

ERASMUS + MOBILITY

Job Shadowing in Oldenburg

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- **HELEN-LANGE SCHULE**

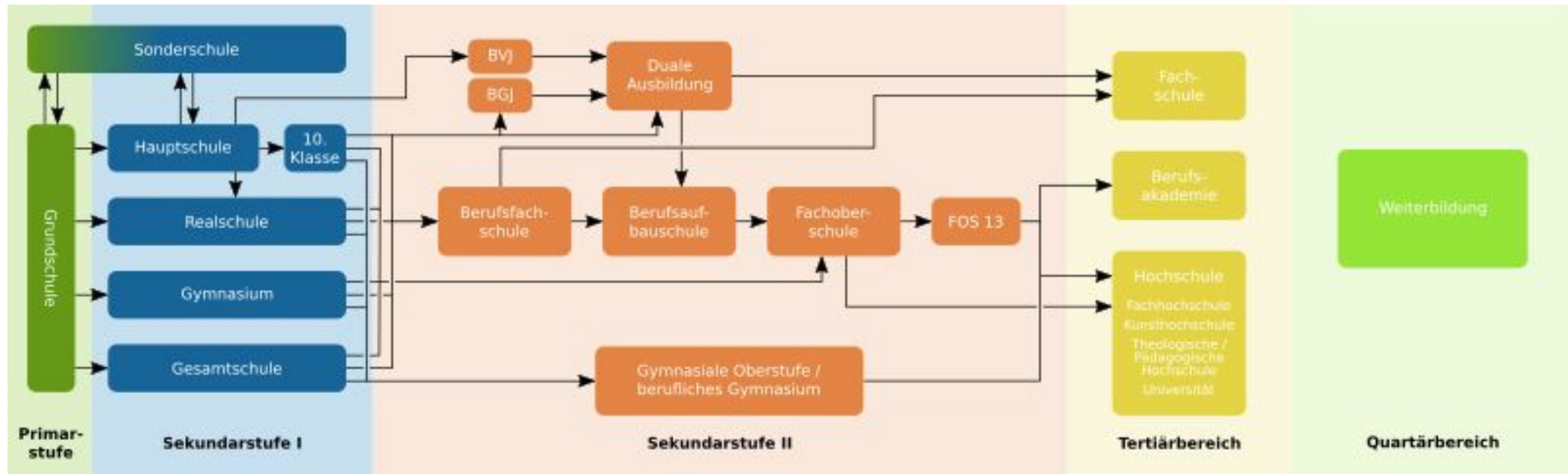
Oldenburg (Germany)

This school is located in northern Germany, is what they call a “Gesamtschule”

As shown in the later diagram, there are 3 kinds of secondary schools in Germany. “Gesamtschule” is like a combination of the other two types, and so it present itself more inclusive.



German educational system



- We can see above, the three kind of secondary school: *Realschule*, *Gesamtschule* and *Gymnasium*. Students attending to the first are more inclined to continue studies relationed with labors and work skills; students who attend a *Gymnasium* may have in mind continue their studies at the University. The *Gesamtschule* school combine both processes and so is more inclusive by hosting students of all kind, skills and abilities.

Purpose of the mobility and tasks during it

- Purpose:

- Observation of general functioning of an Standard German High School
 - Special focusing on Science classes and Managing of the school.



- Tasks during the staying:

- Obtain general information of the German educational system, through personal interviews with teachers, students and members of the Managing Team.
- Observe concrete abilities and skills of teachers, in order to interchange positive experiences in teaching.
- Detect new ideas to be implanted in our school related to the use of spaces and commodities.

Relevant aspects observed:

- There's a significant difference on how students are organized in classrooms. A groupments bases on little groups is commonly used.
- Equipment and materials are vast and obviously more completed than the ones present in our school.
- Students show themselves more active and integrated in the class.
- At all levels, the school describe an important sensibility towards sustainability and



Unit implementation and know-how transmitting.

- In the purpose of improving our teaching System, most of the positive aspects discovered in the German system would be translated to our own school.
- Inspired by the environmental care observed in the *Helen-Lange Schule* we would like to implement an PBL.



