

EDUCATION AND VOCATIONAL TRAINING
POLICY AND PRACTISES IN SPECIAL EDUCATION



Centre of Continuous Education

conducts such pedagogical units as:



- **POST SECONDARY SCHOOL FOR ADULTS**
- **CENTRE OF PRACTICAL EDUCATION**
- **EXTRAMURAL VOCATIONAL SCHOOL FOR ADULTS**
- **EXTAMURAL SECONDARY SCHOOL FOR ADULTS**

Centre of Practical Education



our institution teaches students different practical skills within the framework of chosen occupation

Schools which cooperate with Centre of Practical Education

- **Complex of Mechanical Schools**
- **Complex of Building Schools**
- **Complex of Special Schools**
- **Complex of Vocational Schools**

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Education specialties in special education:

- **Locksmith**
- **Floor layer**

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classes organization:

- **Theoretical vocational subjects compatible with program basis of specific occupation**
- **Lessons are conducted by teachers with major education and oligophrenic pedagogy qualifications**
- **Educational aids are used during classes peculiar to given occupation**
- **Joining theory with practice**

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classes organization :

- **Practical education of an occupation**
 - **Lessons are run obeying safety regulations. Students attend safety regulations trainings. They get certified work clothes and footwear. Our school provides a laundry.**
 - **Lessons are conducted by teachers with major education and oligophrenic pedagogy qualifications**
 - **Lessons are run in specialized workshops and laboratories which enable realization of program basis.**
 - **Lessons are run in a form of small practical tasks as well as big projects realized at school. This gives possibility to check students abilities in real conditions.**

Centre of Practical Education classrooms



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Floor layer

examples of projects done by students from the Complex of Special Schools in the Centre of Practical Education within the scope of practical learning of a profession





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Activities of our Centre within professional orientation

- **Organizing Open Days – suggesting educational majors**
- **Organizing entrepreneurship markets – public lecture about "Handicapped on labour market", attendance of employers who employ handicapped**
- **Participating in KOWEZIU project „Vocational school, a school of positive choice”**
- **Students' support by Labour Consultant**

Activities which Centre of Practical Education undertakes to integrate students from Complex of Specials Schools with other schools

- Integration trips
- Intraschool sport competitions promoting fair play rules
- Mutual performances and actions promoting healthy lifestyle



Centre of Continuous Education as a examination center of District Examination Board (OKE)

**Our centre has an accreditation of District Examination Board
to conduct 21 exams**



- **Every year we conduct written and practical vocational exams for all our students from Post Secondary School for Adults**
- **We conduct practical exams for students from other Post Secondary Schools and Secondary Schools who were referred for an exam by Jaworzno District Examination Board**
- **We organize and conduct practical exams for students from Vocational Schools from Raciborz, Rybnik and Wodzislaw District.**



Our observations concerning education of students with special educational needs

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- Students are very engaged during practical classes**
- Ability to work in a group**
- High attendance on lessons**
- A large number of students pass a practical exam confirming labour qualifications**

-/ minuses

- Difficulties in learning theoretical basis**
- Slower work during exercises**
- A large number of students fail a theoretical exam confirming labour qualifications**

Thank you for your attention!