

Uddannelsesmuligheder efter folkeskolen



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

Thanks for sharing your background — it helps a lot in guiding you properly. Since you've just finished **primary school in Denmark**, you're likely considering one of the **three main post-primary education paths**:

 **In Denmark, your next step usually falls into one of these categories:**

1. Gymnasiale uddannelser (General upper secondary education)

Ideal if you're considering **university later on**. Main options:

- **STX (Alment Gymnasium):** Broad focus; good for university prep.
- **HHX (Handelsskolens Gymnasium):** Focus on business and economics.
- **HTX (Teknisk Gymnasium):** Focus on science, tech, and design.
- **HF:** A 2-year general path, often used as a second chance.

2. Erhvervsuddannelser (Vocational education and training – EUD)

For practical, job-oriented education. You learn partly at school and partly as an apprentice in a workplace. Great if you want to:

- Become a **craftsperson, electrician, mechanic, healthcare assistant**, etc.
- Enter the job market quickly, often after 4 years or less.
- Possibly continue later to a higher education like **EUX** or **Erhvervsakademi**.

3. Kombineret uddannelse (EUX)

A mix of vocational and general education — gives you both a **studentereksamen** and a vocational qualification.

Great if you want job skills **and** the option to go to university later.

What You Might Consider

To give you a useful recommendation, here are a few questions to reflect on:

- Do you enjoy **academic learning**, or prefer **hands-on/practical** work?
- Are you aiming for **university**, or do you want to **start working earlier**?
- What are your interests — tech, health, design, business, nature, helping people?

✨ Some Pathways Based on Different Goals

Interest Area	Recommended Path	Why?
Science, medicine, social studies	STX	Broad academic path, great for uni (medicine, law, teaching, etc.)
Business, marketing, economics	HHX	Business-oriented, practical and academic combined
Engineering, tech, design	HTX or EUX Tech	Practical + scientific focus, good stepping stone to tech careers
Quick path to a trade or job	EUD (vocational)	Learn a trade and start working quickly with good pay
Keep doors open (academic + job skills)	EUX	Flexible — do a trade + qualify for university too

Example: If You're Still Unsure

Choose **STX** or **EUX** — they give you flexibility and time to decide while still preparing you for higher education or job opportunities.

If you tell me more about:

- What subjects or activities you like
- What your parents hope for you (if that matters to you)
- Whether you want to stay in Denmark long-term or maybe work in Türkiye one day

...I can give a more tailored suggestion.

Would you like that?