


OVERVIEW
OF THE PROGRAM OF COURSES
IN THE ACADEMIC YEAR

2012-2013

A photograph of an empty classroom. The room is filled with rows of wooden desks and chairs, arranged in a typical lecture hall layout. The desks are light-colored, and the chairs are a darker wood. The room has large windows in the background, letting in natural light. The text '2012-2013' is overlaid in the center of the image in a bold, red, sans-serif font.

OVERVIEW OF THE PROGRAM OF COURSES



1. Module of Pedagogy

15 teaching credits required (TCs). Four (4) compulsory courses and one (1) elective. However, students enrolled in the academic year 2010-11 and earlier must attend only three (3) compulsory courses and two (2) electives.

101. Introduction to the educational sciences I (compulsory)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS) and

127. Introduction to the educational sciences II (compulsory)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

V. Tsafos, 1st semester

107. Literacy and pedagogic practices in early childhood I

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

Ch. Cortessis-Dafermou, 5th semester

128. Literacy and pedagogic practices in early childhood II

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

Ch. Cortessis-Dafermou, 8th semester

108. Inclusive education I

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS) and

129. Inclusive education II

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

A. Zoniou-Sideri, 4th semester

109. Introduction to special education (compulsory)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

Zoniou-Sideri and E. Nteropoulou-Nterou, 3rd semester

COURSES IN THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2012-2013



111. Educating children with the sensory impairments of deafness and blindness

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

A. Zoniou-Sideri, 7th semester

112. Introduction to environmental education/education for sustainable development

(compulsory)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

E. Flogaiti, 4th semester

113. Instructional methods and strategies in environmental education/education for sustainable development

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

E. Flogaiti, 6th semester

117. Health education

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

K. Athanasiou, 2nd semester

118. Production and development of educational material

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

A. Androussou, 7th semester

119. Oral and written language in disability I

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS) and

130. Oral and written language in disability II

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

E. Nteropoulou–Nterou, 5th semester

121. The pedagogical framework of environmental education/education for sustainable development

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

E. Flogaiti, 5th semester

123. Modern approaches to teaching: Theory and practice I

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

M. Sfyroera 6th semester

124. Environmental and sustainability issues

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

E. Flogaiti, 3rd semester

132. Educating mentally retarded and physically disabled

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

A. Zoniou-Sideri, 3rd semester

133. Critical pedagogy and educational practice

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

V. Tsafos, 4th semester

126. Creativity, education and development

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

Th. Dragona, 8th semester



Module 2: Psychology

12 TCs required. Three (3) compulsory courses and one (1) elective.

202. Child development I (compulsory)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

R. Papadopoulou and D. Papoudi, 1st semester

222. Child development II (compulsory)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

R. Papadopoulou and D. Papoudi, 2nd semester

204. Language development (compulsory)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

D. Kati, 3rd semester

210. Childhood and the media

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

E. Kourti, 3rd semester

223. Psychological disorders in the preschool and early school-age period

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

D. Papoudi, 5th and 6th semester

213. Counselling psychology

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

M. Malikiosi–Loizos, 6th semester

214. Counselling skills in education

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

M. Malikiosi–Loizos, 5th semester

215. Educational psychology

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

M. Malikiosi–Loizos, 1st semester

216. Theories of cognitive development

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

R. Papadopoulou, 4th semester

224. Classroom psychology: effective teaching and learning

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

M. Malikiosi–Loizos, 2nd semester

220. Developmental psychopathology and interpersonal communication (seminar)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

D. Papoudi, 7th semester

221. Group communication

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

E. Kourti, 8th semester



Module 3: Sociology

9 TCs required. Two (2) compulsory courses and one (1) elective.

301. Introduction to sociology (compulsory)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

M. Leontsini and A. Vasilopoulou, 1st semester

303. Social parameters of the educational process

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

A. Vasilopoulou, 3rd semester

304. Sociological approaches to childhood I

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

D. Makrynioti, 3rd semester

317. Sociological approaches to childhood II

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

D. Makrynioti, 4th semester

306. Introduction to the sociology of education (compulsory)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

N. Askouni and A. Vasilopoulou, 2nd semester

308. Sociology of the body

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

D. Makrynioti, 4th semester

309. Globalisation and education

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

E. Zambeta, 7th semester

311. Education policy I (focusing upon early childhood education)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

E. Zambeta, 3rd semester

310. Education policy II

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

E. Zambeta, 6th semester

313. Gender theories

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

M. Leontsini, 8th semester

314. Gender and cultural practices

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

M. Leontsini, 6th semester





Module 4: Research Methodology

9 TCs required. Three (3) compulsory courses. However, students enrolled in the academic year 2010-2011 and earlier must complete 6 TCs or two (2) compulsory courses.

