

SEK International Schools Grants. Academic Year 2019-2020

SEK EXCELLENCE GRANTS

SEK GRANTS FOR SPORT

SEK INTERNATIONAL SPORTS ACADEMY GRANT

SEK MARIA DE VILLOTA GRANT FOR PERSONAL EFFORT

SEK FELIPE SEGOVIA STUDENT AWARD

The SEK Educational Institution via the Fundación Felipe Segovia is accepting applications for:

SEK EXCELLENCE GRANTS to study courses of the **Diploma Program (IB)**, in one of its authorised centres:

- SEK International School of Ciudadcampo. Madrid.
- SEK International School of El Castillo. Madrid.
- SEK International School of Catalunya. Barcelona.
- SEK International School of Alborán. Almería.
- SEK International School of Atlántico. Pontevedra
- SEK International School of Qatar. Doha

SEK GRANTS FOR SPORT for students with a good sports curriculum to study **at Primary, Secondary or Baccalaureate level** and continue their sports training at the SEK El Castillo and SEK Ciudadcampo International Schools.

SEK INTERNATIONAL SPORTS ACADEMY GRANTS for students with the best sporting and academic record for this program imparted at the SEK El Castillo International School and which stands out for its ethics in sport.

MARIA DE VILLOTA GRANT FOR PERSONAL EFFORT to study **at the SEK Ciudadcampo International School** where María de Villota was a student.

SEK FELIPE SEGOVIA STUDENT AWARD to study the **International Baccalaureate Diploma Program (IB)**, at one of its six authorised centres:

- SEK International School of Ciudadcampo. Madrid.
- SEK International School of El Castillo. Madrid.
- SEK International School of Catalunya. Barcelona.
- SEK International School of Alborán. Almería.
- SEK International School of Atlántico. Pontevedra
- SEK International School of Qatar. Doha

Objectives of the call for applications for SEK 2019-2020 GRANTS:

Support students with the most brilliant academic records, to commence or continue their studies in a prestigious, one hundred year old Educational Institution.

Collaborate to enable young people to balance their sports skills with their academic training via a complete supervised program for sports players with outstanding performance at the SEK El Castillo and SEK Ciudadcampo International Schools, which both possess widely recognised professional experience in this field.

Develop and give value to effort, personal growth and action to benefit the community and society in general.

Who can apply for a student grant from the SEK Educational Institution and the Fundación Felipe Segovia?

SEK Excellence Grants: Students in their 4th year of Mandatory Secondary Education (ESO) or the equivalent if the student is studying under a different educational system, with an excellent academic record and outstanding personal development, who wants to extend and enrich his or her education via the International Baccalaureate Diploma Program (IB), and who fulfils the necessary requirements.

SEK Grants for Sport: Students in their 1st year of Primary Education at 2nd level of Baccalaureate or the equivalent if the student is studying under a different education system, who plays and competes in the sports of tennis, swimming, horse riding, paddle tennis or golf, which are imparted at the SEK Sports Schools (SEK El Castillo International and SEK Ciudadcampo International Schools), regardless of whether they study at SEK Schools or not, and who comply with the necessary requirements.

SEK International Sports Academy Grant: Students of the SEK EL CASTILLO INTERNATIONAL SPORTS ACADEMY Program who comply with the necessary requirements.

María de Villota Grant for personal effort: Students in SEK Mandatory Secondary Education (ESO) or the equivalent if the student is studying under a different education system, who have an excellent academic record, capacity for work, personal growth and who have developed and led initiatives that have had an impact on the community, following the example left to us by María de Villota, and who fulfil the necessary requirements.

SEK Felipe Segovia Student Award: Students in their 4th years of SEK Mandatory Secondary Education (ESO), with an excellent academic record, who want to extend and enrich their education via the International Baccalaureate Diploma Program (IB) and who best represent the values of the SEK Educational Institution and its founder, Felipe Segovia.

1.- SEK Excellence Grants

The SEK Educational Institution and the Fundación Felipe Segovia, sets out with these grants to support students in the 4th year of Mandatory Secondary Education (ESO) or the equivalent if the student is studying under a different education system, with an excellent academic and personal profile, to study the International Baccalaureate Diploma Program at an authorised SEK School.

