

1. CERTIFICATE TITLE

Kvalificerad Yrkehögskoleexamen

Trädgårdsmästare

2. TRANSLATION OF CERTIFICATE TITLE

Advanced Higher Vocational Education Diploma in

Horticulturalist

This translation has no legal status

3. SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE PROFILE

The holder of this document has

- Knowledge of basic plant studies and staff management.
- Knowledge of an extensive range of plants.
- Knowledge of how to independently give form to an idea for a garden.
- Knowledge of calculating the cost for planning, implementing a garden idea and maintaining the garden.
- Knowledge of how to effectively collaborate between various phases and functions within a work project.
- Knowledge of various group processes and leadership styles.
- Knowledge of basic business administration and labour law.
- Skills in practical work and responsibility for professional maintenance of parks and gardens.
- Skills in how to plan, illustrate and implement a garden idea.
- Skills in illumination settings for various plant and park events.
- Skills in calculating the cost for implementing and maintaining a variety of garden ideas.
- Skills in pruning trees and shrubs with the help of various pruning techniques and pruning tools.
- Competence to choose and adjust plant assortment in consideration to aesthetic design, growing conditions, intended purpose and demands for maintenance.
- Competence and ability to function in various teams and roles of responsibility within the subject matter of expertise.
- Competence to manage and lead the work within a larger organisation
- Competence to serve as an adviser in the selection, use and handling of plants and to give advice in garden projects.

4. PROFESSIONS AVAILABLE FOR THE HOLDER OF THE CERTIFICATE

Horticulturalist or other profession within planting, landscaping and maintenance of gardens, parks and various public green areas. (Gardener, Garden manager, Park manager, Cemetery trustee and more)

5. OFFICIAL STATUS OF THE CERTIFICATE

Name and address of the awarding institution	Name and address of the public authority issuing awarding entitlement to education providers
	The Swedish National Agency for Higher Vocational Education Box 145, 721 05 Västerås Sweden www.myh.se
Diploma level (national or international designation)	Grading scale
SEQF/EQF:	Fail (Icke godkänt - IG) Pass (Godkänt - G) Pass with Distinction (Väl godkänt - VG)

6. OFFICIALLY RECOGNISED MANNER OF OBTAINING THE DIPLOMA

Description of vocational education and training received	Per cent of whole programme (%)	Length (weeks)
• College/education centre		weeks
• Placement – Learning in a work environment		weeks
Total teaching/study duration resulting in diploma		weeks
Further information		
The Higher Vocational Education Diploma requires a minimum of a Pass (Godkänt) in all courses. Five HVE credits correspond to one week of full-time studies.		
A Higher Vocational Education Diploma is awarded if the study programme comprises a minimum of 200 Higher Vocational Education credits (HVE credits).		
An Advanced Higher Vocational Education Diploma is awarded if the study programme comprises a minimum of 400 HVE credits, at least one quarter of programme time is spent on student placement, and the student has completed an independent project.		
Entry requirement is successful completion of upper secondary education.		
For more information on higher vocational education, please visit the website of the Swedish National Agency for Higher Vocational Education: www.myh.se		

(*) Explanatory notes

This document is intended to provide additional information about the specified diploma and has no legal status in itself. It is based on Council Resolution 93/C No. 49/01 of 3 December 1992 on the transparency and clarity of qualifications, Council Resolution 96/C 224/04 of 15 July 1996 on the transparency and clarity of vocational education certificates, and the European Parliament and Council Recommendation 2001/613/EC of 10 July 2001 on mobility within the Union of students, persons undergoing vocational training, volunteers, teachers and educators.

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