

## ANNUAL ACTIVITY REPORT

### In the Doctoral Degree Programme Special education For the academic year 2024/2025

Student: Mgr. Tereza Klopalová

Supervisor: Prof. PhDr. Jan Novák, Ph.D.

Consultant (if assigned): ---

Topic of dissertation: The aspects of inclusion of persons with autism spectrum disorders in elementary schools in the context of the Covid-19 pandemic

Form of study: Full-time

Beginning of study (academic year): 2024/2025

Expected completion of study (academic year): 2028/2029

DISSERTATION WORK PROCEDURE
<i>(Describe in detail the procedure of the activities on the dissertation in the respective academic year)</i>
In the first year of study, I conducted a literature search on the topic of my dissertation, both Czech and international. Based on my supervisor's recommendations, I familiarised myself with professional sources on research methodology and research studies. In cooperation with my supervisor and based on intensive study in the mentioned areas, I gradually refined my research intent and planned the research activity that I intended to carry out in the following year. Based on my study, I prepared an extended summary of the dissertation.

GROUP A: Compulsory courses			
Courses	Plan (Academic year)	Date of implementatio n	Number of earned credits
1. USS/XGPPP Abnormal Psychology	2024/2025	20. 5. 2025	7
2. USS/XGPPM Methodology of Education	2024/2025	13. 6. 2025	7
3. USS/XGCJ1 Foreign Language 1	2024/2025	6. 2. 2025	7
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Credits earned for year 1:			21
Credits earned for year 2:			
Credits earned for year 3:			
Credits earned for year 4:			
Credits earned for further period:			
<b>Total credits earned:</b>			<b>21</b>

GROUP B: Core elective courses
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Courses	Plan (Academic year)	Date of implementatio n	Number of earned credits
1. USS/XGOSP The personality of the Special Needs Educator	2024/2025	16. 6. 2025	7
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Credits earned for year 1:			7
Credits earned for year 2:			
Credits earned for year 3:			
Credits earned for year 4:			
Credits earned for further period:			
<b>Total credits earned:</b>			<b>7</b>

GROUP S: International placement, educational activity and others professional activities  
*(For educational activities, specify the abbreviations and titles of courses and degree of involvement, this must be linked to the student's name in the STAG; for other professional activities, describe in detail or attach a proof of achievement; for foreign stay, specify the destination including the institution, length or period of stay, purpose of stay, funding)*

Courses	Plan (Academic year)	Date of implementatio n	Number of earned credits*
<b>Educational activity</b>			
1. Educational activity Course title: Autism spectrum disorders Course Abbreviation: USS/KPAS1 Category: Seminar Time requirements: 13 [HOUR/SEM] Guarantor of the course: Prof. PhDr. Jan Novák, Ph.D. Department: Institute of Special Education Studies, Faculty of Education, Palacký University Period of educational activities: February–May 2025 Total number of hours: 52 (1 teaching sessions) Educational activities included consultations with students and evaluation of seminar papers	2024/2025	31. 5. 2025	2
<b>Other professional activities</b>			



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1. Other professional activities Activity title: Preparation of compensatory aids for the development of communication in pupils with autism spectrum disorder at Holečkova Elementary School, Olomouc Guarantor of professional activity: PhDr. Miloš Svoboda Department: Holečkova Elementary School, Olomouc Contact person: Mgr. Jana Havlíčková, Director Total number of hours: 26	2024/2025	30. 6. 2025	1
2. Opponent review of bachelor's thesis Author of bachelor's thesis: Martina Máchová Title of bachelor's thesis: Special Education Intervention in Elementary School Supervisor: Mgr. Petra Slámová, Ph.D.	2024/2025	15 <sup>th</sup> June 2025	1
<b>International scientific-research placement</b>			
		Credits earned for year 1:	4
		Credits earned for year 2:	
		Credits earned for year 3:	
		Credits earned for year 4:	
		Credits earned for further period:	
		<b>Total credits earned:</b>	<b>4</b>