Requirements

1. The student should have completed the 4th year of Mandatory Secondary Education (ESO) or the equivalent in the academic year 2018-2019.
2. Average weighted mark of 9 points, in the 3rd year of ESO and in the first and second assessment of the 4th year of ESO or their equivalents in other education systems.
3. Students should have developed aspects of their profile that go beyond the academic sphere.

Benefits

The SEK Excellence Grants are awarded by the Grants Committee, according to the academic merits and the Personal Portfolio of each student.

100% of the cost of teaching the Diploma Program shall be covered for the two year period. . The Grants Committee may review or even completely withdraw the student's grant if any of the following circumstances arise:

- situation of debt with the SEK Educational Institution.
- significant drop in the student's academic performance.
- attitudes that do not match the values of the SEK Educational Institution. (Coexistence, academic honesty, capacity for effort, personal growth, etc.)

There will be two reviews every year for this purpose: one in the first fortnight of January and another in the first fortnight of April. Only one notification shall be issued in those situations in which the conditions of the grant have changed.

Documents

- Duly completed printed copy of the application for the SEK Excellence Grant, which can be obtained at the Secretary's Office of the SEK Schools or downloaded from the website www.sek.es
- Academic certificate of the 3rd year of ESO or the equivalent if the student is studying under another system and the marks for the first and second evaluation of the 4th year of ESO or the equivalent, **issued by the centre**.
- A complete **Personal Portfolio** of the student, which should include:
 - Personal letter in which the student explains his or her reasons for applying for the grant and for studying the Diploma Program at the SEK Schools.
 - Curriculum Vitae: Languages, courses studied, extra-curricular activities, volunteer work, hobbies, etc.
 - At least two Letters of Recommendation from teachers and/or supervisors of school and/or extra-curricular activities, which make reference to the student's personal profile.

- SEK students that apply should present the documents in person or by registered mail to the Secretary's Office of the SEK School selected by the student, **before 5 April 2019**.
- Students from other centres should send the scanned documents to the following e-mail address: becas@sek.es **before 5 April 2019**.

Extension of the grant

Maintaining the grant for the two years of the Diploma Program shall be subject to compliance with the requirements and conditions of the award, both in terms of academic output and personal performance.

Decision

The decision of the Grants Committee shall be given in writing to students that have obtained the grant offered by this notification before **17 May 2019**.

The decision of the Grants Committee is final.

2.- SEK GRANTS FOR SPORT

With these grants, the SEK Educational Institution and the Fundación Felipe Segovia set out to recognise the effort of students from the 1st year of Primary Education to the 2nd year of the Baccalaureate with an outstanding sports curriculum, to commence or continue with their education at a SEK International School in Spain that has a SEK Sports School specialising in the sport played by the student.

For the academic year 2018-2019, the Sports Schools of the SEK Club associated with the SEK El Castillo International School are: Tennis, Horse Riding, Paddle Tennis, Swimming and Golf.

For the academic year 2018-2019, the Sport Schools of the SEK Club associated with the SEK El Cuidalcampo International School is Tennis.

Requirements

- Hold a currently valid federation licence and demonstrate participation in competitions in the year before the application for the grant via a Federation certificate.
- Comply with the sports criteria established for each sport.
- Demonstrate level or ranking via a certificate issued by the Federation.
- Have an adequate academic record.
- Possess a profile indicating a high level of sporting ethics and personal development, validated by the teaching and management team of the school

Benefits

Each SEK Grant for Sport shall be awarded by the Grants Committee, depending on the sporting merits and Personal Portfolio of the applicant.

Two grants per sport shall be awarded, one of 50% and another of 30%, both of can be applied to the cost of the sports activity, whenever there are two candidates that comply with the criteria established in the conditions. A further 25% shall be provided for teaching costs.

For students studying the SEK International Sports Academy program, a fixed amount shall be awarded that is determined by the Grants Committee according to the category and classification obtained.

The Grants Committee may review the amounts awarded or even completely withdraw the student's grant if any of the following circumstances arise:

- situation of debt with the SEK Educational Institution.
- significant drop in academic performance.
- attitudes that do not match the values of the SEK Educational Institution. (Coexistence, academic honesty, sporting ethics, capacity for effort, personal growth, etc.)

