



Gymnázium, České Budějovice, Česká 64

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The study offer:

Grammar School

4-year daily study programme

8-year daily study programme

4-year daily study programme with specialization in sports

Gymnázium, Česká 64, follows the tradition of a Latin school the history of which dates back to 1785. In 1804 this grammar school implemented a 2-year philosophical study in its study plan. In 1862 classes offering the study in the Czech language were established. Since 1903 till today the school has been using the new premises, though the continuity of the teaching process was broken a couple of times in the past. The modern history of our school began in 1980 when the grammar school was re-established by regional authorities.



School Curriculum

The set-up curriculum enables students to get a desired professional orientation. We offer a wide range of clubs and courses throughout the whole study as well as optional subjects in the two senior classes in order to provide them with relevant knowledge for their further study. Our students are determined to study at universities mainly.

The subject range offered meets the demands of all universities. We prepare the students to be competitive and successful at entry exams of all types.

It is obligatory for each student to **study two foreign languages** according to their choice (English and German or French).

High quality language teaching has become a priority at our school. Therefore, we have partner schools in Germany (ASG Passau, Maristengymnasium Furstenzell) and have been striving to participate in many other international projects (the USA, Canada, Poland, France).

Since 2009/10 we have been cooperating with Deutsche Schule Prag on the Vltava-Moldau ecological project. It is a complex project based on the research of the biological-chemical changes of the water as they reflect in the quality of the environment.

Cooperation with institutions

The Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic – regular lectures on various topics, our students often become members of scientific teams doing different researches (parasitology, hydrobiology, entomology, etc.)

The University of South Bohemia - cooperation in different fields, especially Maths, Physics, Geography, Biology

Goethe Institute – Czech-German projects, Zertifikat Deutsch als Fremdsprache

The British Centre – lectures, Cambridge exams, especially PET, FCE, CAE

The French Alliance

Study stays abroad

Our students take part in a number of international study stay programmes:

Open Door – study at different types of secondary schools (high schools) in the USA

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Euroregio – one-year scholarships at German schools

Language Certificates

The school offers to prepare students for any level of **Cambridge exams – FCE**, **CAE**, **CPE**, which confirm the students' level of the English language knowledge enabling their further study at any English university. For these purposes the school subscribes yearly for **Examsuccessplus** study programme (created by a team of experts in Cambridge) to put the students at ease when preparing for these exams as well as for their school-leaving exams (maturita exams).

We also provide mock exams in German, **Zertifikat auf Deutsch als Fremdsprache**, on regular basis.

Language projects

Worldwide School – a project coordinated by Texas and Canada, videoconferences within schools worldwide enabling distance learning









Other projects

Project 'Holocaust'

The Vltava-Moldau ecological project

Open Science – a project to promote

sciences among young people

Students Correspondents – a co-project with the MF Dnes Daily newspaper

Hidden in a Book – a co-project with the South-Bohemian Aleš Gallery

Ours or Others—a mutual project with the Jewish Museum in Prague

The Olympic Day Run

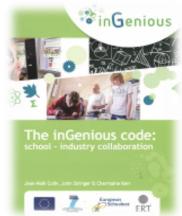
The Field behind the Doorstep – applied botany and ecology in Stromovka city park

International robotic competition 'The First Lego League'

Robosoutěž – a robotic competition

One World in Schools – a sociological project organised by 'People In Need'





School facilities

Students can make use of a number of **laboratories** (chemistry, biology, physics laboratories) which meet the demand of fully **computerised modern equipment**. **Language rooms** and **ITV rooms** equipped with the latest technologies (computers, tablets) have become a norm.

Other classrooms are equipped with a computer, a data projector and a whiteboard.

Wi-fi is available in all the premises also for the students' needs (students may use their own laptops or tablets).

A tablet classroom serves various purposes.



We also offer special rooms for teaching music and arts.

Music and arts rooms are also well equipped in accordance with their specific needs.

A comprehensive talent centre which is being under construction will be available in the nearest future.

In September 2014 we opened a new, spacious **library** which serves as a study room, reading room, clubroom as well as a suitable place for students' theatre performances, concerts or exhibitions.

A newly restored **gym and sports ground** is available in the school premises.

We offer catering services in the form of a **school shop** (during breaks) and a **school canteen** providing healthy food.

Vending machines inside the school offer a range of drinks and snacks.



School-leaving exams (Final Exams, or Maturita Exams)

Our students have been showing great achievements in **State Maturita Exams** and consequently become students of **reputable universities** as the school study plan meets the highest demands.

School Priorities

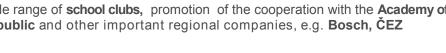
excellent knowledge in both sciences and humanities

very good knowledge in all taught and studied subjects

very good computer skills

encouragement to gifted and talented students to succeed in numerous competitions (regional, national, European)

engagement of students in a wide range of school clubs, promotion of the cooperation with the Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic and other important regional companies, e.g. Bosch, ČEZ



Students' activities

- Students' Parliament
- students' periodical 'Lístek'
- two drama clubs
- a film club
- a school choir, a chamber choir (which regularly participate in concerts and festivals both home and abroad)
- reciting poetry every-year event all-school competition with a final show
- plentiful **sports competitions** (regional, national, European)
- sports outings
- students' clubs amateur theatre and poetic theatre clubs, robotics Lego NTX club, chemistry club, physics club, biology club, environmental club, maths club, floorball club, tourist club, English clubs (KET, FCE, a native speaker)
- cooperation with Amnesty International

Grammar School with specialization in sports

(practical sports skills and general knowledge skills for the entry exam are required)

focused on training students in athletics, basketball, football, modern gymnastics, canoeing, swimming, shooting, volleyball, tennis

lessons schedule meets the training needs

trainings are supervised by professional trainers (members of the school staff, or in cooperation with local sports clubs)

summer and winter sports courses home or abroad organised every year

Cooperation and Partnership

ČEZ, Robert Bosch, Ltd., JE Temelín, the Academy of Sciences of the University of South Bohemia, Mensa CR. Since 2013 the school has been one of Microsoft educational centres.

We hold the status of the faculty school of the Faculty of Natural Sciences of the University of South Bohemia in České Budějovice and the Pedagogical Faculty in České Budějovice. The school has got a wheelchair access.

