

Admissions policy

Per Brahegymnasiet

Applying to PreIB (Year 10)

Since the IB Diploma Program is a two-year program and the Swedish high school system (*gymnasiet*) is a three-year program, we have developed a preparatory year in the first year called PreIB.

Students applying to the IB Diploma Program at Per Brahegymnasiet will need to complete entrance exams in Math and in English. These tests are meant to check that students have learned what they should have learned in the 9th grade and are used together with the student's past grades to determine acceptance. Most students are accepted. However, we want to do what we can to ensure that the student has a strong, educational foundation on which to stand, to give them the best chance to successfully complete the IB Diploma Program.

Jönköping county's Office of Admissions sends us a list of the students that have applied to the IB Diploma Program and all of the applicants receive an invitation to the entrance exams in the mail. The tests are held on a Saturday in the middle of March.

For international students that do not currently live in Sweden, we can arrange for the entrance exams to be completed at the school where the student is currently enrolled. There is an application form on the school's website for students that are interested in applying. Swedish students should apply online with the help of the guidance counselor at their current schools.

Swedish is not a requirement to apply to the IB at Per Brahegymnasiet. However, students that have completed 9th grade in Sweden should be qualified for theoretical programs at the high school level, with the exception of Swedish.

Applying to IB1 – first year of the Diploma Program (Year 11)

If a student moves to Sweden and has grades that are the equivalent of Grade 10, the student can start in IB1. We look at the courses that the student has taken and the grades that they have received in order to determine acceptance. There is an application form on the website for students that would like to apply.

Some students decide to study abroad instead of completing the PreIB year here at PB. If the studies are at the same level as Grade 10 and the school thinks that the year abroad gives an equal level of preparation as our PreIB year, the student may begin in IB1 instead of starting in PreIB.

Applying to IB2 – second year of the Diploma Program (Year 12)

Only transfer students that have successfully completed IB1 will be allowed to start in IB2.

Other information

The IB Diploma Program at Per Brahegymnasiet is free of charge for Swedish citizens and residents.

International applicants without residency permits or citizenship may apply, but can only be accepted if there are available places in the class. They would also be required to pay the student fees, which are approximately 100,000 SEK per school year. We do not offer any boarding facilities so the student would need to arrange this themselves.

The IB Diploma Program at Per Brahegymnasiet can accept students from all areas of Sweden and not only Jönköping county.

For students outside of the Swedish application system, please fill in the appropriate application form on the school's website or contact the IB Coordinator: allyson.neuberg@jonkoping.se

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