Vocational Education and Training, VET
- a tool to handle the competence gap in Skellefteå
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The societal transformation

We need more people!
"Prepare VET even if you don't know what the companies need. Surround yourselves with good employees and be flexible."

"Start VET now! Not only for Northvolt but for all areas of society"
80-20
Model for Educational design

Based on Yrkesvux

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Case Northvolt: October 2020 - 2023

Trained: 800+ people
Main skills: automation operator, maintenance, quality, process operator

Example: 200+ operators (since October 2020) of which 65% women

Rapidly changing needs - we adapt..
Why Yrkesvux

- Capacity and speed
- Quality and competence
- Adaptation and flexibility
- Combinations with language

Municipal
- The ability to control and dimension
Our work – VET Skellefteå

Opportunities and challenges
Conclusions and summary
”Adult Education will be central to meeting the needs of all the designated growth locations”.

Peter Larsson, National government coordinator for the green transition