Study program: Class Teacher Education

Type and level of studies: Bachelor studies, first cycle degree program

Course unit: Teaching practice in Mathematics

Teacher in charge: Nenad Vulovic, PhD, assistant professor

Language of instruction: English

ECTS: 7 ECTS, mandatory

Prerequisites: student must pass exam in Methodology of Teaching Mathematics (lower primary)

Semester: Winter and summer semester (VII and VIII)

Course unit objective

Introducing students to: practical teaching of mathematics from fist to fourth primary grades; use of modern technology in teaching mathematics; methodological transformation of programs; modelingdifferent types of classes; adjustments of content capabilities to each student; self-assessment, self-monitoring and evaluation of students' work

Learning outcomes of Course uni

Upon completion of this course, students will be able to: shape, modify and perform methodical transformation of mathematical content from first to fourth pimary grade; adjust the mathematical content to children by creating individual education plan; prepares teaching hours and practically implemented the program content; carried out a methodical analysis of classes which they perform or their colleagues.

Course unit contents

Theoretical classes

Educational standards in mathematics for the end of the first cycle of compulsory education; Evaluation of written preparations for working hours and evaluation of working hour; individual educational plan in mathematics; working with pupils showing special interest in mathematics.

Practical classes

Design and methodical transformation of mathematical contents in curriculum from first to fourth primary grade; preparation mathematical lessons; Evaluation and self-evaluation of math class; writing and implementation of individual educational plan.

Literature

Skemp, R. R. (1971). The Psychology of Learning Mathematics. London: Penguin Books.

Anghileri, J. (2001). Principles and Practicies in Arithmetic Teaching (Innovative approaches for the primary school). Buckingham: Open University Press.

Bolt, B., Hobbs, D. (1993). 101 mathematical projects. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Different textbooks which children use in school.

Number of act	Other classes			
Lectures: 30	Practice: 60	Other forms of classes	Independent work: 25 hours	

Teaching methods

Lectures, practice, student independent work.

Examination methods (maximum 100 points)						
Exam prerequisites	No. of points:	Final exam	No. of points:			
Student's activity during lectures	5	oral examination	25			
practical classes/tests	50	written examination	20			
Seminars/homework						
Project						
Other						

Grading system					
Grade	Number of points	Description			
10	91-100	Excellent			
9	81-90	Exceptionally good			
8	71-80	Very good			
7	61-70	Good			
6	51-60	Passing			
5	≤50	Failing			