

## **The Swedish Schools Inspectorate will soon be visiting your school**

The Swedish Schools Inspectorate regularly conducts visits to schools around the country, and we supervise both municipal and independent schools. Our overall goal is for every student to receive a good education in a safe environment.

### **Why was your school selected?**

Prior to the inspection, the Swedish Schools Inspectorate conducts a survey of all schools' learning outcomes, what previous visits by us have shown, and the number of grievances reported about the schools. We also look at the results of the survey we conducted with a number of students, guardians and teachers. It is based on this information that we choose which schools to visit.

### **How do we gather facts about the school?**

The Swedish Schools Inspectorate's inspection usually involves lesson visits and always involves interviews with students, teachers and principals. We also sometimes interview other staff members and guardians.

Interviews with students play an important role in giving the Swedish Schools Inspectorate insight into how well things are working at the school. The students in question are told they will be interviewed ahead of time by the principal. No special preparation is needed, and participation is voluntary. If a student does not want to take part or the guardian does not want their child to participate, they simply let the school staff know about their decision.

This letter is being sent to all students and guardians, regardless of whether the child is being interviewed or not.

### **What happens after the visit?**

Once our inspection is complete, we will make a decision. Decisions differ depending on what kind of inspection we performed. More information about what we do at the Swedish Schools Inspectorate can be found on our website, [www.skolinspektionen.se](http://www.skolinspektionen.se).