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Presenter:

The fight for getting elected into the European Parliament has started. This item shows how politicians try to get the votes from the young voters in Denmark

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0'02

Poul Nyrup Rasmussen
former primeminister in Denmark
0'16

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student
0'37-0'39

Eran Ben-Ami
student
0'42

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0'49

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1'04

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former primeminister in Denmark
2'04

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Translation

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The former prime minister got a nice welcome, when he was guest at Kolding Gymnasium. Poul Nyrup Rasmussen is trying to make the young people interested in the future European Union election on the 13th June this year.

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- If you want to control your life in the future, you have to look further than just in this city. You also have to look at Denmark and you have to look out at the world, and think about your interests everywhere

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The students at the gymnasium have worked with subjects regarding the Union before the visit to try to engage them more

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- I really don't know that much about the Union

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- Are you interested in that subject?

- I have to be interested, don't I? It will be of big relevance in the future, and I have to make my opinion about that sometimes

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- I think, the Union is a good thing. We'll get stronger compared to USA, and that is good because they are so strong, that they were able to get in power of the whole world

1'02

- Why doesn't it interest you?

- I really don't know. It's just not anything for me. Perhaps my interest will get better, when I turn 18 and will be able to vote....

1'14

The young people get lots of information. Everybody wants to let him or her know, that his or her opinion is very important. Poul Nyrup Rasmussen wants the young ones to sort in the number of information

1'24

- You could look at it like this: You have fun things, which do not appeal to your reflection. And then you have things, which really should give you the time to make you clever. And you should choose yourself, how much time you would like to spend on each part

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Of course you can enjoy life with the football match and with videos. But at sight you have to do more thinking

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The young Danes are very difficult to get into politics

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- If you only have an interest for the local stuff and Denmark, then you risk getting behind. You have to learn, that democracy should be developed both here, in Denmark and all over the world