

adult language spring 2016 class schedule

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Talar du svenska?

Learn to speak Swedish in our adult language learning community at ASI! Classes start the week of March 28, and meet once per week for 90 minutes over the course of nine weeks. ASI offers small class sizes with a minimum of 5 participants, and a maximum of 15 students per class. Courses are geared for participants 18 years and older. Detailed descriptions of each course level are available online at <http://www.asimn.org/programs-education/adult-classes-workshops/classes>.

Tuition: \$99 ASI members, \$119 nonmembers. Please register by March 21 — after this date, registrants will be charged an additional \$10 late fee.

Course Materials: Purchase textbooks through the ASI Museum Store — pick up your book during museum hours or order over the phone (612-870-3364). Class participants are responsible for having their textbook and workbook on the first day of class, and each student must have his or her own set of books.

Class Day & Time	Instructor	Text, starting page
BEGINNING SWEDISH COURSES		
Swedish A101 (<i>textbok & övningsbok</i>)		
Thurs. 1:15 p.m.	Haaland	<i>Rivstart A1+A2, ed.2</i>
Thurs. 8:00 p.m.	White	<i>Rivstart A1+A2, ed.2</i>
Swedish A102 (<i>textbok & övningsbok</i>)		
Mon. 8:00 p.m.	Haaland	<i>Rivstart A1+A2, ed.2</i>
Wed. 11:15 a.m.	Hanslin	<i>From English to Swedish 1**</i>
Swedish A103 (<i>textbok & övningsbok</i>)		
Mon. 6:15 p.m.	Haaland	<i>Rivstart A1+A2, ed.2</i>
Mon. 8:00 p.m.	Hanslin	<i>Rivstart A1+A2, ed.2</i>
Tues. 8:00 p.m.	White	<i>Rivstart A1+A2, ed.2</i>
Wed. 1:15 p.m.	Haaland	<i>Rivstart A1+A2, ed.2</i>
Swedish A104 (<i>textbok & övningsbok</i>)		
Mon. 4:15 p.m.	Hanslin	<i>Rivstart A1+A2, ed.2</i>
Tues. 6:15 p.m.	White	<i>Rivstart A1+A2, ed.2</i>
INTERMEDIATE SWEDISH COURSES		
Swedish A201 (<i>textbok & övningsbok</i>)		
Tues. 2:00 p.m.	Bowen	<i>Rivstart A1+A2, ed.2</i>
Tues. 8:00 p.m.	Haaland	<i>Rivstart A1+A2, ed.2</i>
Wed. 4:15 p.m.	Hanslin	<i>Nybörjarsvenska*</i>
Thurs. 6:15 p.m.	White	<i>Rivstart A1+A2, ed.2</i>
Swedish A202 (<i>textbok & övningsbok</i>)		
Wed. 11:15 a.m.	Haaland	<i>Rivstart A1+A2, ed.2</i>
Thurs. 8:00 p.m.	Bowen	<i>Rivstart A1+A2, ed.2</i>
UPPER INTERMEDIATE SWEDISH COURSES		
Swedish B102 (<i>lärobok, övningsbok & CD</i>)		
Tues. 11:15 a.m.	Haaland	<i>På svenska! 2, ed.1</i>

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Swedish B104 (<i>textbok, övningsbok & CD</i>)		
Tues. 9:30 a.m.	Haaland	<i>På svenska! 2, ed.1</i>
Wed. 6:15 p.m.	Hanslin	<i>Nybörjarsvenska*</i>
ADVANCED SWEDISH COURSES		
Swedish B202 (<i>textbok & övningsbok</i>)		
Mon. 6:15 p.m.	Hanslin	<i>Rivstart B1+B2, ed.1</i>
LITERATURE-BASED INTERMEDIATE TO ADVANCED SWEDISH COURSES		
Tues. 6:15 p.m.	Haaland	<i>Den grekiska hjälmen*</i>
Wed. 9:30 a.m.	Hanslin	<i>Hundraåringen*</i>
Wed. 8:00 p.m.	Hanslin	<i>Tills hon hittar något eget**</i>
Thurs. 9:30 a.m.	Haaland	<i>Nattfäk*</i>
Thurs. 11:15 a.m.	Haaland	<i>Nattfäk*</i>
Sat. 1:00 p.m.	Bowen	<i>Tills hon hittar något eget**</i>
ACCELERATED ADVANCED SWEDISH †		
Wed. 9:00 a.m.	Haaland	<i>I detta tecken**</i>
FINNISH COURSES †		
Finnish 103		
Thurs. 8:00 p.m.	Karvonen	<i>Suomen mestari 1</i>
Finnish 203		
Thurs. 6:15 p.m.	Karvonen	<i>Suomen mestari 2</i>
* These books are not available through the ASI Museum Store. If you are a new student joining at this level, please contact Chelsea Bowen, Educational Programs Coordinator, in advance of class to make arrangements at chelseab@asimn.org .		
** These materials will be provided by the course instructor.		
† See back of page for course descriptions.		

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Introduction to Swedish

Sunday, Feb. 28
Sunday, May 15

12:30 – 2:30 p.m.
3 – 5 p.m.

Is it fee-kuh or fy-kuh? Gain an overview of the Swedish language with a bit of grammar and pronunciation before serious study or further review begins.
Instructor: Jean Hanslin.

