

# ChatGPT



I'm a 16 year old person living in Denmark. I'm born in Denmark, but my parents are from Greece. 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 that! It's great you're already thinking about your next steps. Denmark has a strong education system, and you have a few good options after completing primary school (9th or 10th grade). Since you're 16 and fluent in Danish, here are your main educational paths, along with what kind of person each path might suit best:

## 1. Gymnasium (General Upper Secondary Education)

This is a 3-year academic path leading to **STX**, **HHX**, or **HTX** diplomas.

- **STX (Almen studentereksamen)** – General academic, strong in humanities, social science, and natural science.  
Great if you're still exploring interests or want to go to university later.
- **HHX (Højere handelseksamen)** – Focused on business, economics, marketing, and languages.  
Ideal if you're interested in working with international trade or economics.
- **HTX (Højere teknisk eksamen)** – Focus on science, tech, and innovation.  
Perfect if you like subjects like math, IT, or engineering.

✓ Best for: Students aiming for university, who enjoy theoretical learning and exams.

## 2. EUD (Erhvervsuddannelse / Vocational Education and Training)

This is a mix of school and practical training, typically leading to a skilled job (e.g., carpenter, electrician, chef, etc.).

- Takes 2–5 years depending on the trade.
- You spend time at a vocational school and in paid internships (praktik).

✓ Best for: People who like hands-on work and want to start earning sooner.  
Bonus: Denmark needs skilled workers, and some trades pay very well.

## 3. EUX (Kombineret EUD + Gymnasial Eksamen)

A mix of vocational training **and** academic studies.

- You become a skilled worker **and** get a qualification that lets you enter university.

- It's more demanding but gives you flexibility.

✓ Best for: Those who want a practical job now but might want university later.

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## 4. International or Specialized Schools

Since you have Greek heritage, you might also consider something international or bilingual (though they're less common). Or you might consider exchange programs or international boarding schools, especially if you want to connect more with your Greek identity.

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### My Suggestions (based on what you've shared):

If you're unsure what you want long-term but enjoy school:

→ **STX** is a safe, flexible choice.

If you have an interest in business or would like to combine your Greek roots with language or trade:

→ **HHX** could fit very well.

If you like doing things hands-on or want to avoid sitting in a classroom all day:

→ **EUX** (with a trade you like) gives you both practical skills and academic options.

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Would you like help figuring out your interests more deeply (e.g., strengths, what you enjoy doing), or details about a specific education (like HHX or EUX)? I can help you explore that further!