



## Consent

My texts that I write in school during the period 20\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_ 20\_\_ may be used in the *Swedish Learner Language Database (SweLL)* – a database of texts on a digital platform for Swedish as a second language.

### Information about SweLL

*A digital collection of texts in Swedish as a second language*

We are constructing a digital collection of texts written in Swedish by people for whom Swedish is not their native language. The texts will be on different levels, from beginner to advanced. They will be written by individuals who speak a variety of different languages, and are of different ages, etc.

### *Personal Information*

We will be linking certain personal information to your texts, including age, native language, gender, educational background, time spent in Sweden and knowledge in other languages. We are doing this in order to develop and improve the instruction in Swedish as a second language and to be able to understand the process of language learning taking such factors as native language, level of education, age and knowledge in other languages into consideration.

### *Management of personal information*

In SweLL, we follow established ethical rules:

1. Your participation is entirely voluntary. You can opt out of your continued involvement whenever you want, without the need to provide any explanation.
2. We will not disclose your name. We will remove personal information from the texts.

### *Who will be able to use the collection of digital texts/database*

The intention is that teachers, students, researchers and other interested parties will be able to find texts at different levels in the digital corpus via [spraakbanken.gu.se](https://spraakbanken.gu.se) (under the Creative Commons CC-BY License or alternatively CLARIN Res\_Priv)

Thank you for your participation in our project by providing your texts!

### Date, name and signature:

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