

ChatGPT



I'm a 16 year old person living in Denmark. I'm born in Denmark, but my parents are from Colombia. I just finished primary school in Denmark and am now considering what my next step should be. I'm fluent in danish.

What educational path would you recommend for me?

That's a great place to be — you've finished primary school, you're bilingual, and you're thinking ahead. In Denmark, after primary school (folkeskole), there are several educational paths you can choose from, depending on your interests, strengths, and future goals. Here's a breakdown to help guide your decision:

Main Educational Options After Primary School in Denmark:

1. Gymnasiale uddannelser (General Upper Secondary Education)

These are 3-year programs that prepare you for university:

- **STX (Studentereksamen)** – Focus on general subjects like languages, sciences, and humanities. Good for university-bound students.
- **HHX (Higher Commercial Examination Programme)** – Focus on business, economics, and international trade. Great if you're interested in business or entrepreneurship.
- **HTX (Higher Technical Examination Programme)** – Focus on science, technology, and engineering. Ideal for technical or STEM interests.
- **HF (Higher Preparatory Examination)** – A 2-year program, slightly less academically intense than STX, more practical. Often used as a second-chance route to higher education.

Recommended if: You like academic subjects and might want to go to university in the future.

2. Erhvervsuddannelser (Vocational Education and Training – EUD/EUX)

These combine school with practical work experience (apprenticeships). You can become, for example, a carpenter, electrician, chef, healthcare assistant, or IT supporter.

- **EUD** – Purely vocational.
- **EUX** – Combines vocational training with a study program that allows access to university.

Recommended if: You enjoy hands-on work and want to get a job quickly, but also want the option to study further later on.

3. International or Bilingual Programs

Because you're bilingual and have Colombian heritage, you might want to explore:

- **International Baccalaureate (IB)** – A globally recognized program in English, available at some Danish schools.
- **Other international schools** – Especially if you're considering studying or working abroad in the future.

Recommended if: You want an international education and perhaps plan to study abroad later.

How to Decide?

Here are some questions to ask yourself:

- Do I enjoy academic learning or prefer practical work?
 - Do I see myself going to university?
 - Do I like business, science, technology, languages, or helping people?
 - Do I want to start earning money soon?
 - Would I like to study or work abroad one day?
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My Recommendation (Based on What You've Shared)

Since you're fluent in Danish, born and raised in Denmark, and have multicultural roots (Colombian heritage), you have a strong base to succeed in many paths. Here's a possible path:

👉 **If you're academically inclined:** Consider **STX** or **IB** – it will give you the widest set of opportunities, especially if you're not yet sure what you want to specialize in.

👉 **If you're more practical or career-oriented:** **EUX** could be a great middle road — you get job skills and can still go to university later if you change your mind.

Would you like help exploring specific programs near where you live? I can look them up for you if you tell me your city or region.