There will be two reviews every years for this purpose: one in the first fortnight of January 2019 and another in the first fortnight of April 2019. Only one notification shall be issued in those situations in which the conditions of the grant have changed.

Documents

- Duly completed printed copy of the application for the SEK Grant for Sport, which can be obtained at the Secretary's Office of the SEK Schools or downloaded from the website www.sek.es
- Academic certification of completed studies.
- Documents that prove the student's participation and situation with regard to the sport for which the grant

is requested.

A complete **Personal Portfolio** of the student, which should include:

- Letter in which the student explains his or her reasons for applying for the grant and for studying at the SEK El Castillo or SEK Ciudalcampo School.
- Sports Curriculum.
- Curriculum Vitae: Languages, courses, extra-curricular activities, volunteer work, hobbies, etc.
- At least two Letters of Recommendation from teachers and/or trainers which make reference to the student's personal and sporting profile.

SPORTS CRITERIA

PADDLE TENNIS

- **1st criterion - Position in ranking:**

Students classified between 1st and 15th in the RSPF ranking may opt for the first grant of 50% for sports activities and 25% of teaching costs.

Students classified between 1st and 15th of any of the ranking categories of the Territorial Federation may opt for the second grant of 30% of costs for sports activities and 25% of teaching costs.

If several students are found to have an identical score in the first criterion, the second criterion is evaluated.

- **2nd criterion – Sports curriculum:**

The number of times a student has participated at international competitive level shall be assessed first, then at national level and finally regional.

Tennis

1st criterion - Position in ranking and sports curriculum:

Grant Type	Categories up to Under-16 Cadet (15-16), Youth (13-14) and Novice (11-12)	Under-18s: Junior (17-18)
First grant of for sports activities and 25% of teaching costs.	Provincial Ranking < 15 Quarter finalist of Regional Classification in Spanish Championship	RSTF Ranking < 250 Dispute the Spanish Under-18 Championship Final Phase or be a semifinalist in the Regional Phase
Second grant of 30% for sports activities and 25% of teaching costs.	Provincial Ranking < 25 Dispute classification of Regional Championship Spanish Championship	RSTF Ranking < 300 Quarter finalist in the Regional Phase of the Under-18 Spanish Championship

Swimming

1st criterion – Based on best score/trial (according to table of scores/grants) given by student. According to the above, students can give a maximum of four scores/trials from which only the best one shall be used in line with the table.

MENS													
GRANT ACCORDING TO STUDENT CATEGORY (STUDENT'S AGE) BOYS					50	100	200	400	800	1500	50	100	
1999-					24.13	54.15	1.57.7	4.14.0	8.41.9	16.45.	27.75	59.96	
1999-	2000-				24.79	55.61	2.00.9	4.20.9	8.56.0	17.12.	28.50	1.01.5	
	2000-	2001-			25.14	56.41	2.02.6	4.24.6	9.03.7	17.27.	28.90	1.02.4	
		2001-	2002-		25.52	57.25	2.04.4	4.28.6	9.11.8	17.43.	29.34	1.03.3	
			2002-	2003-	26.00	59.10	2.08.5	4.37.2	9.29.6	18.17.	30.28	1.05.4	
				2003-	26.70	59.89	2.11.9	4.43.7	9.40.5	18.50.	30.98	1.07.6	
GRANT ACCORDING TO STUDENT CATEGORY (STUDENT'S AGE) BOYS					200	50	100	200	50	100	200	200	400
1999-					2.09.2	31.62	1.07.4	2.26.6	25.89	57.51	2.08.7	2.11.6	4.41.1
1999-	2000-				2.12.6	32.07	1.09.3	2.30.5	26.59	59.06	2.12.2	2.15.1	4.49.1
	2000-	2001-			2.14.5	32.55	1.11.9	2.32.7	26.97	59.91	2.14.0	2.17.0	4.53.2
		2001-	2002-		2.16.6	33.60	1.12.8	2.35.0	27.37	1.00.8	2.16.1	2.19.1	4.57.6
			2002-	2003-	2.21.0	34.80	1.14.2	2.40.0	28.26	1.02.7	2.20.4	2.23.6	5.07.2
				2003-	2.23.8	35.70	1.15.4	2.46.4	28.98	1.03.8	2.27.3	2.27.8	5.12.4

