



Subject Choices for the IB Diploma at Hvitfeldtska

From the second year of the IB Programme, students get to select six subjects that are studied over two years. The Final Exams at the end of the last year will cover these six chosen subjects. Students must choose one subject from each of the six Subject Groups, with a few exceptions to that rule. Each subject can be studied at Higher Level (HL) or Standard Level (SL).

Here is a list of the subjects currently offered at Hvitfeldtska gymnasiet:

Group 1

- English Language and Literature, HL or SL
- English Literature, HL or SL
- Swedish Language and Literature, HL or SL
- Swedish Literature, HL or SL
- Self-Taught Literature, SL only

Group 2

- English B, HL only
- French B, HL or SL
- German B, SL only
- Spanish B, HL or SL
- Swedish B, HL or SL
- Swedish ab initio, SL only

Students can also choose to have two courses from Group 1 instead of a Group 2 language.

Group 3

- Economics, HL or SL
- History, HL or SL
- Psychology, HL or SL

Group 4

- Biology, HL or SL
- Chemistry, HL or SL
- Design Technology, HL or SL
- Physics, HL or SL

Group 5

- Mathematics Analysis and Approaches, HL or SL
- Mathematics Applications and Interpretations, HL or SL

Group 6

- Visual Art, HL or SL

Students can choose to add another subject from group 1-4 instead of the Group 6 subject.

For some University programmes in Sweden, e.g. Medicine, Dentistry and Veterinary Medicine, there is a requirement of having all three courses Biology/Chemistry/Physics for eligibility. This is possible by applying to do an Irregular IB Diploma, exchanging the Group 3 subject with another from Group 4 in addition to exchanging Group 6 for a Group 4 subject.