PEDAGOGY OF PRIMARY AND PRE-SCHOOL EDUCATION
UNDERGRADUATE

USV.FSE.PIPP.DD.01.01  Fundaments of Pedagogy (IST YEAR, 1ST SEMESTER)

4 hours/week, ECTS credits: 5

Content:
- Pedagogy – the science of education
- Lifelong learning – the principle of organization and developing the educational activities
- Educability. The human development factors
- Romanian educational system
- The finalities of education
- The educational system reform

USV.FSE.PIPP.DD.01.02  Fundaments of Psychology (1 ST YEAR, 1 ST SEMESTER)

3 hours/week, ECTS credits: 5


USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.01.03  Information and Communication Technologies - Field Applications
(1 ST YEAR, 1 ST SEMESTER)

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3

Content: The course covers both theoretical and practical aspects in the field of applied informatics. Skills concerning computer structure and operating manner and also text editing, tabular calculus and presentations are acquired. Also networking elements, internet acces programs, serch engines, searching strategies and web page structure end editing notions are presented too. The students will gain hand-on experience with the, package Microsoft Office during the laboratory activity

USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.01.04  Educational Psychology (IST YEAR, IST SEMESTER)

3 hours/week, ECTS credits: 4

Content: The main goal of the course is to enable students to understand the psychological mechanisms of learning and training. Contents: knowing the student / methods and techniques; learning; efficient learning; motivation for learning; creativity in school; group psychology; teacher personality and competence; didactic communication; school adjustment; school failure; school deviation.

USV.FSE.PIPP.DD.01.05  History of Educational Paradigms (IST YEAR, IST SEMESTER)

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3

Content: The aim of the course is to provide a wide understanding of the main pedagogical schools in the world. Contents: history of pedagogy – conceptualization and objectives; pedagogical approaches in ancient Rome and Greek; the European medieval pedagogy; European pedagogical thinking during Renaissance; classic pedagogy: Comenius; Kant; Pestalozzi; Herbart; experimental pedagogy (Binet, Ellen Key and child century); new pedagogical approaches: Montessori, Clapared, Ferriere, Cousinet, Freinet; between pedagogy and sociology: Durkheim; Dewey.
USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.01.06  *Romanian Literature* (IST YEAR, IST SEMESTER)

4 hours/week, ECTS credits: 4

**Content:** The course aims to define, to characterise and to exemplify the notions of literary theory, indispensable to the reception of literature at any level, to present the principals moments and currents from the history of Romanian literature and, especially, to define the concept of children’s literature. In the didactic activities, we intend to present the themes specific to the school and preschool age, the authors and their representative writings for children from Romanian literature, and also ways of analysing an interpreting children’s literature.

USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.01.07  *Mathematics - Primary and Pre-school Education (I)* (IST YEAR, 1st SEMESTER)

3 hours/week, ECTS credits: 4

**Content:** The aim of the course is to provide accurate understanding of the number theory and its application for primary school.
Contents: mathematic logic; mathematical sets; relation and functions; set of natural numbers; set of rational number; set of real number.

USV.FSEPIPP.DD.02.08  *Theory and Methodology of the Curriculum* (IST YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)

4 hours/week, ECTS credits: 5

**Content:**
- Educational process – the frame for the organization the training activities
- Educational objectives
- School curriculum: concept,
- Curriculum types
- The basis of National Curriculum
The contents – part of the school curriculum

USV.FSE.PIPP.DD.02.09  *Theory and Methodology of Training* (IST YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)

4 hours/week, ECTS credits: 5

**Content:** The purpose of the course is to acquire basic knowledge and skills specific to use the teaching methods and tools of the education process. The fundamental topics of the subject are:
- Interrelations between specific curricular components of the educational process,
- The educational methods – analitical description and applications for all level of educational system;
- The specific tools of education, ICT – the challange for education,
- Forms of educational process (types of lessons),
- Design of teaching.

USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.02.10  *Developmental Psychology* (IST YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)

3 hours/week, ECTS credits: 4

child. Physical development in the case of children of 6 to 10 years old. Knowledge characteristics in scholar child: perception, memory and learning, intelligence development in Piagetian perspective and in Gardner perspective. Moral and psychosocial development (from 6 to 10 years old).

