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Hello, upper-secondary school student!

From next week until the Christmas break starts on 18 December, Kunskapsförbundet's upper-secondary schools will conduct even more teaching at a distance and more students will study from home.

We're doing this to help reduce the spread of infection in our community, but also because we can see that there is a high rate of absenteeism among students and staff. By conducting all our classes remotely, we can give more people the opportunity to work from home – both you students and our staff.

School continues – this is not a holiday

Distance learning will impose high demands on you as a student. We are not on holiday – classes will continue and you must now take extra responsibility for your own studies so that you can achieve your intended learning outcomes and earn passing grades.

A few tips

- Keep track of information posted on It's Learning and kunskapsforbundet.se
- Set up a workspace at home. Do you have a box or shelf that could be your temporary student locker? Do you have a table that can serve as your school desk, so that you can use your computer and school supplies properly?
- Keep up your usual routines; get up on time in the morning and go to bed on time in the evening. Shifting your day will not benefit your concentration and learning.
- Please involve your parents; show them how you work and what assignments you have received from your teachers.

Don't hesitate to contact your teacher, the IT department, Student Health or the headmaster if something isn't working or if you need help. They are there to support you in your studies – even if you're working remotely.

If you are ill - report your illness as usual

If you become ill, you should report this to the school via Skola24, just as you would normally do.

The school building is not closed

Unlike last spring, the school buildings are not completely closed. Some students will come to the school to take tests, carry out practical tasks, or get support with their studies.

Your teachers will let you know what applies to you – it's important that check It's learning, Instagram and Facebook regularly so you don't miss any information.

We hope to be able to make a decision sometime in December about what things will look like when school starts again in January. We hope that you will once again



be able to attend all your classes on-site and that the schools can be open as usual. For that to happen, we all need to help each other out a little bit more and do what we already know is necessary:

- Stay at home if you have the slightest symptom. Get tested.
- Wash your hands.
- Keep your distance!
- Don't take public transport unless you absolutely have to
- Avoid larger social gatherings

In addition, we must understand all our activities affect whether we can start living normal lives again this spring. That is why we must also:

- Avoid shopping centres and other places where many people gather.
- Turn down invitations to parties and large social gatherings
- Only socialise with the people you live with

If we hold on and hold out, then maybe next year's student celebration can take place as usual and everyone can celebrate together again.

❤️ To keep your distance is to show consideration for others ❤️

The School Management Team