



Name: Hanna Westman

Age: 32 years old

Birthday: 26th July 1982

Nationality: Swedish and Finnish

Family: a boyfriend

Childhood

She has 17 siblings, there are 13 girls and 4 boys altogether with her and her parents they are 20 in the family. She was raised according to the Laestadian church, which is included in the protestant belief.

She was born in a town named Falun. She was a troublemaker and half of her school time she was at the principal's office. She never got new clothes, shoes or toys since she inherited those things, and at an early

age she learned to cooperate and to be independent, Hanna didn't care about the school, but when she started in the 8th grade she realized that she needed to take the school seriously. When she graduated 9th grade, she got the grades she had been aiming for.

Previous occupations

She has worked at several jobs before she became a PE-teacher. These are her previous jobs: home care service, store assistant, in a gym as a personal trainer within body-building and at a lumber mill.

Why she became a PE-teacher

When she was in high school, her teacher was very important to her and her favorite subject in school was of course physical education and health and therefor she chose this profession. Her teacher was very supporting and it was really important to her.

Some other facts

She has been to Norway, Finland, Turkey in the city Alanya on vacation and also in Nigera to meet her boyfriend in the city of Mina. Her dream is to travel to Cyprus. She is scared of insects.

Hanna enjoys listening to African music and art. Her favorite dish is Thai food.

She has practiced many sports as football, ice-hockey, kick-boxing, floorball and she has run the Marathon and still today she runs often.

Hanna has won the SM in bench press and she holds the Swedish record.

By: Adam R & Luis

The new iPhone 6 and iPhone 6+

Apple has released the new iPhone 6 and the 8th generation called IOS 8.

Apple has released a new thing to the iPhone and it's called Apple watch. The competition has never been so tough for iPhone because the HTC, Samsung S5, Xperia Z3 surpassing the iPhone 5s. The phones are surpassing the iPhone 5s because of the size, power and performance. Apple needs to do something special to keep themselves relevant. The iPhone 6 has a screen of 4.7-inch and the iPhone 6 + has a screen of 5.5-inch with full HD. But Apple has taken the Apple watch idea from Samsung S5 and Xperia. Apple is a copy-cat. They are taking ideas from other companies like Samsung etc.

By: Adam Q



Pre school in parks

The pre school went to three different parks.

The first one is Rålambshovsparken which is near our school so you can just walk. The 2nd park was Uggleparken which means the owl park and the 3rd is called Cykleparken which means the bike park. The pre schoolers said that it was funny because they could play with whatever they want.

In the bike park they borrowed bikes for children and then they played with other gears like slides. There were ice-cream, ambulance, police and bus bikes. There was also a boat slide where they could climb and slide down from.

In the owl park there was a playground where they were flowers made of wood and big owls you can climb on. There were gears like animals and insects. They also played hide and seek and the tag game where you try to catch each other. Then they all sat on a big swing and their teacher swung the swing.

They played police and thief game where the cops arrest the thieves and take them to the prison. They also saw a monster.

By: Sevin

South Africa

Capital: Cape Town

Inhabitants: 54 002 000 people in the whole South Africa and in Cape Town 3.7 million inhabitants.

Weather: They've got all four seasons.

Spring is September – November

Summer is December – February

Autumn is March – May

Winter is June - August

Languages: They have eleven official languages. Those are Afrikaans, English, Ndebele, Northern Sotho, Sotho, Swazi, Tswana, Tsonga, Venda, Xhosa and Zulu.

Area: 1,221,037 km².

Currency: Rand, ZAR

History

In the 17th century the first white people arrived to Cape Town, they were from Holland. They spoke Dutch but later on their language came to be called Afrikaans and they were called Afrikaners. The British people arrived in the 19th century. Conflicts broke out between them and the Afrikaners, the Dutch. The conflicts were about territory and government, so the Afrikaners headed northeast to look for a new place to settle. In 1886, gold was discovered by the Afrikaners in that area. Because of that, two wars broke out between the Afrikaners and the British. These wars were called the Boer Wars, and the British army sent more than 500 000 soldiers to fight in them. Black South Africans fought on both sides as slaves. In 1902, the British won the war.

