

## SUMMARY

The students of the schools "Global Classes" taking part in the program interviewed two companies and students at a university, all situated in the municipality of Sonderborg.

## WORK OPPORTUNITIES

There is a labour shortage in Denmark in engineering, medicine, IT and networking, education and others<sup>1</sup>

The unemployment rate in Denmark was for men 6,1 % and for women 6,5 % in 2015



**The 2016-2018 project:  
"Europe as a  
workspace"**



**STUDY AND WORK  
OPPORTUNITIES  
IN  
DENMARK**



## WORKING OPPORTUNITIES

Danish companies need employees to develop skills like being trained, persistent and attend work regularly.

Overall communication skills are very important because of the need for understanding technical terms in meetings. One develops the necessary communications skills through speaking English and Danish. Because of Denmark's location is German also highly needed

"Team work/collaboration" is one of the skills needed in the world of work today. You need to be able to talk well with your work mates. But also meeting up so you don't get a bad reputation.

In writing a good CV for a Danish company it is important to be honest and that you write it yourself.

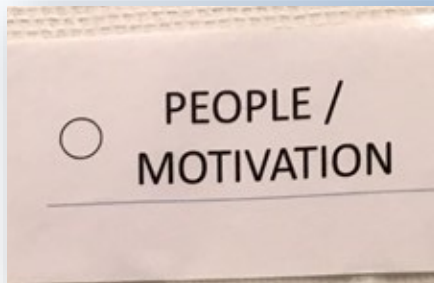
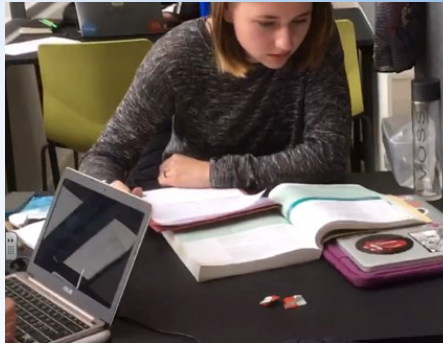
The advantage of being an entrepreneur is that you can take the idea out in life. The disadvantage is that if it's a bad idea you lose money

Today the types of jobs most threatened by automation are the traditional handicrafts.

## STUDY OPPORTUNITIES

There are all in all eight universities in Denmark.

SDU is the third largest university in Denmark and consists of departments in different towns. There are 52 different nationalities and 1800 students in the part of the campus located in Sønderborg. Overall the university has more than 30,000 students.



At SDU there are possibilities for studying four different study programs. There is nanotechnology which you can study in two places in Denmark. You can also study engineering, languages and business.

You can in principle choose courses from any study programme offered at the university provided you have the right entrance qualifications. Also, a lot of courses are taught in English.

Foreign students choose to study e.g. engineering because Denmark provides good opportunities as far as employment.

A part from that a main reason is also that you don't have to pay for universities and because of the very stable system in the country.

One student also gave the reason that Denmark is one of the happiest countries in the world!

Studying in Denmark is considered to be of high quality, well organized with good facilities combined with friendly non-formal teaching.