composite techniques for mountain escorting and training.
- Describes the basic elements of rescuing persons at the mountain - handling with emergencies.
- Describes first aid - how to deal with accidents.
- Describes the basic elements of tourism legislation about the protection of the cultural environment.
- Describes the principles of Didactics and Group Leadership.
- Describes the methods for designing and developing programmes of outdoor activities, and the methods for exploring and identifying camping areas.
- Identifies the geography of the country and the protected areas (national parks, sites of special natural beauty, protected areas).

SKILLS

- Uses the basic principles of Management and the basic principles of Marketing for mountain tourism.
- Implements composite techniques for mountain escorting and training.
- Describes the basic elements of rescuing persons at the mountain - handling with emergencies.
- Offers first aid during accidents.
- Uses the basic elements of tourism legislation for the protection of the cultural environment.
- Uses the basic Principles of Didactics and Group Leadership with the objective of applying kinetic learning.
- Develops programmes for outdoor activities, for exploration, camping and outdoor staying at the mountain.
- Presents points of interest to visitors.
- Communicates in writing and orally in English.
- Uses telecommunications and IT media.

COMPETENCES

- Communicates and collaborates with others in the tourism industry.
- Accompanies autonomously excursionists and tourists in mountain activities.
- Shows responsibility in serving and attending to the safe stay of mountain excursionists / tourists.

(*) Explanatory note

The Certificate supplement provides additional information about the certificate and does not have any legal status in itself. Its format is based on the Decision (EU) 2018/646 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 April 2018 on a common framework for the provision of better services for skills and qualifications (Europass) and repealing Decision No 2241/2004/EC.

4. RANGE OF OCCUPATIONS ACCESSIBLE TO THE HOLDER OF THE CERTIFICATE ⁽¹⁾

The holder of this specialisation certificate works by accompanying teams or individuals performing, within the context of organised tourism programmes, outdoor activities.
The Vocational Training Diploma is recognised as a qualification for appointment in the public sector falling in the category S.E. (Secondary Education) according to the Presidential Decree no.50/2001 (Greek Official Gazette 39/Vol.A/5-3-2001).

⁽¹⁾ If applicable

5. OFFICIAL BASIS OF THE CERTIFICATE

Name and status of the body awarding the certificate: E.O.P.P.E.P. (National Organisation for the Certification of Qualifications and Vocational Guidance) Ethnikis Antistaseos 41 Avenue, 142 34 N. Ionia.	Name and status of the national/regional authority providing accreditation/recognition of the certificate E.O.P.P.E.P. (National Organisation for the Certification of Qualifications and Vocational Guidance) Ethnikis Antistaseos 41 Avenue, 142 34 N. Ionia.
Level of the certificate (national and international) Level 5 National and European Qualifications Framework	Grading scale/Pass requirements a) acquisition of the Vocational Training Certificate (V.E.K.) after successful completion of study at the Vocational Training Institute (I.E.K.) b) acquisition of the Vocational Training Diploma after: 1. success in the theoretical part of Initial Vocational Training certification examinations (Grading scale = 1-20, Pass = 10) and 2. success in the practical part of the Initial Vocational Training certification examinations (Pass/Fail)
Access to next level of education / training Not foreseen	International agreements NO
Legal basis Law 2009/1992 on the National System of Vocational Education and Training Law 4186/2013 on the Restructure of Secondary Education	
<h4>6. OFFICIALLY RECOGNISED WAYS OF ACQUIRING THE CERTIFICATE</h4>	
Total duration of the education / training leading to the certificate Success in in the the Initial Vocational Training certification examinations	4 semesters (until law 4186/2013) 5 semesters (after law.4186/2013)

Additional Information

Entry Requirements: Certificate of Upper Secondary School. Qualification of Level 4 (NQF/EQF) // Certificate Vocational Training School (SEK) – Qualification of Level 3 (NQF/EQF)

Internship/apprenticeship:

- 1 semester (optional before law 4186/2013 and compulsory after law 4186/2013)

Subjects Taught: Introduction to tourism - Elements of tourism legislation, Physical geography of Greece - Mountain Reserve, Greek cultural inheritance- Traditional mountain villages, Team teaching and leadership principles, Basic trekking principles I & II, Introduction to computers, English-Terminology, Natural environment-Ecology- Geology-Mountain flora and fauna, Orientation - Elements of Meteorology - Telecommunications, Financial management of activities, First Aid - Dealing with accidents, Basic climbing principles, Management principles, Mountain tourism marketing, Canyoning, Camping & outdoor stay on the mountain, Advanced mountain guiding techniques and training, Elements of mountain rescue - Management of emergencies, Outdoor leisure activities - Mountain Recreation

For more information on the National Qualification Framework <https://nqf.gov.gr> and <https://proson.eoppep.gr>

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