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I'm a 16 year old person living in Denmark. I'm born in Denmark, but my parents are from France. 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 background—it helps a lot. You're at a big crossroads, and it's great that you're thinking carefully about your next steps. In Denmark, after finishing primary school (folkeskole), you have several main educational paths to consider. The best one for you depends on your interests, strengths, and goals. Here's a breakdown to help you choose:

1. Gymnasium (General Upper Secondary Education)

Options:

- STX (Studentereksamen) general academic, broad range of subjects.
- **HHX** business-oriented, good if you're interested in economics, marketing, or international business.
- HTX tech/science-focused, ideal for students into math, physics, IT, or biology.
- **HF** shorter (2 years), more flexible, often used by students who want to start working or go into specific higher education later.

Good fit if:

You enjoy academic subjects and think you might want to go to university later (in Denmark or abroad). Since you have a French background, international studies or language-based careers could also be a natural fit.

🔏 2. Erhvervsuddannelse (Vocational Education and Training - VET)

This is more practical and prepares you directly for a trade or profession (e.g., carpenter, chef, mechanic, healthcare assistant). Usually combines school with apprenticeship/workplace training.

Good fit if:

You like hands-on work, want to start working relatively soon, and have a clear idea of a trade or skill you're passionate about.

3. International or bilingual options

If you're interested in keeping your French identity strong, you might consider:



- **International schools or International Baccalaureate (IB)** often taught in English, with an international focus, and recognized globally.
- **French schools or Lycée Français** (e.g., in Copenhagen) follow the French curriculum, useful if you might consider studying or working in France later.

Good fit if:

You're considering studying abroad (especially in France or other European countries), or want an education that keeps both your French and Danish options open.

☆ Some guiding questions to help you decide:

- Do you want to go to university later?
- Do you prefer academic or practical work?
- Are there specific subjects or career paths you're already interested in?
- Would you like to study in Denmark or abroad (e.g., France or elsewhere)?

My suggestion based on your background:

Since you're fluent in Danish, born and raised in Denmark, but with a French background, a **gymnasium** (like STX or HHX) would give you strong academic foundations and keep a lot of doors open. If you're also comfortable in English, an **International Baccalaureate (IB)** program could be a strong fit—it's rigorous, internationally respected, and would allow you to study anywhere in Europe later.

Let me know what kind of subjects or careers you're curious about—I can help narrow it down even more!