401. Research methods in the social sciences with emphasis on education I (compulsory)
(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

407. Research methods in the social sciences with emphasis on education II (compulsory)
(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

Th. Dragona, A. Vasilopoulou and E. Kourti, 2nd semester

403. Research methods in the human sciences: Statistics (compulsory)
(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

V. Gialamas 3rd and 4th semester



Module 5. Science education

6 TCs required. One (1) compulsory course and one (1) elective.

501. The evolution of scientific ideas

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

V. Tselfes, 8th semester

502. Concepts of the natural sciences I

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

V. Tselfes, 2nd semester

5K1. Theater applications and science education I (Laboratory workshop)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

V. Tselfes and A. Paroussi, 5th semester

ATTENTION: The course is jointly offered with Course 6K1, providing overall 6 TCs (10 ECTS). More specifically, it offers 3 TCs in Module 5 and 3 in Module 6. Students must register in both modules.

5K2. Theatrical applications and the teaching of science II (Laboratory workshop)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

V. Tselfes and A. Paroussi, 6th semester

ATTENTION: The course is jointly offered with Course 6K2, providing overall 6 TCs (10 ECTS). More specifically, it offers 3 TCs in Module 5 and 3 in Module 6. Students must register in both modules.

514. Fundamental concepts of mathematics

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

D. Chassapis, 1st semester

504. Logico-mathematical relations and arithmetic concepts in early childhood

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

D. Chassapis, 4th semester

510. Spatial relations and geometrical concepts in early childhood

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

D. Chassapis, 5th semester

511. Manipulatives and activities for introducing mathematics in early childhood

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

D. Chassapis, 6th semester

509. Topics in the history and philosophy of mathematics

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

D. Chassapis, 2nd semester

505. Introduction to Informatics

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

V. Gialamas and D. Manesis 1st and 2nd semester

506. Introduction to the use of new technologies in education

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

V. Gialamas in collaboration with K. Nikolopoulou, 2nd semester

512. Exploiting information and communication technology in early childhood education

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

V. Gialamas in collaboration with K. Nikolopoulou, 7th semester

508. Introduction to biology I (compulsory)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS) and

515. Introduction to biology II (human biology)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

K. Athanasiou, 1st semester

513. Evolution of the nervous system: Contemporary approaches

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

K. Athanasiou, 8th semester



Module 6: Arts Education

9 TCs required. Three (3) compulsory courses. However, one (1) course must be selected from each of the three areas of the module: music, theatre and visual arts.

601. Theories of music and movement education I

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

N. Tsaftaridis, 1st semester

619. Theories of music and movement education II

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

N. Tsaftaridis, 2nd semester

602. Building improvised musical instruments with odd materials

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

N. Tsaftaridis, 4th semester

605. Construction of musical instruments for introducing musical idioms I (seminar)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

N. Tsaftaridis, 5th semester

620. Construction of musical instruments for introducing musical idioms II (seminar)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

N. Tsaftaridis, 6th semester

606. Percussive musical instruments and sound generators

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

N. Tsaftaridis, 8th semester

608 Visual arts: elements and techniques

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

O. Kouvou, 3rd semester

610. Visual arts history

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

O. Kouvou, 1st semester

607. Visual arts education

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

O. Kouvou, 6th semester

618. Children's drawing: contemporary approaches

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

O. Kouvou, 7th semester

611. Introduction to puppet theatre

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

A. Parousi, 1st semester

6K1. Theater applications and science education I (Laboratory)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

V. Tselfes and A. Parousi, 5th semester

ATTENTION: The course is jointly offered with Course 6K1, providing overall 6 TCs (10 ECTS). More specifically, it offers 3 TCs in Module 5 and 3 in Module 6. Students must register in both modules.

6K2. Theatrical applications and the teaching of science II (Laboratory)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

V. Tselfes and A. Paroussi, 6th semester

ATTENTION: The course is jointly offered with Course 6K2, providing overall 6 TCs (10 ECTS). More specifically, it offers 3 TCs in Module 5 and 3 in Module 6. Students must register in both modules.

614. Contemporary and traditional aspects of shadow theatre: Pedagogical applications

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

A. Paroussi, 2nd semester

615. Modern teaching methods through the use of drama and theatre

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

P. Tzamargias, 1st semester

616. Introduction to theatrical codes: theory and practice (seminar)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

P. Tzamargias, 8th semester



Module 7: Language, Literature and History

12 TUs required. Three (3) compulsory courses and one (1) elective.

704. Children's literature: an introduction (compulsory)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

A. Yannicopoulou, 1st and 2nd semester

718. Children's literature: theoretical approaches (seminar)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

A. Yannicopoulou, 1st and 2nd semester

706. Children's literature in early childhood education

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

A. Yannicopoulou, 6th semester

707. Greek history, 19th century (compulsory)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

F. Asimakopoulou, 4th semester

708. History of education

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

F. Asimakopoulou, 5th semester

709. Language, society and mind (compulsory)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

D. Kati, 2nd semester

710. Written language, society and mind

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

D. Kati, 5th semester

711. Greek history, 20th century (seminar with a maximum of 30 students)

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

F. Asimakopoulou, 7th semester

714. Bilingualism and education

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

D. Kati, 7th semester

719. Language and thought

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

D. Kati, 4th semester



8. Module of a Foreign Language

6 TUs required.



Module 9: Practicum in education and research

35 TUs required. Five (5) compulsory courses. Three are absolutely compulsory, i.e. 906, 901 and 902. Additionally, one (1) course must be selected from the Submodule of "Practicum in various subjects" and one (1) from the Submodule of "Practicum in research methods."

