
1. Title of the certificate ¹

**Δίπλωμα Επαγγελματικής Ειδικότητας Εκπαίδευσης και Κατάρτισης Επιπέδου 5 Ειδικότητα Ι.Ε.Κ.:
ΤΕΧΝΙΚΟΣ ΔΕΡΜΑΤΙΝΗΣ ΕΝΔΥΣΗΣ – ΑΞΕΣΟΥΑΡ ΔΕΡΜΑΤΙΝΩΝ ΕΙΔΩΝ ΚΑΙ ΥΠΟΔΗΣΗΣ**

2. Translated title of the certificate ²

**Vocational Training Diploma Initial Vocational Training (I.E.K.) Level 5 Specialty of I.E.K.:
LEATHERWEAR - LEATHER ACCESSORIES TECHNICIAN**

3. Profile of skills and competences

LEARNING OUTCOMES (KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, COMPETENCES). A typical holder of the certificate is able to:

KNOWLEDGE

- Interpret the terminology (Greek and English) related to costume and fashion design.
- Describe the special machines and materials used for the creation of leather goods (clothes, shoes, and leather accessories).
- Summarise the special characteristics (basic trends) per period in the history of art and costume design.
- Recognise modern trends developed with regard to the organisation - management of businesses, the methods for applying the principles of marketing in the operation of a modern business, and the basic concepts - principles - procedures of general accounting.
- Formulate the basic principles and concepts of commercial and labour law.
- Clearly explain the procedure and use of tanning.

SKILLS

- Design leather clothes, shoes and leather accessories realistically based on the human figure (men - women - children), following the principles that apply to the analogies of the human body and its various limbs at different postures.
- Design compositions of leather clothes and accessories for a mannequin (with a non-realistic manner in the fashion figure), by applying suitable shares and textile creases.
- Operate specialized software in the computer for the design of leather items (clothes, shoes and other objects).
- Complete the works concerning a fashion design for leather items (selection of design theme, technical drawing for presentation, application of colour and shadows), based on the principles of freehand drawing, colour, and aesthetics in general.
- Accurately manufacture patterns for any type of leather apparel, using a wide range of leather textile designs, and based on either industrial measures or on custom measures.
- Test the patterns on mannequins, either for validation or for fitting purposes.
- Sew with the help of professional machines various parts of leather item (apparel, shoe, and accessory) and assemble it, based on quality professional techniques.
- Cost leather goods collections (apparel, shoes, and other items) and manage a specific budget intended for the creation and promotion of collections to the market.
- Fully organize the procedures required for the public presentation of a leather goods collection: selection of theme and respective setting, of area, accessories, music, lighting, mannequin, speaker and attend to management behind the stage in general.

COMPETENCES

- Create integrated collections of leather apparel, shoes and other leather goods, either on his/her own (in the form of self-employment) or as a designer and technician in relevant businesses and factories.
- Constructively collaborate with every department in a leather goods company (for apparel, shoes, and accessories) with the purpose of promoting quality collections in the market.
- Design, cut and sew leather apparel, shoes and other leather accessories by following the trends of fashion and processing the respective data.
- Follow the changes in aesthetics and the international technological developments with regard to the design of leather items (apparel, shoes, and accessories).

¹ In the original language. | ² If applicable. This translation has no legal status. | ³ If applicable.

4. Range of occupations accessible to the holder of the certificate ³

The holder of this specialisation certificate may work in clothing - shoe making businesses.

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).

5. Official basis of the certificate

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
<https://www.eoppep.gr/>

Authority providing accreditation / recognition of the certificate

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Level of the certificate (national or European) ¹

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 ¹

Yes

International agreements on recognition of qualifications ¹

No

Legal basis

Law 2009/1992 on the National System of Vocational Education and Training
Law 4186/2013 on the Restructure of Secondary Education
Law 4763/2020 on National System of Vocational Education, Training and Lifelong Learning

6. Officially recognised ways of acquiring the certificate

Total duration of the education / training leading to the certificate
Success in the the Initial Vocational Training certification examinations
4 semesters (until law 4186/2013) / 5 semesters (after law 4186/2013)

7. Additional information

Entry requirements ¹

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

Following the voting of L. 4763/2020, only by an Upper Secondary Education certificate or an equivalent title of studies (Qualification of Level 4 NQF/EQF)

Indicative subjects taught:

History of Art - Clothing, General tanning knowledge, Machine identification, Commercial Law, Labour Law, Marketing - Pricing, Business organisation and management principles - Principles of general accounting, Fashion sketching for leatherwear, Drawing of clothing and accessories patterns, Cutting of leatherwear models , Fitting and sewing of models, Demonstration and identification of materials, Employee safety - Health at workplace - Protection of the environment, Finishing and standardization of models, Electronics - Electrical Engineering, English, Computer use.

More information

National Qualifications Framework : <https://nqf.gov.gr/> and <https://proson.eoppep.gr/en>

National Europass Centre: **EL/NEC - E.O.P.P.E.P.** National Organisation for the Certification of Qualifications and Vocational Guidance, Ethnikis Antistaseos 41 Avenue, 142 34 N. Ionia, Greece. T.0030 2102709000 europass@eoppep.gr
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¹ If applicable.