

# College Course in Swedish (for citizens/residents outside EU/EEA)

Academic preparatory

60 fup

Collegeutbildning i svenska m.m. (för internationella  
gäststudenter)

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## Main field of study

No main field of study

## Course level

Academic preparatory

## Advancement level

X

## Entry requirements

For admission to the College Course, applicants must meet the general and special eligibility requirements applicable for admission to the subsequent course/programme applied for, with the exception of the requirements in Swedish. The course is only offered to applicants not having Swedish as their mother tongue.

## Intended learning outcomes

The whole course is intended for non-Swedish-speaking students who have completed their upper secondary school abroad and who plan to study at university level in Sweden. The aim of the whole course is that students should become proficient in Swedish, and acquire a knowledge of Swedish social and cultural studies as well as gain familiarity with teaching and examinations at a Swedish university/college of higher education. Students who have passed the final examination are eligible for university studies in Sweden in accordance with the regulations set by the National Agency for Higher Education (HSVFS 1996:22 §4) determining that the education is equal to Swedish 2 course B at Swedish secondary schools or municipal schools for adult education.

The entire course package will also lead to eligibility in social studies for course A (ShA).

A prominent feature of this course is that it is geared to higher education and is run in close cooperation with those organizing the courses for students' continued studies. The entire course package entails full-time studies for one academic year and is divided into two semesters.

## Course content

The course package comprises one year (two semesters) of intensive full-time studies. Students should acquire a basic knowledge of Swedish and develop their language proficiency as well as gaining familiarity with Swedish society and the Swedish system of education. They should acquire a rapidly progressing knowledge of essential basic grammar as well as acquire a functional and relevant vocabulary.

The course begins with an introduction, which will provide information about practical matters, the Swedish system of higher education, cultural encounters, etc as well as practical help and awareness of how it is to live, study and function socially in Sweden. There will also be a survey of the study techniques common in Swedish higher education, including exercises on how to work in groups.

## Teaching and working methods

Tuition comprises whole-class and group teaching, pronunciation and listening comprehension training in the language laboratory. Attendance is compulsory.

## Examination

The course is examined by means of continual assessment and active participation in class is required. There is also a final written exam.

## Grades

Two-grade scale, U, G

## Other information

Planning and implementation of a course must take its starting point in the wording of the syllabus. The course evaluation included in each course must therefore take up the question how well the course agrees with the syllabus. The course is carried out in such a way that both men's and women's experience and knowledge is made visible and developed.

## Department

Institutionen för kultur och kommunikation