



Mottagarnamn  
Att: För- och efternamn  
Gatuadress/postadress  
Postnummer Ort

**For those whose child has been offered the chance to attend Swedish gymnasium school**

We at Utbildningsförvaltningen in Piteå would like to begin by welcoming you and your family to Sweden and to Piteå, while also extending our sympathies concerning the reasons that brought you here. We have been informed by the Swedish Migration Agency that you have somewhere to live in our municipality, and we are sending you this letter not only to welcome you but also to inform you of the rights and opportunities for attending school in Sweden that apply to any children of school-age in your care.

In accordance with the EU's Temporary Protection Directive, which began to apply as soon as you registered with the Migration Agency upon arrival to Sweden, your child has the opportunity to attend Swedish school on exactly the same terms as Swedish students while you are living in Sweden. Attendance at school for your child is voluntary, and you should regard this as an offer. However, if you (as the child's parent/guardian) accept the offer, the child will be expected to participate fully in all the elements of schooling that are offered, as continuity is essential if the learning process is to be effective and beneficial for your child. All teaching is conducted in accordance with the Swedish curriculum and course plans.

With regard to gymnasium school, this means that you are entitled to begin at Strömbackaskolan if you were born in 2005 or 2004 but have not yet had your 18th birthday. A student who begins school before their 18th birthday has the right to complete the education that has been started.

The initial focus of the education you will attend is for you to learn the Swedish language. In addition to studying 'Swedish as a second language', you will also have the opportunity to study certain other subjects during the early part of your time with us.

If you are interested in starting gymnasium school, you are invited to come to Strömbackaskolan for an admission meeting, where you can talk to a teacher who is responsible for the admission of new students. You will be asked a few questions about your previous schooling, and can then complete an application form to begin at school with us. You will then reach mutual agreement about when you can start at school, and your existing level of knowledge will be assessed when you start.

**New students are invited to an admission meeting:  
Tuesdays 9:00 – 10:00 Strömbackaskolan's information  
Address: Lasarettsvägen 2, Piteå**

It is important that you take your **UT-kort** (residence permit card) with you to the admission meeting. If you have copies of your previous grades or similar documentation from your previous schooling, please also take these with you to the meeting.



**Piteå kommun**

**Information gymnasiet**

**We look forward to seeing you!**

Linda Ström  
Head

Victoria Lundqvist  
Teacher