

Partner University:	Tomas Bata University in Zlín
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Course	Code	Semester	Subject area	Course content	Home subject	Code	Semester
ENGLISH							
Phonetics and Phonology	E1KOF	autumn	primary, kindergarten	Phonetics and phonology. English phones, phonemes and allophones. Articulatory and perceptive categories of phonemes. International Phonetic Alphabet and rules of phonemic transcription. English monophthongs, diphthongs and triphthongs. English consonants. Phonemic comparison with Czech. Structure and function of a syllable. Suprasegmental phenomena of English: accent, weak forms, reduction; linking, rhythm. Intonation - structure of a tone unit, intonation functions. Pronunciation varieties of English (BBC English, Standard American), pronunciation of non-native speakers.	Phonetics, Pronunciation Development	KIDE01B03	III
Practical English 1	E1JC1	autumn	primary, kindergarten	The purpose and content of this course is to refine and enhance students' current skill set. To do so, the course will explore certain practical topics while at the same time honing grammar, vocabulary, pronunciation and listening skills. The course also includes explanations, exercising and using grammar units such as: - an overview of advanced English grammar and vocabulary - explanations, practice and free usage of grammar structures - present/past/future tenses - gerunds and infinitives as well as their usage in verb patterns - direct/indirect speech - modal verbs including their usage in the past and future. In the case of online teaching, the activities of all participants can be digitally recorded at any time			
Introduction to the Study of Language	E1STJ	autumn	primary, kindergarten	Linguistics, linguistic disciplines and their specifications - Origins of language - Development of writing - Language properties - Language acquisition vs. language learning - Language and the brain - Morphology - Approaches to grammar, parts of speech and their typical features - Words and Word Formation Processes - Semantics vs. Pragmatics - The 20th century European and American scholarship - The Prague Linguistic Circle			
Basics in Writing	E1ZPP	autumn	primary, kindergarten	This course will first focus on how to use internet and library resources to perform academic research. - The students will learn how to properly formulate an argument. - Students will learn the basics of paragraph construction, including the use of a topic sentence and discourse markers. - Building on the concepts learned in paragraph construction, the students will then learn the constituent parts of an academic essay, including an introduction, thesis statement, supporting paragraphs, conclusion, citations, and works cited page. - The students will write their own five page academic essay as well as several other assignments. - They will learn first hand the process of peer review, critique, and revision.			
British Studies	E1BR	autumn	primary, kindergarten	Introduction. Theories of Culture. Culture as Representation. Regional Identities and Divisions. Key Events from British History. Politics and Foreign Policy. Economy and Economics. Class and Attitudes. Colonialism and British Empire. Immigration and Minorities in the U.K. Religion.			
Practical English 2	E2JC2	spring	primary, kindergarten	The purpose and content of this course is to refine and enhance students' current skill set. To do so, the course will explore certain practical topics as well as honing grammar, vocabulary, pronunciation and listening skills. The course also includes explanations and exercises covering the chapters on advanced grammar and vocabulary, including - participle clauses, - conditionals, - passives, - comparatives and superlatives.			
Lexicology	E2LEX	spring	primary, kindergarten	Language families, Indo-European languages, position of English among world languages - English language developmen - Basic tlexicological terms - Vocabulary as a system - Relationships among words - Changes in word meanings - Word-formation processes - Multi-word expressions - Diminutives, euphemisms, dysphemisms, vulgarisms etc. - Vocabulary layers, territorial differentiation - Vocabulary layers, social differentiation - Foreign influences upon English, process of assimilation			
Presentation Skills	E2PRE	spring	primary, kindergarten				
Introduction to the Study of Literature and Film	E2ULF	spring	primary, kindergarten	Text. Intertextuality. Genre. Definition of Literature, Literary Theory, History, and Criticism. Language in Literature. Theme, Motif. Narrative. Story and Discourse; Story and Plot. Narrative Situation. Character. Representation of Consciousness in Prose. Time. Order. Structure of Drama. Space, Time and Characters in Drama. Film Narrative. Form and Style in Film. Adaptations. Film Adaptations of Literary Works. Poetry. Rhythm, Metre, Rhyme. Line, Stanza. Exam.	Contemporary Literature	KIDE04B10	IV
American Studies	E2AMR	spring	primary, kindergarten	This course will examine each of the major periods in U.S. history: - Pre-Columbian, - Colonial, - Early Republic, - Age of Jackson, - Ante-bellum, - Civil War, - Reconstruction, - Gilded Age, - Progressive Era, - Depression Era, - The Baby Boom Era, - Present. - Emphasizing the major developments and themes of each period, with the aim of defining key American characteristics that will help the student to understand why Americans think and act the way they do.			
