

# Orientation Evening 2025





# European School Copenhagen values

European Schools grew out from the horrors of WW2. The aim of the ES system: An understanding of diversity is created through languages and knowledge of other cultures' geography and history.

Strong academic focus on languages and science through cultural understanding and collaboration.

## RESPECT

We respect ourselves, each other and our environment.

## COMMITMENT

We are committed to achieving our goals and overcoming our challenges.

## COLLABORATION

We understand the value of working together and supporting each other.

## RESPONSIBILITY

We take ownership of our own learning and actions.

## CURIOSITY

We approach learning with an open and inquisitive mind and are interested in other cultures and ways of life.

## EMPATHY

We show empathy and kindness towards each other and care about the greater world.

# European School Copenhagen

- Offers the EB – equal to STX and other gymnasiale uddannelser in DK – EB curriculum
- Tuition free public school under Copenhagen Municipality
- ESCPH founded 2014 – at Carlsberg since 2018 - First baccalaureate students summer 2023
- International European School System based in Bruxelles
- European School Copenhagen is an accredited school - Currently 38 European Schools in different countries in Europe – increasing every year
- European School Copenhagen follows Danish well-being traditions for students' evaluation of teaching and democratic development of the school – extracurricular activities and school clubs and committees



# Languages and different cultures at ESCPH

- **L1** - Danish, English or French



- **L2** - English, French or German (tuition in Geography and History in L2)

- **L3** - Danish, English, French or German



- **Elective subjects:**
- Can be taught in English,
- **L4 - Spanish**



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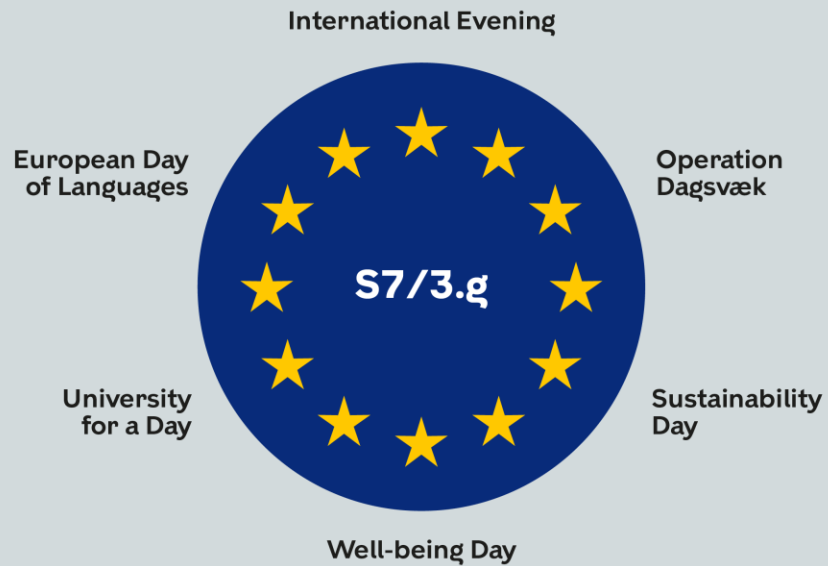
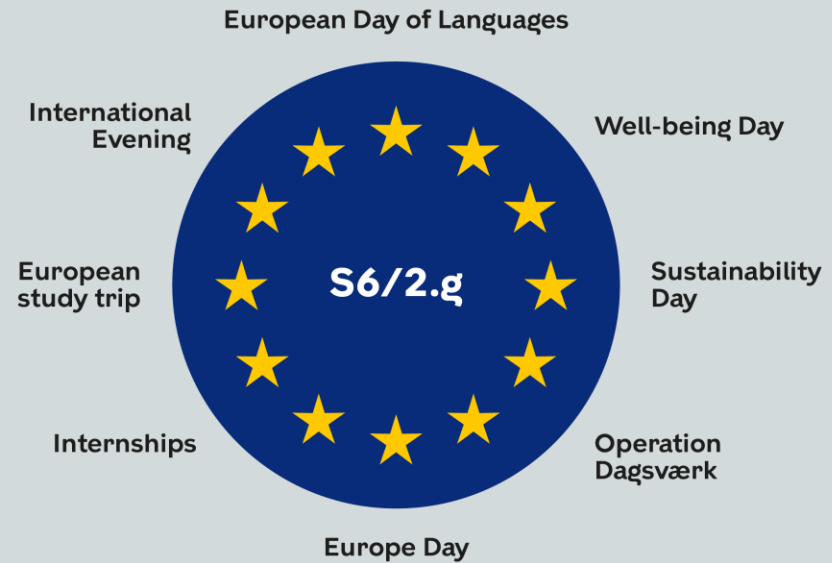
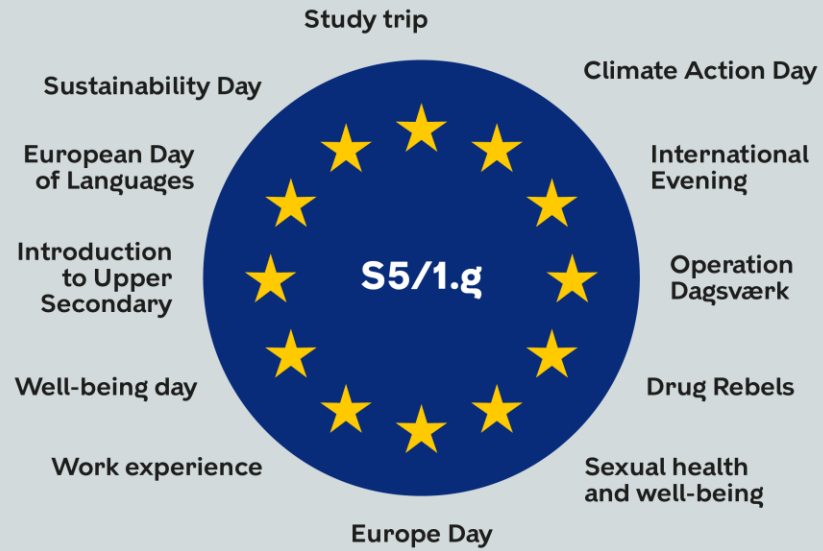
- There are many 😊
- You have a first language (L1) - your mother tongue or a language you speak fluently - either Danish, English or French
- You have English, French or German as your second language (L2) - and you will have tuition in Geography and History in L2
- You can choose Danish, English, French or German as your third language (L3)
- Elective subjects can be taught in English
- Teachers can be international/European or Danish and many are native speakers in the language they teach in.
- Pedagogy is built on Danish, French, British, German tradition with a focus on growth mindset and feedback on learning progression
- To get into Danish Universities, you need Danish and English at certain levels ask for more guidance with the study counsellor (room 315)