WOMENS													
GRANT ACCORDING TO STUDENT CATEGORY (STUDENT'S AGE) GIRLS					50	100	200	400	800	1500	50	100	200
1999-					28.13	1.01.73	2.13.9	4.45.5	9.45.53	18.30.3	32.08	1.08.9	2.27.0
1999-	2000-				28.53	1.02.61	2.15.8	4.47.5	9.53.90	18.46.2	32.54	1.09.8	2.29.1
	2000-	2001-			28.96	1.03.55	2.17.8	4.51.8	10.02.7	19.03.0	33.02	1.10.9	2.31.4
		2001-	2002-		29.41	1.04.54	2.20.0	4.56.4	10.12.1	19.20.9	33.54	1.12.0	2.33.7
			2002-	2003-	29.89	1.05.60	2.22.3	5.01.3	10.22.2	19.39.9	34.09	1.13.2	2.36.3
				2003-	30.96	1.07.94	2.27.4	5.12.0	10.44.4	20.22.1	35.31	1.15.8	2.41.8
GRANT ACCORDING TO STUDENT CATEGORY (STUDENT'S AGE) GIRLS					50	100	200	50	100	200	200	400	
1999-					34.95	1.16.29	2.44.9	29.72	1.06.37	2.24.92	2.29.5	5.18.2	
1999-	2000-				35.45	1.17.38	2.47.2	30.14	1.07.31	2.26.48	2.31.7	5.22.3	
	2000-	2001-			35.98	1.18.54	2.49.7	30.59	1.08.32	2.28.67	2.33.9	5.27.6	
		2001-	2002-		36.54	1.19.76	2.52.4	31.07	1.09.39	2.30.99	2.36.3	5.32.7	
			2002-	2003-	37.14	1.21.07	2.55.2	31.58	1.10.53	2.33.47	2.38.9	5.38.2	
				2003-	38.47	1.23.97	3.01.5	32.71	1.13.05	2.38.95	2.44.6	5.50.2	

2nd criterion – Sports curriculum – The results at international level shall firstly be assessed, followed by those from the national and then regional levels.

Golf

1st criterion - Position in ranking:

If the candidate is between position 1 and 30 of the national ranking, he or she may opt for the first grant of 50% for sports activities and 25% of teaching costs.

If the candidate is between position 30 and 50 of the national ranking, he or she may opt for the second grant of 30% for sports activities and 25% of teaching costs.

2nd criterion – Sports curriculum:

The number of times a student has participated at international competitive level shall be assessed first, then at national level and finally regional.

Horsemanship

1st criterion - Position in ranking:

If the candidate has obtained a gold medal in the Spanish Championship (A,B,C and D) in Jumping, Dressage and Eventing in of the categories: Novice, Youth or Cadet level, he or she may opt for the first grant of 50% for sports activities and 25% of teaching costs.

If the candidate has obtained a silver or bronze medal in the Spanish Championship (A,B,C and D) in Jumping, Dressage and Eventing in of the categories: Novice, Youth or Cadet level, he or she may opt for the first grant of 30% for sports activities and 25% of teaching costs.

2nd criterion – Sports curriculum:

The first assessment shall be of the number of gold, silver or bronze medals and then the number of participations in National Events such as the Infanta Elena, trofeo Pony Club de España and Trofeo Príncipe de Asturias.

SEK students should present the document in person or by registered mail to Secretary's Office of the SEK El Castillo or SEK Ciudalcampo Schools, before **5 April 2019**.

Students from other centres should send the scanned documents to: becas@sek.es, before **5 April 2019**.