Morphology	A3MOR	autumn	primary, kindergarten	The course Morphology covers the following topics: - Parts of speech: criteria for establishing categories - Morphology of Nouns and Determiners - Number and Countability, Case, Animacy/ Gender - Noun Phrases and their structure - Personal Pronouns, Relative Pronouns, Interrogative Pronouns - Reflexive and Reciprocal pronouns - The category A (Adjectives/ Adverbs) - Morphology of Verbs: Tense, Aspect - Active/ Passive Voice and Agreement - Auxiliaries and Modals - Auxiliaries: do, be and have			
Syntax	A4SYN	spring	primary, kindergarten	The subject covers the following topics: - Levels of analysis of a sentence (semantics, morphology, syntax, information structuring) - Subcategorization - Subjects (expletive subjects, pro-drop languages) - Objects (direct vs. indirect) - Passivization (form and function, English vs. Czech) - Negation (types of negation, unique negation vs. negative concord, scope of negation) - English sentence patterns, word order - Subordinate clauses (nominal, relative, adverbial) - Information structuring (theme/rheme, eng-weight princip)			
Stylistics	A4STY	spring	primary, kindergarten	Stylistic terminology - Stylistic differentiation of the English language - Characteristics of individual non-fiction genres (language of science, language of management, language of advertisement, language of economic documents and correspondence, language of legal communication, etc.) - Practical lexical and stylistic analysis of texts belonging to different non-fiction genres - Sociolinguistics			
OTHER							

Propaedeutics of Pedagogy	E1PPE	autumn	primary, kindergarten	The structure of education. - System of educational sciences, neighboring sciences, horizontal and vertical structures. - Goals of education, functions of educational goals. - Changes in goals of education, discrepancies in and legitimacy of educational goals. - Dimensions of education, the psychological dimension of education, the sociological dimension of education. - The didactical dimension of education, anthropological preconditions of education. - Basic concepts and categories in education. - Modes of instruction, educational strategies, methods of instruction, instructional media, educational competences. - Education and education in the Czech Republic. - The international context of education. - The historical context of education. - Alternative models of education in kindergartens. - Methodology and its position in the system of educational sciences as a basis for portfolio creation. - Transdisciplinary concept of education in contemporary Czech school	Pedagogical Psychology	KIDE06B02	III
Pedagogical Communication	E2PK	autumn	primary, kindergarten	Social contact and social communication - definition. Communication models. Themes of communication and its importance in today's society. - Description and rules of communication of a teacher-student communication as a social event. The role of communication in teaching preparation and practice. - Development of public speaking and rhetoric. Self-presentation and communicating in front of an audience. - Style a of personal expression - verbal component, non-verbal and indirect communication circumstances. - Social perception and listening. - Communication styles. - Monologue and dialogue in the classroom. - Barriers to communication. Problem communication - criticism, conflicts and unhealthy communication. - Positive communication. Criteria for mental health. - Communication skills and their development. - The organizational form of teaching in terms of communication. - Monitoring and evaluation of communication.			
Solving of Educational Situations	E4RV	spring	primary, kindergarten	Education, the educational situation - Educational issues, troubled and unruly pupil - Behaviour disorders (disorder from the perspective of psychology, special education, medical manual) - Teacher and a problem student - Disciplinary resources - Work with troubled and unruly pupils, and individuals with behavioural disorder, institutional support - The re-education process - Practical problem solving of educational situations			
Game and Its Educational Use	EK1HE	autumn	primary, kindergarten	Game theory, conception of games in historical context (history of games, game in educational theories of eminent representatives). - Peculiarities of pre-school child games, attributes and signs of games, developmental phases of games, typology of games. - Use of educational games in kindergarten. - Historical view of toys, contemporary toys. - Design of educational toy and its use in the educational process.			