906. Observing the kindergarten – Analyzing and understanding the classroom framework (compulsory)

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

V. Tsafos, 3rd semester and A. Androussou, 4th semester

901. Educational plans and pedagogical practices in the kindergarten (compulsory)

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

Ch. Cortessis-Dafermou and M. Sfyroera, 5th and 6th semester

902. Planning, organizing and managing learning environments in early childhood (compulsory)

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

Ch. Cortessis-Dafermou and M. Sfyroera, 5th and 6th semester

Submodule: practicum in various subjects (compulsory)

In this submodule 11 courses are offered and students must choose one. The number of students in each course is limited. Students must initially register their choice, but before registering it they must make sure that they are accepted by the relevant teacher. Practical problems of allocation sometimes do not allow students to attend their first choice. The following courses are more specifically offered:

93A. Migrants, minorities and education: Identities and social hierarchies

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

A. Androussou and N. Askouni, 7th semester

93B. Music and movement education in early childhood: practical applications

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

N. Tsaftaridis, 8th semester

93C. Inclusive education practices

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

E. Nteropoulou –Nterou, 7th semester

93D. Picturebooks in early childhood education

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

A. Yannicopoulou, 7th semester

93E. The educator and the curriculum

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

V. Tsafos, 7th semester

93Z. Practice in environmental education/education for sustainable development (theory and practice)

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

E. Flogaiti, 8th semester

93H. Art studio I & II

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

O. Kouvou, 8th semester

93Θ. Children and play in the preschool environment

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

R. Papadopoulou, 8th semester

93I. Puppet theatre and improvisations: educational applications

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

A. Parousi, 7th semester

93K Science education (workshop)

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

V. Tselfes, 7th semester

93L. Manipulatives and activities for introducing mathematics in early childhood II

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

D. Chassapis, 7th semester

Submodule: Practicum in research methods (compulsory)

In this submodule 11 courses are offered and students must choose one. The number of students in each course is limited. Students must initially register their choice, but before registering it they must make sure that they are accepted by the relevant teacher. Practical problems of allocation sometimes do not allow students to attend their first choice. The following courses are more specifically offered:

94A. Research methods in the human sciences: data analysis through statistical software

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

V. Gialamas, 7th and 8th semester

94B. Methodological approaches to reading and writing scientific texts: practical exercises

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

D. Makrynioti, 7th semester

94C. Audiovisual communication

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

E. Kourti, 7th semester

94D. Educational practices and social inequalities: The family-school relationship

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

N. Askouni, 7th semester

94E. Classroom discourse analysis

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

A. Vasilopoulou, 7th semester

94Z. Families of children with disabilities: Research on home-school collaboration

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

E. Nteropoulou –Nterou, 8th semester

94H. Topics in social development in childhood

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

D. Papoudi, 8th semester

94Θ. Natural science concepts II

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

V. Tselfes, 7th semester

94I. Methodological issues in historical science

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

F. Asimakopoulou, 8th semester

94K. Educational action research

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

V. Tsafos, 8th semester

94L. Issues of education policy: Methods of analyzing educational institutions

(7 TCs, 8 ECTS)

E. Zambeta, 8th semester





Module 10. Interdisciplinary Week-long Workshops

3 TCs required. One (1) course must necessarily be selected from the variety offered each year.

ΘΕ1. Intercultural education

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

A. Androussou, 6th semester

ΘΕ2. Gender, Body, Otherness

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

M. Leontsini, 5th semester

ΘΕ4. Children and play

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

R. Papadopoulou (with the collaboration of A. Androussou & D. Papoudi), 6th semester

ΘΕ6. Social inequalities and education

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

N. Askouni (with the collaboration of A. Androussou), 6th semester

ΘΕ7. Differentiated pedagogy

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

Ch. Cortessis-Dafermou, M. Sfyroera, V. Tsafos, 5th semester

ΘΕ8. The family

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

Th. Dragona, 5th semester

ΘΕ9. Applications of counselling psychology in preschool education

(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

M. Malikiosi-Loizos, 6th semester

11. Module of a dissertation

(12 TCs or 20 ECTS)

Required prerequisites: Students must have passed a substantial number of courses, equivalent to 100 TCs or 170 ECTS.



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(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

Module 13. A second foreign language
(3 TCs, 5 ECTS)

