'LØRDAGSSKOLEN' IN LONDON - Danish language, culture and community for children and adults.

Every other Saturday from September to Easter we meet in the church at. **14.00–16.00**. We sing a few Danish songs together and then go to class. The teaching is informal and is handled by volunteers. The Saturday School is a community where children and adults can develop their Danish language and create new friendships. Everyone is welcome regardless of religious background.

CHILDREN'S EDUCATION – FROM 4 YEARS. The children are taught in groups according to age and language ability. We work with speaking, reading and writing Danish, with focus on use of the language in everyday life and maintain contact with Danish family and friends.

Classes:

- **Reception:** Age 4–5 (Reception)
- **Danish 1:** Age 5–7 (Years 1–2)
- **Danish 2A/2B:** equal to Year 3–5, Danish or partly English
- **Danish 3:** equal to Year 8–9, only Danish
- **Danish 4A/4B:** equal to Year 9, Danish or partly English
- **Danish 5A:** From age 11 and above, only Danish.

As the classes take place every other week, it is important that the family also supports the child's Danish at home through conversations, books, films and other Danish media.

DANISH LESSONS FOR ADULTS. While the children are being taught, the adults can take part in Danish lessons or have fun in the Church Hall.

- **Adults 1 – Beginners:** We practice speaking Danish.
- **Adults 2 – Intermediate level:** Conversation and basic grammar.
- **Adults 3 – Advanced:** Conversation and reading in Danish.

The teaching is for all adults – including those who do not have children in Saturday School.

DATES 2026–2027

Autumn 2026: 12 and 26 September, 10 and 24 October, 7 and 21 November and 5 December.

Spring 2027: 9 and 23 January, 6 and 20 February, and 6 and 20 March.

Enrolment on 12 September 2026. Meet at 13.30.

Special events: Lucia recorded on 13 December 2026 with children from Saturday School and Fastelavn on 13 February 2027 where the school's parents help out.

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REGISTRATION AND PRICE

An annual church membership is required to ensure that all participants are insured during lessons. Once the membership fee has been paid, the cost is:

- **Children:** £100 per child per season.
- **Adults:** £140 per season.

Registration and membership take place via your churchsmember page.

Finances should not be an obstacle! Support can be applied for through The Danish Church Benevolent Fund or by writing to kirke@danskekirke.org. Children receive free tuition if a parent helps as a teacher. Adults can receive free tuition if their partner helps as a teacher.

CONTACT AND REGISTRATION: Do you want to register your child or yourself and secure a place at the right level? **Contact Head of School Anne-Grethe Jensen** loerdagsskolen@danskekirke.org

We look forward to welcoming the whole family to Saturday School!

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