

English translation



Welcome to  
compulsory school!

Time to choose school for the  
reception class (kindergarten).

## Service Centre

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## Welcome to Borlänge's compulsory schools

There is a reception class (kindergarten) at 15 schools in Borlänge Municipality. Our schools work for every child to feel safe and secure in school and to be offered the opportunity to learn from his or her level and feel a desire to learn new things. For us, it is important that the school and the home cooperate and together develop the children into good members of society.

### School choice

In autumn 2024, it will be time for children born in 2018 to begin in a reception class. The reception class is compulsory for all children and school attendance is compulsory.

According to the Education Act, all guardians have a possibility to freely choose their child's school. We try to fulfil the choices you make as a guardian, but the capacity of the schools means that we cannot always take in everyone who wants to go to a certain school. In those cases, we use selection criteria. If you as a guardian do not make a choice of school for your child, we will place the child at a school close to home.

### School transport and choice of school

The right to school transport/a bus card is primarily examined to the school the municipality has assigned. If the pupil is entitled to school transport to the assigned school, school transport can in some cases also be granted to another chosen school within the municipality. More information on how to apply and relevant rules can be found on the website.

### Independent schools

In Borlänge, there is one independent school that has a reception class, Immanuelskolan. Guardians who choose an independent school as their first choice for their child must contact them directly and follow their application process. Important: You must still make a digital school choice

in the municipality's system and indicate that you applied to an independent school as your first choice.

**Tjärnaskolan** is an R-6 school with around 360 pupils. At the school, there are three before- and after-school recreation centre units that are divided by age, R-1, 2-3 and 4-6.

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**Torsångs skola** is an R-3 school with around 115 pupils. The before- and after-school recreation centre has around 110 children and is divided into two mixed-age units.

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**Tunets skola** is an R-6 school with around 160 pupils. This school has a before- and after-school recreation centre with two units, one for the younger pupils and one for the older.

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### Our compulsory schools:

Below is some brief information on our compulsory schools and contact information for the headmaster if you want to contact him or her.

**Amsbergs skola** is an R-3 school with around 50 pupils. The school has one before- and after-school recreation centre unit.

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**Domnarvets skola** is an R-9 school with around 700 pupils, of which around 450 are in R-6. At the school, there are four before- and after-school recreation centre units divided by age.

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**Forssaängskolan** is an R-6 school with around 390 pupils. At the school, there are three before- and after-school recreation centre units that are divided by age: Reception class, 1-2 and 3-6.

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**Gylle skola** is an R-9 school with around 900 pupils, of which around 480 are in R-6. The school has before- and after-school recreation centre units divided as R-1, 2-3 and 4-6.

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**Halvarsgårdars skola** is a single-parallel R-6 school with around 90 pupils. Our school cooperates with the parental cooperative of Föräldrakooperativet Halvgårdarna and the recreation centre of Fritidshemmet Luftballongen.

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**Kvarnsvedens skola** is an R-6 school with around 490 pupils. The school has five before- and after-school recreation centre units.

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**Kyrkskolan** is an R-6 school with around 160 pupils. The before- and after-school recreation centre has around 90 pupils from the reception class to year 6.

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**Mjälga Montessori** is a municipal F-3 school with around 70 pupils that builds on the Montessori pedagogy. The school has a before- and after-school recreation centre with 50 registered pupils.

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**Nygårdskolan** is an R-6 school with two- or three parallels and around 360 pupils. The school has three before- and after-school recreation centre units divided by age.

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**Ornäs skola** is an R-6 school with around 440 pupils. The school has a before- and after-school recreation centre with around 110 pupils from the reception class to year 6.

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**Paradissskolan** is an R-6 school with around 400 pupils. At the school, there are three before- and after-school recreation centre units that are divided by age, R-1, 2-3 and 4-6.

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**Skräddarbacksskolan** is an R-6 school with around 500 pupils. At the school, there are four before- and after-school recreation centre units, of which the reception class has its own unit. We have a total of around 300 pupils registered at the recreation centre.

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### **Recreation centres**

The recreation centre is meant to make life easier for you as a guardian to work or study. Our recreation centres are in or nearby our compulsory schools and welcome children before and after the ordinary school day. Their activities are a complement to the school with the mission of offering the pupils a meaningful leisure time and stimulating their development.

### **Mother tongue**

As a guardian, you can apply for mother tongue instruction for your child. You can read more about what applies on the website.

### **School choice period**

The school choice is to be made digitally during the period of the 11<sup>st</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup> of December 2023. You need to have a Bank ID. If you do not have a Bank ID, you can get help from the [Service Centre](#) at Röda vägen 50 to submit an application. In your application, you can notify if you applied for a place at an independent school.

You can read more about school choice, school transport, recreation centres and mother tongue instruction on the municipality's website at

[www.borlange.se](http://www.borlange.se) under Barn och utbildning/Grundskola [Children and education/Compulsory school].

If you have questions and would like to have more information regarding a certain school, please contact the headmaster.

You are warmly welcome to Borlänge Municipality's compulsory schools!

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