

Viborg Katedralskole



Viborg Katedralskole is one of Denmark's oldest educational institutions with a history dating back more than 900 years. Over the years the school has been located in different places in Viborg, but since 1926 it has been situated in the beautiful and listed building on Gl. Skivevej. The school has been continuously modernized and the neoclassical architecture now houses a modern school, fully equipped with modern classrooms. The school houses around 1000 students and more than 100 teachers.

At Viborg Katedralskole we make a determined effort to prepare our students for higher education. We emphasize academic skills in both subjects and cross-curricular work. Solid academic insight, the mastery of different study methods and the acquisition of different study skills are key values. The school is consistently among the best-performing Danish upper secondary schools and the ambition remains to give our students the best possible foundation for further education. This is only possible through the ability to constantly adapt to the needs of both society and the changing generations of young people passing through our doors.

One tangible result of our continuous effort to provide the best in education that the school has been invited into The Guide to Excellence from Cambridge University. Now being a part of the global IB community of schools is the result of hard work and a determination to keep evolving, challenging ourselves and equip our students to be active participants in local and global communities.

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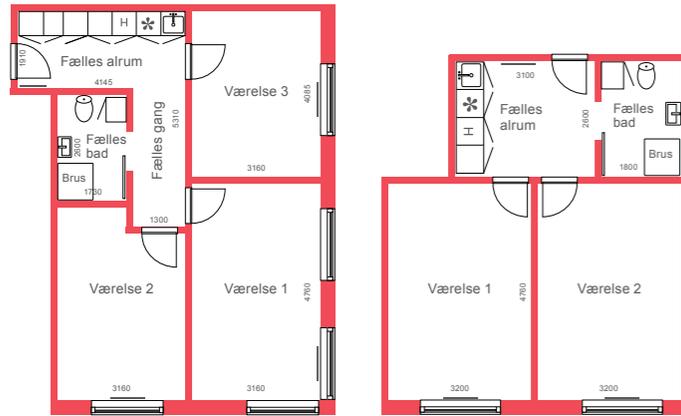


Sigma Kollegiet

Sigma Kollegiet is a fine choice if you are going to upper secondary school and ready to move in on your own.

AT SIGMA KOLLEGIET YOU GET:

- Your own large and light room
- An adult to give you support and help
- A central location close to the city centre and Viborg Katedralskole
- Lots of good friends who also are students
- Superfast internet
- The option of lunch at the school on all school days (fee paid)
- Freedom – and responsibility.



RENT

The rent does not depend on your parents' income. In 2016 the price was 2600 DKK/month, this includes an individual room, all fixed costs (water, electricity, internet) and a small tv-package.

You do not pay a deposit, but when moving out the room must be left in the same order as when you moved in. If there is any damage to the room this must be paid for accordingly.

HOW TO APPLY?

You apply to **Education Manager Anders Høgenhaug Johnsen**, Viborg Katedralskole. The accommodation is rented from Boligselskabet Sct. Jørgen, but through Viborg Katedralskole.

WANT TO SEE IT?

You and your family are most welcome to come to see the facilities. You can arrange this with the **matron, Liss Kristensen**.



SUPPORT

Apart from Liss Kristensen, who can help with practical and personal support, you can also get support from the school in terms of structuring your day, homework, assignments etc.

FOOD

You make your own food, but you can sign up for the school lunch at the boarding school. This is a hot, homemade meal which you eat during the school lunch break. The boarding school is situated in the school grounds.

House rules

NOTICE OF TERMINATION

You must give a notice of termination in writing and at least 6 weeks before you move out. This notice must be given to the matron. If you are below the age of 18, a parent or guardian must sign the notice.

The house rules can be summed up in one sentence:

BEHAVE WELL!

This rule expresses in brief how obvious it is that the well-being in a shared accommodation relies on everybody, in every situation, being considerate, thoughtful and civilized:

- towards the other boarders and staff
- towards the buildings and facilities
- civilized conduct naturally means that the different rules of and the instructions from the staff must be followed with no exception, and that you must carry out your duties (see below).
- alcohol is only permitted Fridays and Saturdays.
- abuse of alcohol, the use of cannabis or other narcotic substances is under no circumstances permitted and **NOT COMPATIBLE** with being a resident at Sigma Kollegiet or a student at Viborg Katedralskole. This will under normal circumstances lead to immediate expulsion. If there is reason to believe that such abuse has taken place a drug test at be carried out by a doctor. The ban on drugs is also in place outside of the premises of the boarding school.
- The boarding school is a no smoking area. As a consequence of the Smoke-free Environments Act, smoking is forbidden everywhere at the kollegium, inside as well as outside. You must leave ground to smoke. Breaking this law will be considered vandalism and may lead to compensation claims to cover cleaning and repainting.

If rules or directions are not adhered to you will be met with sanctions of a varying nature depending on the gravity of the transgression. The sanctions may be a warning, temporary expulsion or in grave circumstances permanent expulsion. If you destroy property of Boligselskabet Sct. Jørgen, you must pay damages. If a resident is deemed to be dangerous to himself or others he will also be expelled from Sigma Kollegiet.

Your duties



CLEANING DUTIES

All residents have a duty to treat the common areas well and clean up after themselves. All residents have cleaning duties and must help making sure that kollegiet is always nice and orderly. You naturally clean your own room as well.

At least once a week you and your neighbours must clean the bathroom and kitchen. You may either do this together or take turns. The plan for this cleaning is arranged with the matron.

The halls and common rooms must also be cleaned. You take turns doing this.

If you for some reason cannot take care of these duties, you must arrange for somebody else to do it.

GUESTS

You are responsible for your guests. This means that you are responsible that they adhere to the rules above.

NIGHTS

After 22 the place must be quiet. All activities after this time must be done in such a way that nobody is disturbed.

HOLIDAYS

You can stay during holidays. There is, however, no support from the matron or others in these periods.

