



Welcome to Carlo-Schmid-Gymnasium

About our school

Carlo-Schmid-Gymnasium is one of five grammar schools in Tübingen, a historic university town with 90 000 inhabitants in the south of Germany. Carlo-Schmid-Gymnasium has been an independent grammar school since 1988. There are three to four forms per year with about 850 students and 100 teachers in total.

Foreign languages

At our school, English is the first foreign language learned by all students in form five, the first year at grammar school. In year six, students have a choice between French and Latin. In year eight, there is a choice between Russian, Spanish or Sciences (NWT – Naturwissenschaft und Technik).

Apart from teaching languages at school, we take our students abroad to practice in native surroundings. We have exchanges with schools in France (Craponne), Italy (Breno), Spain (Madrid), and Russia (Petrosawodsk).

Bilingual profile

As a special profile, we have two bilingual forms each year. In both forms, subjects such as Biology, Geography, History, and Political Science are taught in English in alternating years. To accommodate the extra time needed to teach these subjects in English, extra lessons are assigned in each week. In the “normal“ bilingual form, only one additional subject is taught in English per year, in the “biliblplus“ class, two are taught in English. Both forms may lead to a senior class in Biology, including final exams and the “Internationales Abitur“, a certificate rewarded by the school administration.

Extracurricular activities

At the Carlo-Schmid-Gymnasium, there is a wide range of extracurricular activities to choose from, according to students' preferences, such as projects in and out of school, special days for learning methodical skills and a considerable number of clubs in all fields – sports, arts, languages, and science.

Carlo Schmid

The school is named after Carlo Schmid (1896-1979), who is considered one of the founding fathers of the Federal Republic of Germany. In post-war Germany, he was highly respected as a democrat from the very beginning. He excelled as one of the authors of the constitution. At the same time, he represented both social commitment and universal scholarship.

How to get in touch

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