

Young people will help to inform about the Corona virus

The authorities in Kalmar county want to get help from young people. They will be informing other young people about the corona virus and how to protect yourself and others. They can become "Corona ambassadors"

Young people are good at informing each other. But they are not as good at following the recommendations from the Public Health Agency of Sweden.

Therefore, the Administrative Board of Kalmar County, the Kalmar Region, and the municipalities want young people to learn more about the corona virus. Then they can inform other young people. Young people can apply at their schools to become "corona ambassador".

The ones that become "corona ambassadors" will be invited to a training day. Experts from the Region will be there. They will teach how to protect yourself and others.

Lecturers from the Swedish Radio P4 and the Administrative Board of Kalmar County will also be there. They will tell about how to find confirmed information.

Each "ambassador" will get a contact person.

Information on the schools

Almost all senior high schools and Folk high schools in the county have joined.

50 students can become "corona ambassadors". The assignment will last the entire fall. They will be invited to the governor of Kalmar county in December, where they will receive a diploma and certificate.

The infection continues

The infection in the country continues but in another way. The Public Health Agency of Sweden says that there will be local outbreaks, where many will be infected at the same time.

It can happen at a school, among friends or at a workplace. The rules can then become stricter again.

- We are prepared for local outbreaks in Kalmar county, says Ana Norlén, County Director of Civil Contingencies at the Administrative Board of Kalmar County.

- Young people are present in the community as well as grownups. Therefore they need to be careful not to spread the disease. They can be contagious without having any symptoms.

"Corona ambassadors" will be important and we hope that many students will sign up.



**Info about "Corona ambassadors"
(only in Swedish)**



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