

To parents/guardians of children starting pre-school class in autumn 2021

Information and guidance about your future choice of school

This year, for the first time, all independent and municipal schools will work together on a shared platform. This means that **all parents/guardians** must use the municipality's e-services when they choose a school, whether they opt for Raoul Wallenbergskolan, Montessori Skövde or a municipal school. If you have already put yourself in the queue for one of the independent schools, they will be informed about when you made your choice of school in the e-service. Skövde municipality then processes and sends all the requests directly to the independent schools so that they can deal with applications as soon as possible.

In working together, we can speed up the whole process of choosing schools and avoid children being given two places.

The time period for choosing a school is from 26 October 2020 to 22 November 2020. You choose a school for your child through the e-service on the municipality's website: www.skovde.se, Barn & utbildning, E-tjänster.

Changes or people who have recently moved will be processed by each school after the initial choices have been handled.

If you do not make an active choice of school, your child will be placed in the school nearest to your registered address that still has free places. Separated parents who have joint custody must **both** log into the e-service to make a choice of school.

If a school has more applicants than places, the selection criteria of each parent/guardian will be the basis for allocating a school.

If your child needs to use school transport, you can read more about which school is default for the school transport area where your child lives. Read more about school transport at www.skovde.se, Barn & utbildning, Skolskjuts.

Do you need after-school care?

You can apply for after-school care for your child at their future school. If you are working or studying and you need extra care for your child before and/or after school, apply for a place at the recreation centre. Your application must be made by 31 March 2021 using the e-service on the municipal website: www.skovde.se, Barn & utbildning, E-tjänster. If you are applying to an independent school, after-school care is applied for directly to the school in question.

If you do not have access to the internet or cannot get an e-ID, call the Contact Centre on 0500-49 80 00.

You can read more about the different schools, rules, selection criteria and guidance for your choice of school at:

<https://skovde.se/barn--utbildning/Grundskola/Kommunal-grundskola/>

www.montessori-skovde.se

www.raoulwallenbergskolan.se/skolor/rws-skovde-ak-f-6/

Welcome to an information meeting

You are welcome to come to an information meeting at the schools you are interested in (refer to the attachment). The format of the meetings may vary from school to school based on the rooms they have available. Due to the COVID-19 situation, we ask you to consider the following:

- If you are already familiar with the school of your choice, please just read this information and do not go to the information meeting.
- It is better if only one parent/guardian visits the school.
- Please note that you must **sign up** for a meeting at the school in question so that the staff can organise the meeting. Send in your request to the school's activities administrator (refer to the attachment).

Welcome!

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