In 1948, an election for only white people was held, which the Afrikaners won. They introduced many laws, one of them was the law of apartheid which means that people of different color should live apart from each other.

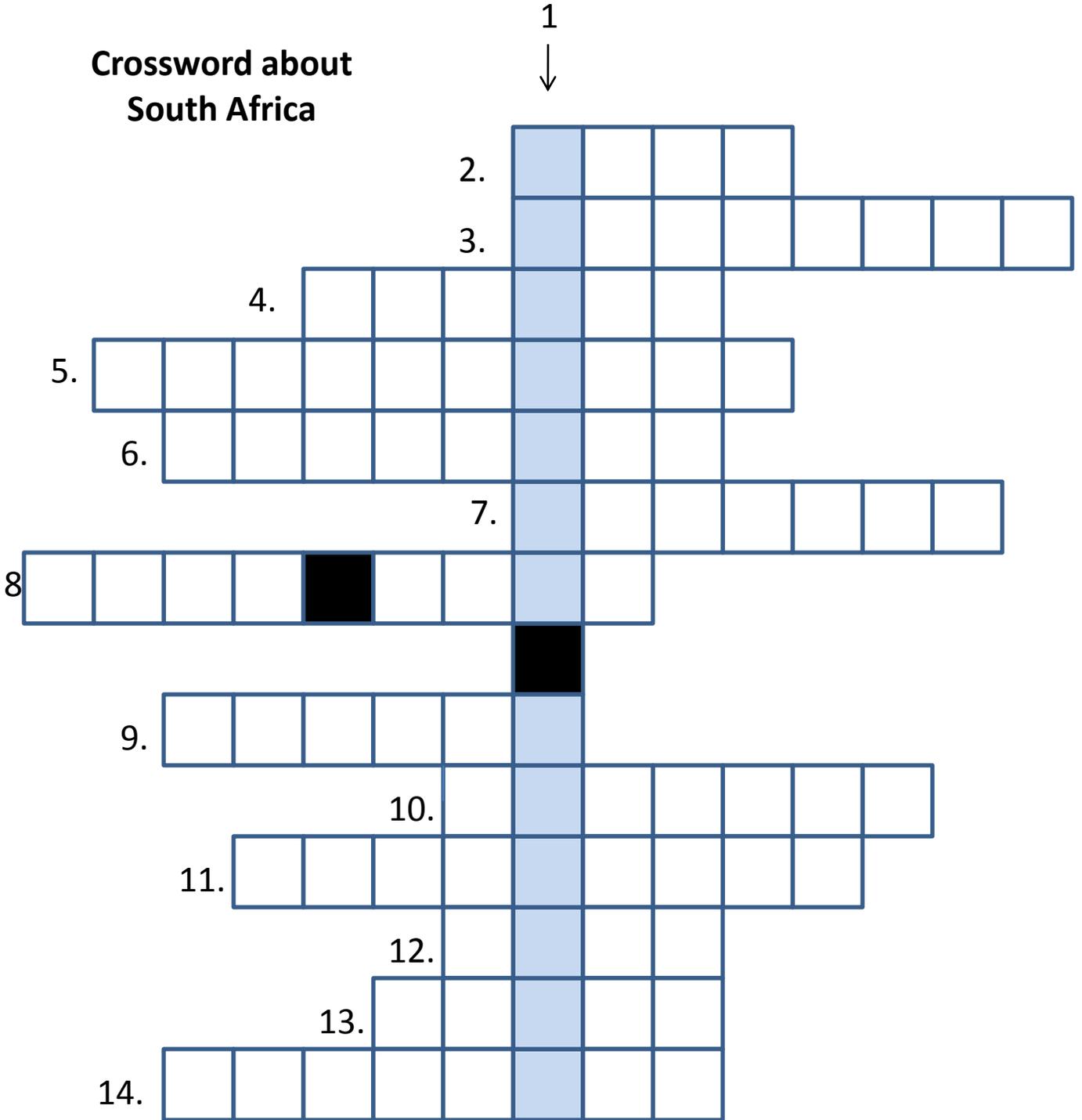
In 1994, after many years of apartheid, the first election for people of all colors and ethnicities was held. Nelson Mandela became president, and after that, people started to call South Africa "The Rainbow Nation".