Tuition: \$15 ASI members / \$18 nonmembers. Please register at least one week in advance.

Accelerated Advanced Swedish

Wednesdays, March 30 – May 25

9 – 11 a.m.

This class, held entirely in Swedish, is for students with advanced language skills to increase proficiency. We will read the novel *I detta tecken* by Joanne Greenberg. We will develop vocabulary, work on advanced grammar, and discuss Swedish media events. Additionally, short media clips or radio programs will be shared to facilitate listening comprehension.

I detta tecken (translation of the novel *In this Sign* by Joanne Greenberg): Abel and Janice Ryder begin their married life together with all the hopes and dreams of a young couple deeply in love. But before long they realize that their deafness stands as an immense barrier between them and a society that seems to work only for those who can hear. Inexperienced, ignorant, and bewildered, they leave the harsh environment of a school for the handicapped and enter the insensitive world of the hearing. Through years of debt and misunderstanding, hard and degrading work, the raising of a hearing daughter, common tragedies and joys, they learn that the remarkable tool of sign language enables them to survive, and indeed, to forge a love too powerful to be broken by the painful, extraordinary world into which they were born. Instructor: Ingela Haaland.

Course Materials: *I detta tecken*, available through instructor.

Tuition: \$135 ASI members / \$155 nonmembers. Register by March 21 — after this date, registrants will be charged an additional \$10 late fee.

Finnish 203

Thursdays, March 31 – May 26

6:15 – 7:45 p.m.

This course picks up where the summer 2015 Finnish Beginning V left off. We'll continue on with the book *Suomen mestari 2*, covering grammatical topics such as the perfect and pluperfect tenses and possessive suffixes, and themes such as holidays and customs, and education and work. Instructor: Daniel Karvonen.

Course Materials: *Suomi mestari 2*

Tuition: \$99 ASI members / \$119 nonmembers. Please register by March 21 — after this date, registrants will be charged an additional \$10 late fee.

Finnish 103

Thursdays, March 31 – May 26

8 – 9:30 p.m.

This course is a continuation of the winter term Finnish 102 course. We will continue to work our way through the book *Suomen mestari 1*, covering grammatical topics such as the partitive plural and the object, and cultural themes such as food and holidays. The primary focus of the course will be on speaking Finnish, but reading, writing and listening will be emphasized as well.
Instructor: Daniel Karvonen.

Course Materials: *Suomi mestari 1*

Tuition: \$99 ASI members / \$119 nonmembers. Please register by March 21 — after this date, registrants will be charged an additional \$10 late fee.

Three Thoroughly Exhausting Days in Stockholm

Saturday, April 2

1 – 3:30 p.m.

ASI instructor Gregg White thinks of Stockholm as his second home town and will help you plan the perfect visit! He'll share an insider's perspective on where to go, what to do, see, and eat in three short, but glorious, days in the Swedish capital. Bring any travel guides or maps of Stockholm that you already own to class. This course is in English. Instructor: Gregg White.

Tuition: \$20 ASI members / \$25 nonmembers. Please register at least one week in advance.

Languages of Sweden, Past and Present

Tuesdays, April 19 and 26

1:15 – 2:45 p.m.

What languages have historically belonged to Sweden? Which are the official minority languages of Sweden? We'll look at Finnish, Sami, Romany and Yiddish. How has the body of languages in Sweden changed over time, and which languages exist in today's Sweden? This class, conducted in English, offers an overview of the official and unofficial minority languages of Sweden. We will listen to a variety of Swedish dialects, learn where and why Swedish has existed in small isolated pockets of the world, and look at the etymology of Swedish names of places today and what they mean. Instructor: Ingela Haaland

Tuition: \$25 ASI members / \$30 nonmembers. Please register at least one week in advance, or call for availability.

A Man Called Ove Book Discussion

Sunday, May 15

12:30 – 2:30 p.m.

Join us for a book discussion of *A Man Called Ove* by Fredrik Backman! The times are a'changin' for cantankerous old Ove - new status, no job, new neighbors, no purpose. Full of dry humor and sensitivity, the reader joins Ove in transitioning to contemporary Swedish life. Instructor: Jean Hanslin

Tuition: \$15 ASI members / \$18 nonmembers. Please register at least one week in advance.

Registration

How to Register Call 612-871-4907, register online at ASImn.org, or fill out and submit the registration form by mail, fax (612-871-8682), or in person.

Purchasing Textbooks Purchase textbooks through the ASI Museum Store (ASI members receive at 10% discount) in person, by phone (612-870-3378), or online at **ShopSwedish.com**. Students are responsible for having their textbook on the first day of class.

Registration Deadline Please note the registration deadline specified in each class listing. We cannot guarantee a place in class after this time. Late registrants will be charged a late fee.

Additional Information Please visit the Programs & Education section of our website at **ASImn.org** and click on "Adult Classes & Workshops" for complete information about registration & policies.

..... **Payment is due with registration**

Name _____ Phone (home) _____ (cell) _____

Address _____ E-mail _____

City/State/Zip _____ ASI member non-member

Class _____ Instructor _____ Day _____ Time _____

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Class Tuition Total \$ _____ Pay by check (payable to ASI)

Credit card: Visa MasterCard Discover AMEX Card No. _____

Exp. Date _____ Signature _____