

The educational system in Norway.

- Kindergarten 1 6 years
- Primary and lower secondary 6 16 years
- Upper Secondary Vocational 16 18 years
- Upper Secondary General Studies 16 19 years
- Tertiary Schools 19 years and up.

Vocational education in Norway.

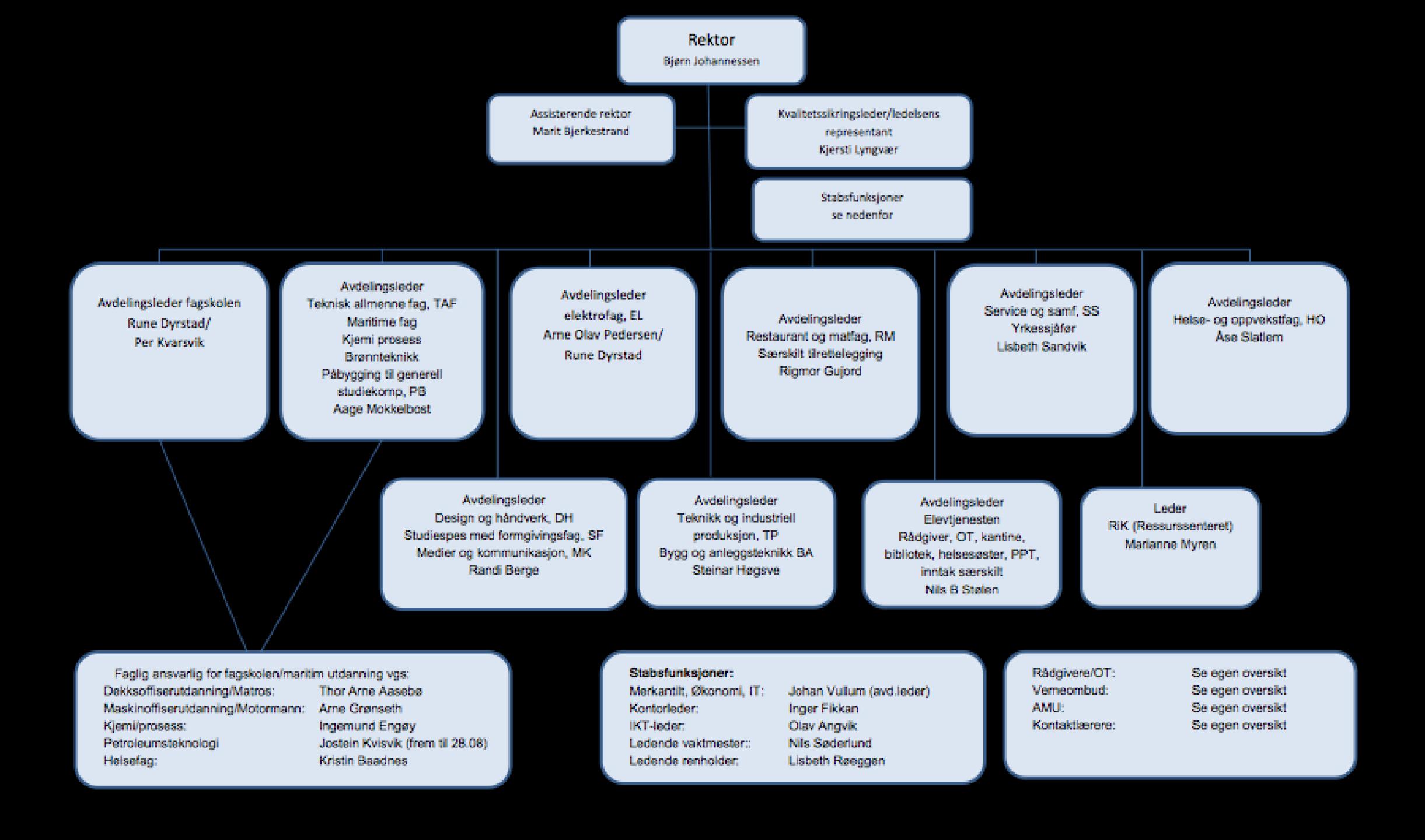
- Upper Secondary Vocational 16 18 years
- Apprentice in a company 18 20 years
- Apprentices final examination.

The «Norwegian Model» for Vocational education.

- Two years in a vocational study
- Two years as apprentice in a company
 - One year of learning, one year production
- Apprentices final examination.

Kristiansund Upper Secondary School

- Students from 16 years and up
- 860 Students in Upper Secondary School
- 200 Students in Vocational College (from 20 years)
- · 220 Teaching staff, technician, administration etc.



Vocational study programs in our secondary school:

- Building and construction
- Design, arts and crafts
- Electricity and electronics
- · Healthcare, childhood and youth development
- Media and communication
- Restaurant and food processing
- Service and transport
- Technical and industrial production

General study programs in our secondary school:

- TAF: 4 years combining general studies and a vocational study for entering universities for technical engineering studies.
- Arts, crafts and design and general studies
- Supplementary programme for general university admissions certification (Third year after two years of a vocational study.)

Even more detailed:

Building and construction – National study program

- First year (Vg1): Building and construction foundation course
- Second year specialization (Vg):
 - Climate, energy and environment work
 - Construction techniques
 - Surface treatment work
 - Woodworking

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Design, arts and crafts - by us:

- First year (Vg1): Design, arts and crafts
- Second year specialization (Vg):
 - Design and woodworking
 - Hairdressing
 - Interior and display design

Electricity and electronics:

- First year (Vg1): Electricity and electronics
- Second year specialization (Vg):
 - Automation
 - Computers and electronics
 - Electrical power

Healthcare, childhood and youth development:

- First year (Vg1): Healthcare, childhood and youth development
- Second year specialization (Vg):
 - Child care and youth work
 - Health work

Media and communication:

- First year (Vg1): Media and communication
- Second year (Vg2): Media and communication
- Third year (Vg3): Media and communication

(The program leads to general university admission certification.)

Restaurant and food processing:

- First year (Vg1): Restaurant and food processing
- · Second year (Vg2): Cookery and waiting

Service and transport:

- First year (Vg1): Service and transport
- Second year specialization (Vg2):
 - ICT-service
 - Sales, service and security
 - Tourism
 - Transport and logistics

Technical and industrial production:

- First year (Vg1): Technical and industrial production
- Second year specialization (Vg2):
 - Chemical processing
 - Industrial technology
 - Maritime
 - Motor vehicles
 - Well technology

Arts, crafts and design and general studies:

- First year (Vg1): Arts, crafts and design and general studies
- Second year (Vg2): Arts, crafts and design and general studies
- Third year (Vg3): Arts, crafts and design and general studies

(The program leads to general university admission certification.)

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Within the study paths for:

- Chemical processing
- Industrial technology

Supplementary programme for general university admissions certification (Third year after two years of a vocational study.)

- One year (Vg3) with general studies.
- Subjects:
 - Norwegian
 - History
 - Mathematics
 - Science of nature
 - Physical education
 - Program subjects from the program for specialization in general studies.

Special needs:

Disability is the consequence of an impairment that may be physical, cognitive, mental, sensory, emotional, developmental, or some combination of these. A disability may be present from birth, or occur during a person's lifetime.

- Special education in a way that adresses the students' individuals and needs.
- We have no more «Special schools» in Norway (...very few...)
- Different goals for each student.
- · Life management or public supported workplace.

Fagskjole - fagbrev trade certificate (certificate awarded on successful completion of a vocational training course, and entitling the holder to practise the trade concerned)

(fag på teknisk fagskole)Chemical Processing