What the 9th graders have done in school

First they read about South Africa and did some hand outs. Then they wrote an essay where they were supposed to write down some useful information to someone who has never been abroad and wants to go to South Africa. The second assignment was to find a news article about South Africa, then present it to the class. After that they were supposed to find two activities or places in South Africa that are suitable for a family of two parents, a 2-year old boy and a 16-year old girl. As an example, one of the activities was an ostrich farm.

By: Suzanne, Clara and Leon.

Crossword about South Africa



1. What people call South Africa.
2. Their currency.
3. To go on safari is an ...
4. The season that lasts Sept-Nov.
5. What they called the Dutch.
6. Something that fits a situation.
7. A big bird that can't fly.
8. The capital.

9. They have ... official languages.
10. The first black president.
11. The law that separated people of different colors.
12. The king of the savannah.
13. One of the first tribes.
14. Where most South African animals live.

Hellasgården

The 1st to the 3rd grade went to Hellasgården which is a forest outside of Stockholm. We interviewed Yunus and Alia from the 1st grade and Rama and Martin from the 2nd grade.

What is Hellasgården?

- It's a forest park.

What did you do there?

- We looked for things in the nature for example sticks, cones, mushrooms, anthills and amanitas. Amanita is like a mushroom which is red with white dots but it is poisonous. We found a very big anthill. We smelled the oxid from the ants and it was horrible. We saw a snake among the trees. It was long and green and really scary. The teachers brought food for us from the school so we ate in the forest. We did nature activities and we were in a group with four pupils and we got an assignment. We were supposed to find different things in the nature like leaves and flowers. It was really interesting and fun.

For how long were you there?

- We were there for four hours.

How was it?

- It was incredibly funny. At the end of the day we did different activities like the Sun dance which is when you spin around in the grass. The weather was very cold but when we did the activities we got warm.

How did you get there?

- We took the subway to Slussen and then the bus and after that we walked a little bit to the forest.

By: Nesrin and Angelina



Election 2014

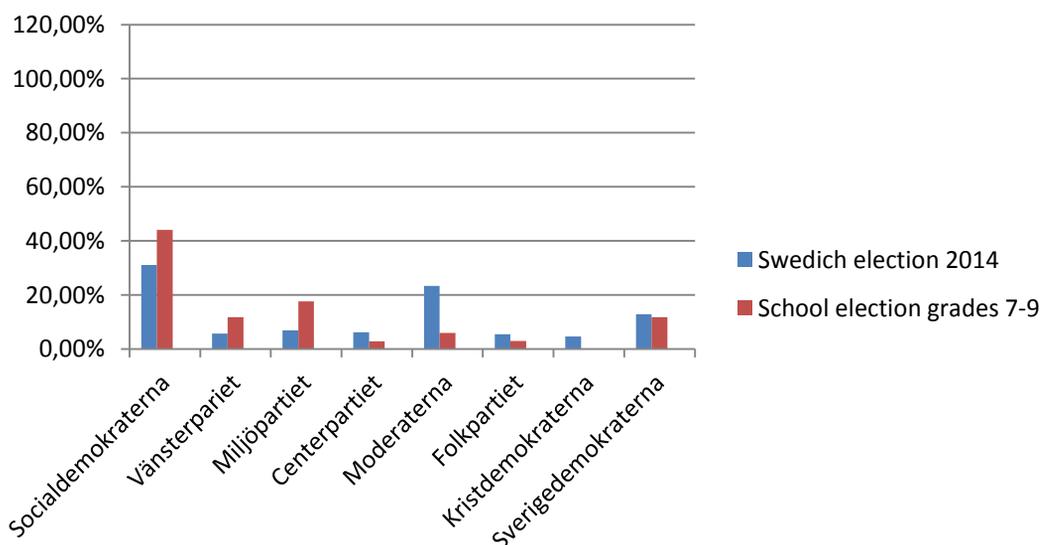
On the 16th of September, all the Swedish votes were counted. The final result showed that Socialdemokraterna had won. They got 31.1% of the votes. A total of 85.81% of the citizens in Sweden voted in this election. The next election will be held in 2018.