Student's obligations

- Participate in championships and tournaments of interest to the sports player and to the SEK Educational Institution and the SEK Club, always using the sports material provided by the SEK Sports Schools.
- Participate in the Spanish Championship if the student is classified and is regarded as suitable by the SEK Educational Institution.
- Promote and represent the SEK Educational Institution in local, national and international events that the Institution considers to be of interest.
- Present a report at the end of each season with all the activities and achievements .
- Be licensed, and if student is already licensed, be registered for the following season by the corresponding SEK Club.
- Sign a declaration of Responsibility and Acceptance, in which the student assumes the commitment to be an example in terms of applying values in sport, showing a good attitude, efforts and comradeship.

Extension of the grants

These grants have an extension of one academic year. To obtain the grant, it is necessary to comply every year with all the requirements of the Grant Conditions of the corresponding year.

Decision

The decision of the Grants Committee shall be given in writing to students that have obtained the grant offered by this notification before **17 May 2019**.

The decision of the Grants Committee is final.

3.- SEK INTERNATIONAL SPORTS ACADEMY GRANT

With this grant, the SEK Educational Institution via the Fundación Felipe Segovia, sets out to recognise the effort of a student that forms part of the SEK International Sports Academy program of the SEK El Castillo school for his or her outstanding profile in academic, personal and sporting terms. The student should stand out for his or her ethical standards in sports.

Requirements

- Completed ESO or 1st year of Baccalaureate in the 2018-2019 academic year.
- Studied in a SEK school for at least one academic year.
- Have an average weighted score of 8 points in the previous year and in the first and second assessment of the current one.
- Hold a currently valid federation licence and demonstrate participation in competitions in the year before the application for the grant via a Federation certificate.
- Comply with the sports criteria established for each sport.
- Demonstrate level or ranking via a certificate issued by the Federation.

Benefits

The grant is awarded by the Grants Committee, according to the academic merits and the Personal Portfolio of each student.

9,000€ a year shall be awarded.

The Grants Committee may review or even completely withdraw the student's grant if any of the following circumstances arise:

- situation of debt with the SEK Educational Institution.
- significant drop in the student's academic performance.
- attitudes that do not match the values of the SEK Educational Institution. (Coexistence, academic honesty, capacity for effort, personal growth, etc.)

There will be two reviews every year for this purpose: one in the first fortnight of January 2019 and another in the first fortnight of April 2018. Only one notification shall be issued in those situations in which the conditions of the grant have changed.

Documents

- Duly completed printed application form of the SEK International Sports Academy Grant, which can be obtained at the Secretary's Office of the SEK El Castillo International School or downloaded from the website www.sek.es
- Academic certification of completed studies.
- Documents demonstrating participation and current situation in sports.
- A complete **Personal Portfolio** of the student, which should include:
 - Personal letter in which the student gives his or her reasons for applying for the grant.
 - Sports Curriculum.

- Curriculum Vitae: Languages, courses, extra-curricular activities, volunteer work, hobbies, etc.
- At least two Letters of Recommendation from teachers and/or trainers which make reference to the student's sporting and academic profile and to his or her personal ethical values.

SEK students that apply should present the documents in person or by registered mail to the Secretary's Office of the SEK Cuidalcampo School, **before 5 April 2019**.

SEK students should present the document in person or by registered mail to Secretary's Office of the SEK El Castillo, before **5 April 2019**.

Extension of the grant

This grant has an extension of one academic year. To obtain the grant, it is necessary to comply every year with all the requirements of the Grant Conditions of the corresponding year.

Decision

The decision of the Grants Committee shall be given in writing to students that have obtained the grant offered by this notification before **17 May 2019**.

The decision of the Grants Committee is final.

4.- SEK MARIA DE VILLOTA GRANT FOR PERSONAL EFFORT

With this grant, the SEK Educational Institution and the Fundación Felipe Segovia sets out to recognise and support students who have an excellent academic and personal record, in which social commitment to the community is a notable feature, following the example left us by dejado María de Villota, and we want to study ESO, the International Baccalaureate Diploma Program at the SEK Ciudadcampo School where she studied.

Requirements

The student should have completed the 2nd, 3rd or 4th year of Mandatory Secondary Education (ESO) or the equivalent in the academic year 2016-2017.

Average weighted mark of 9 points, in the 1st, 2nd or 3rd year of ESO and in the first and second assessment of the 2nd, 3rd or 4th year of ESO or their equivalents in other education systems.

