

# Uddannelsesmuligheder i Danmark



I'm a 16 year old person living in Denmark. I'm born in Denmark, but my parents are from Bolivia. 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?

Thank you for sharing a bit about yourself — that helps a lot. You're actually at a really good point right now, because Denmark offers quite a few options after primary school (9th or 10th grade). Since you're fluent in Danish and have your roots both in Denmark and Bolivia, you have even more opportunities. Let's go through the main options — and I'll give you a bit of personal advice depending on your interests.

## 1 Gymnasiale uddannelser (Upper Secondary Education)

These are great if you want to keep many doors open for higher education later.

- **STX (Alment gymnasium):** Broad academic focus: languages, social sciences, natural sciences, arts.
  - Good if you're not yet sure what you want to study.
  - Gives you access to all university programs.
- **HHX (Handelsskole):** Focus on business, economics, international trade.
  - Great if you're interested in business, marketing, or finance.
  - Also excellent if you might someday work internationally (your Bolivian roots could be an asset here).
- **HTX (Teknisk gymnasium):** Focus on technology, natural sciences, IT.
  - Good if you enjoy subjects like math, physics, chemistry, biology, or programming.
- **HF (Højere forberedelseseksamen):** More practically oriented, 2-year program.
  - Good if you want a shorter academic program, or if you're considering specific professional fields afterward.

## 2 Erhvervsuddannelser (Vocational education and training / EUD)

- If you want to get more hands-on experience and go directly into a trade or profession (e.g. electrician, carpenter, healthcare worker, IT supporter).
- You get a mix of school and apprenticeship (praktikplads).
- Very solid job opportunities afterward, and you can still build further education on top if you want.

## 3 International possibilities

- Since you have Bolivian roots and are fluent in Danish, you could also consider eventually studying or working abroad. Starting with a gymnasium program with strong language components (e.g. STX with Spanish or English focus, or even IB — International Baccalaureate if offered near you) might be a very strong foundation.
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## My general recommendation for you:

If you're not fully sure yet:

**STX** is usually a very safe and flexible option. It keeps all your doors open for university and lets you explore different areas.

If you're more into business and languages:

**HHX** might be a great fit, especially if you think about working internationally one day.

If you're into science, technology or engineering:

**HTX** could be ideal.

If you prefer a practical job early, and like working hands-on:

**EUD** is a very good route, especially in Denmark where vocational training is highly respected.

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## 👉 A small personal tip:

Since you're bilingual (Danish + likely Spanish) and live in Denmark, your language skills are a *big advantage*. Many companies and organizations value people who can work across cultures and languages — you might want to keep that in mind whatever path you pick.

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If you tell me a bit more — for example:

- your favorite subjects
- whether you like practical or theoretical learning
- any hobbies or future dream jobs

—I can give you a much more tailored recommendation.

Shall we? 😊