Psychomotrics	E2PMO	spring	primary, kindergarten	Psychomotr skills development, aims and tasks. Personality of a child. Psychical and social development. Motor development of a child. Anatomical and physiological aspects. Characteristics of movement. Motivation. Child-parent relationships.	The Methodology of Teaching Physical Education IV	KIDE11B04	IV
Development Psychology	EP2VP	spring	primary, kindergarten	Knowledge about the general relations of human development - Prenatal development - Neonatal period - Infancy - Toddler period - Preschool age - School age - The period of adolescence - The young adulthood - The middle adulthood - The older adulthood - Early senescence - Real senescence - Death and dying			
Social Work with Family and Children at Risk	EP4PR	spring	primary, kindergarten	Family policy in the Czech Republic. - The family as a natural social environment and its functions. - Legislative definition of parental responsibilities. Solidarity between generations. - Goals and principles of child protection (individual plan for child protection). - Child protection and quality standards of social and legal protection. - Criminal responsibility of children and youth. - Educational measures. - Substitute family care (foster care versus institutional care). - Financial literacy and indebtedness of families with minor children.	The Family and Kindergarten	KIDE06B14	VI
Social Pedagogy	EP4PD	spring	primary, kindergarten	Profession of social educator - Communication in the field of social pedagogy - The school as an institution and community. - Risky behavior among youth. Pedagogical work with seniors. - Formal education and training in their free time.	Values in Society. The Practice of Critical Thinking. Professional Ethics	KIDE08B03	IV
Multicultural Education	EP5MV	autumn	primary, kindergarten	Culture (definition, anthropological and axiological conception). - Multiculturalism (origin, characteristics, in the USA, Canada, Australia and Europe). Racism (race, concept development, racism occurrence). - Migration and refugees. - Immigration and asylum policy in the Czech Republic. - Integration of immigrants according to EU. - Foreigners, minorities and media. - Minorities in the Czech Republic (Vietnamese, Ukrainians, Balkan migration). - Roma people in the Czech Republic (history and present). - Multicultural education concept.	Inclusive Education	KIDE06B13	IV
Qualitative Research Methodology	EDML	autumn/spring	primary, kindergarten				
GERMAN							
History of German-speaking Countries	D1DNZ	autumn	primary, kindergarten	Germanic tribes, Frankish Empire - High and Late Middle Ages - Reformation and German Peasant's War, Thirty Years' War - Absolutism, period of Napoleonic Wars - Restauration and Revolution, Bismarck - World War I. - Weimar Republic - World War II. - Post-bellum period, split of Germany - Development in FRG a GDR, German reunification - Test			
Phonetics and Phonology	D1FON	autumn	primary, kindergarten	Phonetics and phonology - Introduction to the Study of phonetic disciplines. - The International Phonetic Alphabet, Modes of transcription. - Sounds (vowels, diphthongs, consonants). - The sounds r, l, e, o, ch and their characteristics. - Prosody (word and sentence stress, speech rate, bond, intonation). - Pronunciation variants. - Pronunciation errors in German. - Methodology of teaching pronunciation (methods, means, resources). - Dialects in the German speaking countries. - Pronunciation of foreign words. - Final test.			
Practical German 1	D1JC1	autumn	primary, kindergarten	biography of famous people, CV writing - characteristics of a person - learning foreign languages, Foreign Languages for Europe - official Letter, personal letter - places, travelling and guides - consum, shopping - e-mail: query - Future - describing pictures - writing: critics - final test			
Practical German 2	D2JC2	spring	primary, kindergarten	occupation, job - connectors and prepositions - partner, love - nouns and adjectives - media communication - prepositions 2, reported speech - lifestyle - mobility - passive			
German Studies	D2RN1	spring	primary, kindergarten	Germany: Geography - Population, migration and mobility - National minorities - Federal Republic - overview I. - Federal Republic - overview II. - Federal Republic - overview III. - Berlin - Political system, constitutional bodies, political parties - Media - Germany and the European Union - Test			

Introduction to Literature	D2ULI	spring	primary, kindergarten	Definition of terms: literature, fiction, functions of literary work - Functions of a literary work - Editions - Interpretation of a literary work: epics - Interpretation of a literary work: drama - Interpretation of a literary work: lyrics - Overview of literary schools and tendencies - Poetics - Literature and society - Literary History - Gender Studies			
German Literature 1	N3NL1	autumn	primary, kindergarten	The culture and mythologies of the Germanic tribes - Literature and culture in the Frankish Empire - Spiritual and religious writings in the Early Middle Ages - Courtly lyrics and epic - The Nibelungenlied - Beginnings of Urban Literature - Humanism and Reformation - Baroque - Enlightenment			
Introduction to the Study of Language	N3NL1	autumn	primary, kindergarten	Linguistic disciplines, their categories and relations. - Definition of the terms of Philology and Linguistics, Basic Linguistic Terminology - Czech and German Linguistics, The Prague School of Linguistics. - The diachronous and synchronous study of languages. - The diachronous study of the German language. - The communicative Function of the language and Pragmatics - The Language Structure, Analysis of the language plans: (Phonetics, Phonology, Syntax. - The Language Structure, Analysis of the language plans: (Morphology and Lexicology. - Semantics, Pragmatics, Psycholinguistics. - The reform of German spelling.			
Austrian Studies	N3RR	autumn	primary, kindergarten	Geography - Population, migration and mobility - National minorities - Overview of federal states - Intercultural differences - Economy and global market - Austrian firms - Vienna - Political system, constitutional bodies, political parties - Media - Significant personalities of public life			
Syntax	N3SYN	autumn	primary, kindergarten	Syntax as a component of Linguistics. - The formal approach (surface syntax) and semantic (in-depth syntax). - Syntactical relationships and ways of expressing them. - Sentence structures and their standing. - Word order, actual sentence structures. - The typology of sentences. - Compound sentences, the relationship between sentences. - Complex sentences, asides. - Tempora. - The Imperative. - Modality. - From sentences to text. - Text grammar. - Course Credit Test.			
German Literature 2	N4NL2	spring	primary, kindergarten	Storm and Stress (Sturm und Drang) - Weimar Classics - The Romantic Period - Between Classicism and Romantics - Biedermeier - Vormärz - Junges Deutschland - Realism - Naturalism - Modernism - Expressionism - Literature of the Weimar Republic - The Third Reich, internal emigration, exile - Literature after 1945 - Contemporary literature			