Present evidence of their personal profile as described below in Documents.

Benefits

The María de Villota Grant for Personal Effort shall be granted by the Grants Committee along with the Director of the SEK Ciudadcampo International School and a representative of the Villota family, according to the student's academic merits and the Personal Portfolio.

The grant shall cover **100% of the teaching costs**.

The Committee for this Grant may review or even completely withdraw the student's grant if any of the following circumstances arise:

- situation of debt with the SEK Educational Institution.
- significant drop in the student's academic performance.
- attitudes that do not match the values of the SEK Educational Institution. (Coexistence, academic honesty, capacity for effort, personal growth, etc.)

There will be two reviews for this purpose: one in the first fortnight of January 2019 and another in the first fortnight of April 2019. Only one notification shall be issued in those situations in which the conditions of the grant have changed.

Documents

Duly completed printed application form of the María de Villota Grant for Personal Effort, which can be obtained at the Secretary's Office of the SEK Ciudadcampo School or downloaded from the website www.sek.es

Academic certificate of the 1st, 2nd or 3rd year of ESO or the equivalent if the student is studying under another system and the marks for the first and second evaluation of the 2nd, 3rd or 4th year of ESO or the equivalent, **issued by the centre**.

A complete **Personal Portfolio** of the student, which should include:

- Personal letter in which the student gives his or her reasons for applying for the grant. The letter should include any aspects that are described in the application form.
- Curriculum Vitae: Languages, courses completed, extra-curricular activities, volunteering work, and service and commitment to the community that has a social impact, hobbies, etc.
- At least two Letters of Recommendation from teachers and/or supervisors which make reference to the student's personal profile and leadership in social activities.

SEK students that apply should present the documents in person or by registered mail to the Secretary's Office of the SEK Cuidalcampo School, **before 5 April 2019**.

Students from other centres should send the scanned documents to the following e-mail address: becas@sek.es **before 5 April 2019**.

Extension of the grant

This grant has an extension of one academic year. To obtain the grant, it is necessary to comply every year with all the requirements of the Grant Conditions of the corresponding year.

Decision

The decision of the Grants Committee, the director of the SEK Cuidalcampo School and the representative of the Villota family shall be sent in writing to the student that has obtained the grant offered by this notification **before 17 May 2019**.

The decision with regard to this grant is final.

5.- SEK FELIPE SEGOVIA STUDENT AWARD

With this award, the SEK Educational Institution and the Fundación Felipe Segovia, sets out to support students in the 4th year of SEK ESO with an excellent academic and personal profile study the International Baccalaureate Diploma Program in an authorised SEK School.

Requirements

- The student should have completed the 4th year of Mandatory Secondary Education (ESO) in the academic year 2018-2019.
- Studied in a SEK school for at least seven academic years without interruption.
- Have an average weighted mark of 9 points, in the 3rd year of ESO and in the first and second assessment of the 4th year of ESO.

Benefits

The grant shall be awarded by the Board of Trustees of the Fundación Felipe Segovia, according to the score of the students selected for the SEK Excellence grants.

The grant shall cover **100% of the teaching costs of the Diploma Program, plus 100% of the costs of the following Additional Services:** Dining Service, Travel and Residence Service where applicable.

The Board of Trustees may review or even completely withdraw the student's grant if any of the following circumstances arise:

- situation of debt with the SEK Educational Institution.
- significant drop in the student's academic performance.
- attitudes that do not match the values of the SEK Educational Institution. (Coexistence, academic honesty, capacity for effort, personal growth, etc.)

There will be two reviews every years for this purpose: one in the first fortnight of January and another in the first fortnight of April. Only one notification shall be issued in those situations in which the conditions of the grant have changed.

Documents

Applicants should submit the documents required for the SEK Excellence Grants before the deadlines established for them, and should specify if they wish to win this award and give their reasons for deserving recognition such as this in their personal letter.

Student's obligations

Represent the students of the SEK schools in any institutional and/or school event that might be required.

Decision

The decision of the Board of Trustees shall be sent in writing to the student that has obtained the award offered by this notification **before 17 May 2019.**

The Board of Trustee's decision is final.