

Annex SFB

Studienfachbeschreibung (subject description, SFB) for the subject Didactics in Geography (Middle School) as Didaktikfach with the degree "Erste Staatsprüfung für das Lehramt an Mittelschulen"

Responsible: Faculty of Arts, Historical, Philological, Cultural and Geographical Studies
Responsible: Institute of Geography and Geology

Examination regulations version: 2015
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Abbreviations used: Course types: **E** = field trip, **K** = colloquium, **O** = conversatorium, **P** = placement/lab course, **R** = project, **S** = seminar, **T** = tutorial, **Ü** = exercise, **V** = lecture

Term: **SS** = summer semester, **WS** = winter semester

Methods of grading: **NUM** = numerical grade, **B/NB** = (not) successfully completed

Regulations: **(L)ASPO** = general academic and examination regulations (for teaching-degree programmes), **FSB** = subject-specific provisions, **SFB** = list of modules

Other: **A** = thesis, **LV** = course(s), **PL** = assessment(s), **TN** = participants, **VL** = prerequisite(s)

Conventions for the modules in this SFB: Unless otherwise stated, courses and assessments will be held in German, assessments will be offered every semester and modules are not creditable for bonus.

Information on assessment procedures: Should there be the option to choose between several methods of assessment, the lecturer will agree with the module coordinator on the method of assessment to be used in the current semester by two weeks after the start of the course at the latest and will communicate this in the customary manner.

Should a module comprise more than one graded assessment, all assessments will be equally weighted, unless otherwise stated below.

Should the assessment comprise several individual assessments, successful completion of the module will require successful completion of all individual assessments.

In accordance with the general regulations governing the degree subject described in this module catalogue:

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associated official publications (FSB (subject-specific provisions)/SFB (list of modules)):

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This module handbook seeks to render, as accurately as possible, the data that is of statutory relevance according to the examination regulations of the degree subject. However, only the FSB (subject-specific provisions) and SFB (list of modules) in their officially published versions shall be legally binding. In the case of doubt, the provisions on, in particular, module assessments specified in the FSB/SFB shall prevail.

Every module will be described using the following form:

Abbreviation	Module title						
	ECTS		Duration	(in semesters)	Method of grading		Module level
	Courses		To be specified in the form X (y) with course type X abbreviated as specified above and number of weekly contact hours y				
	Method of assessment						
	Only after successful completion of		if applicable				
	Other prerequisites		if applicable				
	Participants and allocation of places		if applicable				
	Additional information		if applicable				
	Referred to in LPO I		if applicable (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)				

Compulsory Courses (20 ECTS credits)

Successful completion of modules worth 20 ECTS credits in each subject selected as Didaktikfach (subject studied with a focus on teaching methodology) is a prerequisite for admission to the Erste Staatsprüfung (First State Examination) in the subject Didaktiken einer Fächergruppe der Mittelschule (Didactics of a Group of Subjects of Mittelschule).

o4-Geo-BM-Did-Df-GM-152-mo1	Level One Module Didactics of Geography (Didactics Primary and Secondary Modern School) - Physical Geography, Human Geography							
	ECTS	5	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	S (2) + S (2) Module taught in: German and/or English						
	Method of assessment	a) written examination (approx. 30 minutes) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 20 minutes) or c) oral examination in groups (groups of 3, approx. 60 minutes total) Language of assessment: German and/or English						
	Referred to in LPO I	§ 36 I Nr. 7 § 38 I Nr. 1						
o4-Geo-AM-Did-Df-MS-152-mo1	Level Two Module Didactics of Geography (Didactics Secondary Modern School): Teaching Geography and museum education (Bavaria and Germany)							
	ECTS	5	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	No courses assigned to module Module taught in: German and/or English						
	Method of assessment	a) written examination (approx. 30 minutes) or b) documentation (approx. 8 pages) or c) oral presentation with slides (approx. 10 minutes) or d) presentation without slides (approx. 20 minutes) with written elaboration (approx. 8 pages) Language of assessment: German and/or English						
	Referred to in LPO I	§ 38 I Nr. 1						
o4-Geo-Did-GrExk-152-mo1	Long Excursion in Didactics of Geography							
	ECTS	5	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	E (4) Module taught in: German and/or English						
	Method of assessment	Assessment in groups of 3 candidates: portfolio (each with subject-matter specific analysis (approx. 3 pages), log (approx. 1 page), 5 to 10 documentary photographs each with description and explanatory statement) Assessment offered: Once a year, summer semester Language of assessment: German and/or English						
	Referred to in LPO I	§ 36 I Nr. 7 § 38 I Nr. 1						

o4-Geo-PM-Did-Df-GM-152-mo1	Level Three Module Didactics of Geography (Didactics Primary and Secondary Modern School)							
	ECTS	5	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses		V (2) + T (1) + S (2) Module taught in: German and/or English					
	Method of assessment		a) written examination (approx. 30 minutes) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 10 minutes) or c) oral examination in groups (approx. 30 minutes, groups of 3) or d) examination in groups (groups of 3): presentation (approx. 40 minutes) and written elaboration (approx. 12 pages) Language of assessment: German and/or English					
	Referred to in LPO I		§ 36 I Nr. 7 § 38 I Nr. 1					
Freier Bereich (general as well as subject-specific electives) (0-15 ECTS credits) Teaching degree students must take modules worth a total of 15 ECTS credits in the area Freier Bereich (general as well as subject-specific electives) (Section 9 LASPO (general academic and examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)). To achieve the required number of ECTS credits, students may take any modules from the areas below. Freier Bereich -- interdisciplinary: The interdisciplinary additional offer for a teaching degree can be found in the respective Annex "Ergänzende Bestimmungen für den "Freien Bereich" im Rahmen des Studiums für ein Lehramt".								
Thesis (10 ECTS credits) Preparation of a written Hausarbeit (thesis) in accordance with the provisions of Section 29 LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes) is a prerequisite for teaching degree students to be admitted to the Erste Staatsprüfung (First State Examination). In accordance with the provisions of Section 29 LPO I, students studying for a teaching degree Mittelschule may write this thesis in the subject Didaktik einer Fächergruppe der Mittelschule (Didactics of a Group of Subjects of Mittelschule), in the subject they selected as Unterrichtsfach (subject studied with a focus on the scientific discipline) or in the subject Erziehungswissenschaften (Educational Science). Pursuant to Section 29 Subsection 1 Sentence 2 LPO I, students may also choose to write an interdisciplinary thesis.								
o4-GeoMS-DF-HA-152-mo1	Thesis Geography LM							
	ECTS	10	Duration		Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses		No courses assigned to module					
	Method of assessment		Hausarbeit (thesis) pursuant to Section 29 LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes) (approx. 40 pages) Language of assessment: German; exceptions pursuant to Section 29 Subsection 4 LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)					
	Referred to in LPO I		§ 29					