Socialdemokraterna is a Swedish part and on their webpage it says;

“Swedish politics has to be about the future, the society we want to create and not the things we have already built. We shall be the political force that solve the big challenges that Sweden face today. Therefore Socialdemokraterna is the part that stands for the future in Swedish politics. We have a vision for the future. Everyone should be able to live a better life, feel freedom and have belief in the future.”

The leader of Socialdemokraterna is Stefan Löfven. He is now taking over after Fredrik Reinfeldt as the Swedish prime minister. Socialdemokraterna is cooperating Miljöpartiet. Their opinion is similar, and that's why they work together. The other parties are a part of Alliansen -the allied- and Sverigedemokraterna. Moderaterna, Kristdemokraterna, Folkpartiet and Centerpartiet work together and creates Alliansen. Sverigedemokraterna is almost on their own because the others don't want to cooperate with them for their racist policy, still they managed to get more than 12% of the votes.

By: Johanna



The school election

During the actual election in Sweden, English School Kungsholmen also had a school election.

It was held for the first time in our school. There were pupils from 1st- 3rd grade that made various political parties ,that the pupils got to vote for.

The political part called Happy won the school election.

This is the interview with Viktor and Ryan from 3rd grade, Mohammed, Martin , Maja and Yafet from 2nd grade and Oskar, Injy, Emmanaella and Aduro from 1st grade.

What did you do during the election week and how did come up with the parties?

We were divided into various groups, did different posters, got to design what our various political parties were going to stand for and got to learn about the real political parties.

Was it fun/did you enjoy it and why ?

It was really fun and interesting to learn about different parties and actually make our own parties. We enjoyed making the posters.

Would you want another party to win than the party that won?

Yes!! We think it's unfair because the Happy party said they would arrange a party if they won for every one in the pre school and that's why every one voted for them, but they didn't even have a party, so they lied. We would like any other part but the Happy party to have won.

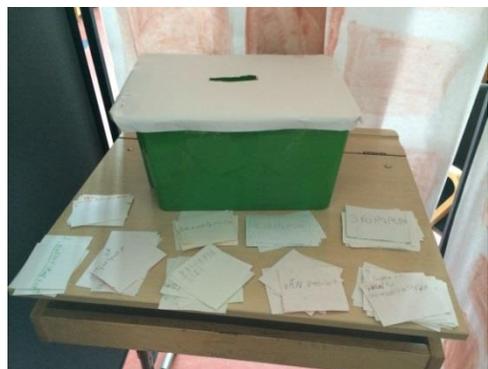
Would you like to have an election every year? Should the winning part get to decide something in our school?

Everybody but three pupils would like to have the school election every year and the other three would rather have it every election year. The winning part should have some power but nothing that demands too much work.

Are you satisfied about the political parties that won the real election?

It was ok, better than Sverigedemokraterna but we wanted Miljöpartiet to win.

The 7th - 9th graders got to try out how it was to vote. They voted for the official Swedish parties. The election was held in the library where the 6th graders were in charge of the voting place and they also counted the votes. When you voted, you did it in a small booth. It was really fun but hard to choose a party that fulfill all the demands we have. 39 pupils participated in the school election.



By: Chanel

Photo by: Daniel Kashefi

Kick off

The whole school went to Kristinebergsparken, the 9th graders were in charge of making activities for the pre-schoolers up to the 8th graders.

There were 12 stations with different activities. The classes were split into mixed groups. The 9th graders had the opportunity to choose what the younger children would do. There were one or two 9th graders who were in charge at each station.

Some of the stations were Name games, Quiz, Bag jumping and Rope jumping. Some of the younger students thought it was fun, because they got to know new pupils and play different games. Other students thought it was bad because they had to run in the activities and walk between many stations. A few pupils favorite stations were the Quiz and the Name game.

