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Dear Itävät network,

Itävät – North-Karelian Environmental Education Network is pleased to invite you to the first educator training session of 2025 and the Finnish launch event of the Climate Call game on Wednesday, January 22, 2025, from 15:30 to 17:00 at the ISLO lecture hall No. 2 in Joensuu Science Park, located at Länsikatu 15! The training is suitable for teachers, educators, and/or students in education/youth guidance, as well as anyone interested. The first 30 people to register will be accepted! Feel free to share this invitation with those in your network who may be interested. The event is held in english.

The training is organized by the ENO Network as part of the Itävät Network's educator training events in the spring of 2025 and the Swedish Klimat Koll community, which has just completed the Finnish version of the Climate Call game, now called Ilmastotietäjä in Finnish. The development of the Finnish version also involved the Helsinki-based organization Dodo ry. In addition to the game launch and learning how to use it, the training session will cover the activities of the Klimat Koll community in the field of education, its teaching methods, and introduce other training and learning materials. Every participant will receive their own version of the Ilmastotietäjä game, instructions for using additional materials, and of course, inspiration on how to talk about climate change in a way that inspires students, rather than discouraging them—something that can happen when discussing such serious topics.

Educator: Kalle Sterner Isaksson

More information: <u>Klimat Koll</u> from Sweden provides fun educational tools about climate and sustainable development. Founded by researchers from Chalmers University of Technology in Gothenburg, the organization uses research-based card games to spark interest and has developed a method to engage every student in the classroom. With simple rules and teaching guides, they aim to make teachers' lives as easy as possible.

The event will include coffee/tea with both savory and sweet snacks.

Reserve your spot and register by Friday, January 17, 2025, by 12:00 using this form

On the form, you can also indicate if you would like to book your own Klimat Koll - Ilmastotietäjä presentation for your school/class. See below:

Would you like to arrange a personal training session with a Klimat Koll educator?

On the morning of Thursday, January 23, 2025, between 8:00-11:00, you can invite Klimat Koll - Ilmastotietäjä educator Kalle Sterner Isaksson to your school and class in the Joensuu area. The meeting will last about 45 minutes and will include an introduction to the game and playing the game together with students (+12 years/5th grade and above). The session is held in English (and/or Swedish, if preferred).