# Academic structure and well-being at ESCPH

- S5 is equivalent to 1g in Danish Gymnasium – introduction trip, Study buddies, mobility program an option – there is no grundforløb
- S6+S7 are equivalent to 2g+3g in Danish Gymnasium – more elective subjects than in S5 – same subjects throughout the two years, study trip in S6
- Mandatory subjects include L1, L2, Math, Physical Education, Religious Studies, Philosophy, History and Geography.
- Only S7 grades are included in the Baccalaureate exam – S5+S6 are trial years
- Support in study cafés throughout the three years
- Study Counsellors like in Danish Gymnasiums and SPS support if you have the need (for students with different diagnoses)

# European Education



# Multiple options from S6

Advanced Science	Languages	Creative	Social sciences	Individually mixed
Language 1	Language 1	Language 1	Language 1	Language 1
Language 2	Language 2	Language 2	Language 2	Language 2
Religious Studies	Religious Studies	Religious Studies	Religious Studies	Religious Studies
Physical Education	Physical Education	Physical Education	Physical Education	Physical Education
Mathematics advanced	Language 3	Mathematics standard	Mathematics Advanced	Art advanced
Chemistry advanced	Language 4 Spanish	Biology standard	Biology standard	Physics advanced
Biology advanced	Biology standard	Art advanced	History advanced	Language 3
Physics advanced	Mathematics standard	Music advanced	Geography advanced	Math advanced
History standard	History advanced	History standard	Philosophy advanced	History standard
Geography standard	Geography standard	Geography advanced	Political Science	Geography standard
Philosophy standard	Philosophy standard	Philosophy standard	Economics	Philosophy standard
	Language 5 Chinese	Drama and Theatre		



# What to expect?

- High pedagogical and academic international standard
- Strong language abilities
- Collaboration with students and teachers about development of the school
- Exams, evaluation and continuous feedback
- Requires commitment, curiosity and responsibility



# Admission process



## Round 1

Deadline for  
application  
**2 February**

Screening test  
**18 February**

Screening  
results  
**25 February**



## Round 2

Deadline for  
application  
**1 March**

Screening test  
**10 March**

Screening  
results  
**15 March**



# Admission

- **Optagelse.dk - opens 15th of January.** In Optagelse.dk: *Internationale skoler + European Baccalaureate*
- **Mobility (exchange) Programme** with other ES schools in the first semester of S5 – if interested, deadline 1st of February. This is before the application deadline so write to Ronja at [C609@kk.dk](mailto:C609@kk.dk) if you're interested.
- Learn more about the mobility programme with Ronja in room 318.





# **Student Council**

- **Eva and Matilde S6EN**
- **What is special about being a student at European School Copenhagen?**



# Find your way around

## *Room*

312	History & Political Science
313	Geography & German
315	Study counselling and students with special educational needs & L1 Danish
316	English
317	French & L4 Spanish & L3 Danish
318	Mobility programme and the European dimension & Economics
Science hub	Student Council, student initiatives & study trips Coffee and tea station
Music room	Music
Art room	Art
404, 405, 406, 407	Natural Sciences Mathematics
414	Admission and administration
416	The European Baccalaureate
415	Philosophy & Religious Studies



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