By: Natali & Naemi

Photo by: Helen Karlsson



Teacher from Germany

Anne Prehtel, 36, is the new German teacher here at the school.

She was born on October 9th in 1978, in the town of Leipzig, in the state of Sachsen, in eastern Germany. She grew up in Leipzig together with her parents. She says that she really likes Leipzig and that it's a beautiful town. She moved to Stockholm, Sweden in the middle of September through Comenius. Comenius is a programme that lets teachers from different countries move to, and work in other countries.

Anne, who's a member of the Comenius programme, got the opportunity to teach German at our school. She started working here a few weeks ago.

Anne says that she really enjoys teaching here at our school and that she's glad she took this opportunity.

In the interview she replied that she doesn't know what she likes the most about Sweden. She says that she likes many things, even though she doesn't know so much stuff about Sweden, Stockholm is what she likes the most. According to her, it's a beautiful city that everyone should visit at some point of their lives. She lives by herself in Stockholm though her sister lives here as well. She does not have a soulmate, any kids or pets.

She hasn't taught anything else than German through Comenius as a main teacher, but she has practised teaching other subjects together with the ordinary teacher. As an example, she has taught 3rd grade English at our school.

By Leon



Canteen

A lot has changed in the school canteen, a big new kitchen is going to be built and bigger dining rooms to support a higher capacity of students.

The interior of the canteen will be renovated and there is going to be new furniture. We serve the well-prepared and healthy food ourselves on disposable plates. It's a good environment in the canteen to enjoy the meal. The food is prepared in Farsta college and is delivered by trucks.

The school lunch menu this week looks like this. There are two dishes to choose from and one is vegetarian.

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Monday, September 29th

Baked Falukorv with mashed potatoes

Baked Soy sausage with mashed potatoes

Tuesday, September 30th

Parmesan baked cod fillet with boiled potatoes

Vegetable stew with boiled potatoes

Wednesday, October 1st

Corn baked chicken with tomato sauce & roasted potatoes

Quorn in creamy paprika sauce with pasta

Thursday, October 2nd

Beef burger with onion gravy and boiled potatoes

Celery beef with onion & bean ragu with boiled potatoes

Friday, October 3rd

Shredded beef in hot couscous salad

Tofu in hot couscous salad

Text & photo by: Rasul



Theater

The 9th graders visited a really special theater. There was only one class from our school but pupils from other schools attended the theater as well. There were four actors that performed on the stage and they were from various parts of the world. One was from Germany and the others were from Sweden, Kosovo and Spain/Albania. The play was about the life of Per who is an immigrant from Kosovo, trying to flee his dangerous country. His adventure involves both happiness and sorrow. The theater is called the Blue house and it's located in Tensta centrum. It takes 30 minutes from our school to get there.

By: Alex

Funny picture

On Thursday and Friday last week a photographer came to our school.

The photographer took pictures of all of the classes, students and teachers. Then the photographer took a funny picture of our class because we're the 9th graders and in Sweden we have a tradition, that the 9th graders dress up really funny and then a photographer takes a picture of them. It is called spexfoto. The majority of the schools in Sweden take this photo. It's supposed to be a funny memory from the last year in school. In America they have a year book but in Sweden students have this picture instead, one picture instead of a whole book. Everyone get to pick by themselves what they believe will fit them best. This is a great memory to look back at and maybe show our children.



By: Diana

Photo by: Leona

14 years later

Malmö FF did something unexpected and got a Swedish team to the Champions League group stage for the first time in 14 years.

After the final score in the qualification, they lost against Red Bull Salzburg 2-1 at their home field and won 3-0 in Malmö.

Malmö FF is a club from the southern part of Sweden and the colour of their kit is skyblue and white. The club was formed in 1910. Malmö has won the Swedish championship 20 times, in Swedish it is called Allsvenskan.

Malmö FF got around 180 million Swedish Kr from UEFA because they qualified to the group stage in Champions League. The club also got at least 100 million from TV - money since they are the only team from Scandinavia which has made it to the Champions League.

By: Manpreet