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GROUP V: Scientific, publication and creative activities			
Courses	Plan (Academic year)	Date of implementatio n	Number of earned credits*
<p>1. Participation in a scientific conference with active participation in the Czech language Title of conference: INSPO – Internet and Technology for Persons with Specific Needs Date: 9–10 April 2025 Venue: Faculty of Education, Charles University, M. Rettigové 4, 116 39 Prague Presenter: Mgr. Tereza Klopalová Title of paper: Modern Technology and Autism Spectrum Disorders Web conference with programme: <a href="http://www.inspo.cz/2025/program-konference">www.inspo.cz/2025/program-konference</a></p>	2024/2025	10 <sup>th</sup> April 2025	5
<p>2. Reviewed scientific paper in a scientific periodical – journal (Jost) Šalamounová, K., Klopalová, T. (2024). Education and Autism Spectrum Disorders in the Czech Republic and Abroad – A Comparative Study. <i>Speciální pedagogika</i>, 32(1), pp. 56–74. Available at <a href="http://www.specialnipedagogika.cz/klopalova-edukace-a-poruchy">www.specialnipedagogika.cz/klopalova-edukace-a-poruchy</a> (author's share 50%)</p>	2024/2025	14 <sup>th</sup> February 2025	3
<p>3. Review Klopalová, T. (2024). A Useful Guide for Academic and Non-academic Staff. <i>Journal of Exceptional People</i>, 11(22), pp. 112–120. Available at <a href="http://www.jep.upol.cz/klopalovarecenze">www.jep.upol.cz/klopalovarecenze</a> (author's share 100%)</p>	2024/2025	17 <sup>th</sup> March 2025	2
<p>4. Involvement in a research project in the capacity of the principal investigator Project title: Current Challenges and Alternative Strategies in Special Education Diagnostics Grants Scheme: SGS IGA. Student grant competition, Palacký University Olomouc. Project Number: SGS_PdF_2024_10 Position: Principal Investigator Project implementation period: 1 Mar 2025–25 Feb 2026 Co-investigator: Doc. Mgr. Vlasta Skopalová, Ph.D. Department: Institute of Special Education Studies</p>	2024/2025	20 <sup>th</sup> August 2025	10
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Credits earned for year 1:			20
Credits earned for year 2:			
Credits earned for year 3:			
Credits earned for year 4:			
Credits earned for further period:			
<b>Total credits earned:</b>			<b>20</b>

GROUP Z: State doctoral examination and dissertation defence			
Courses	Plan (Academic year)	Date of implement ation	Number of earned credits
State doctoral examination	2027/2028		-
Defence of the dissertation project	2027/2028		
Writing of the dissertation	2028/2029		
Credits earned for year 2:			
Credits earned for year 3:			
Credits earned for year 4:			
Credits earned for further period:			
<b>Total credits earned:</b>			

CREDITS TOTAL	
Credits earned for year 1:	52
Credits earned for year 2:	
Credits earned for year 3:	
Credits earned for year 4:	
Credits earned for further period:	
<b>Total credits earned:</b>	<b>52</b>

Place, date: Zlín, 1<sup>st</sup> September 2025

*Klopalová*

Student's signature

## Supervisor's opinion about the achievement of the Individual Study Plan:

In the past year, Mgr. Klopalová fulfilled all of the obligations required by the ISP for the respective period. Throughout the period, she was in active contact with her supervisor and home department and actively participated in several events organized by the Institute. I highly appreciate Mgr. Klopalová's involvement in SGS IGA. The doctoral student managed to study the relevant literature for her dissertation and to prepare and defend an extended summary of her dissertation. In the following period, it is desirable for



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Mgr. Klopalová to expand her theoretical knowledge base by further intensive study. The doctoral student submits a written application for a course change and I ask the Subject Area Board to approve the application.

Fulfilment of the ISP\*\* by the doctoral student in the respective academic year

- a) Fulfilled without reservation.
- b) ~~Fulfilled with minor reservation.~~
- c) ~~Fulfilled with reservation.~~
- d) ~~Not fulfilled.~~

I recommend – ~~I do not recommend~~\*\* continuation in study.

Jan Novák  
Supervisor's signature

## Subject Area Board's opinion about the achievement of the Individual Study Plan:

The Subject Area Board agrees with the supervisor's assessment and approves the proposed changes.

Fulfilment of the ISP\*\* by the doctoral student in the respective academic year

- a) Fulfilled without reservation.
- b) ~~Fulfilled with minor reservation.~~
- c) ~~Fulfilled with reservation.~~
- d) ~~Not fulfilled.~~

I recommend – ~~I do not recommend~~\*\* continuation in study.

Kubátová  
Signature of the Chairperson of  
the Subject Area Board

\*Awarding of credits for publication or other scientific-research activities is governed by the *Credit Allocation Guideline for Doctoral Degree Programmes*.

\*\*Select as appropriate.