Adolescence. Adult periods of life. Third age developmental characteristics.

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.02.11  Romanian Language 1 (IST YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)**

3 hours/week, ECTS credits: 4

**Content:** The course aims to define, to characterize and to exemplify the phonetics, vocabulary and grammar, morphology, notions, in order to develop linguistic competences to the students who need to use the linguistic acquisitions in different stylistic contexts. The didactic activities are focusing on developing the competences of correct and nuanced use in expression of vocabulary and grammatical structures, the correct interpretation of linguistic situations and the cultivation/ of the literary aspect of Romanian language.

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.02.12 Mathematics - Primary and Pre-school Education (2) (IST YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)**

3 hours/week, ECTS credits: 4

**Content:** The aim of the course is to introduce the main notions of plan and space geometry.

Contents: point, right, angle; triangle; quadrilateral; cercle; subscribed and circumscribed polygon; elements of trigonometry; parallelism; perpendicularity; polyhedron; angle; pyramid; sphere; geometry problem solving.

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.02.13 Pedagogical Training in Primary and Preschool Education 1 (IST YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)**

1 hours/week, ECTS credits: 2

**Content:** The purpose of the course is to acquire basic knowledge and skills specific for the teaching in primary and preschool level of education.

The fundamental topics of the practicum are:

- Observing the educational activity of primary level of education,
- The analysis of the lessons observed together with the mentor and university teacher, The elaboration of the portfolio of practicum.

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DC.01.14 Foreign Language – English/ French/ German/ Spanish/Italian 1 (IST YEAR, 1st SEMESTER)**

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 2

**Content:** This course is designed to promote English/ French/ German/ Spanish/Italian language proficiency at undergraduate level for students belonging to the Faculty of Educational Sciences. Most of the students are at the beginners and intermediate level and few of them are advanced. That is why we will teach in the practical course manner and focus mainly on core language skills (Listening, Speaking, Reading and less Writing) using variety of texts (traditional textbook lessons, online material, contemporary newspaper, and magazine articles) with particular emphasis on grammar, vocabulary, and spoken fluency, in appropriate contexts (social, personal, professional).

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DC.01.18  Sports 1 (IST YEAR, 1st SEMESTER)**

1 hours/week, ECTS credits: 2

**Content:** Elements of sport and physical education
USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.02.21 Effective Learning Techniques/ Educational Alternatives (1st YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)

4 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3

Content: The purpose of the course is to acquire basic knowledge and skills specific to use effective learning and techniques methods for efficient learning. The fundamental objectives of the subject are:
- defining concepts used in the field,
- efficiency of the intellectual activity, the types of reading,
- note-takes systems, cognitive organizers,
- methods of argumentation and strategies for developing critical thinking,
- metacognitive strategies, mnemonics,
- individual learning styles,
- use of sources of learning. Planning and learning management.

USV.FSE.PIPP.DC.02.16 Foreign Language - English/French/German/Spanish/Italian 2 (1st YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 2


SECOND YEAR OF STUDY

USV.FSE.PIPP.DD.03.01 Theory and Methodology of Evaluation (2nd YEAR, 1st SEMESTER)

4 hours/week, ECTS credits: 5

Content: The aim of the course is to acquire basic knowledge and skills to the design and conduct assessment exams. Course objectives and those relating to the acquisition of the basic knowledge of the theory and methodology of assessment and their application in practical situation at the seminar or teaching practice in primary and preschool level. The topics are:
- Concepts of the field, types of assessment,
- Levels of evaluation,
- Classical methods used in the evaluation,
- Docimologic tests,
- Subjectivity and objectivity of the evaluation.
- Design assessment exams.

USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.03.02 Romanian Language 2 (2nd YEAR, 1st SEMESTER)

3 hours/week, ECTS credits: 4

Content: The course aims to define the basic concepts of the Romanian language syntax, to describe/analyse the syntactic unities according the academic grammatical standards and to integrate the morph syntactic structures in various linguistic and stylistic contexts. The presentation of the Romanian language system is
meant to promote the correct and conscious use of Romanian language in oral and written expression and the adaptation of the linguistic contents for primary school.

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.03**  
*Didactics of Language and Communication Field (Pre-school Education)*  
(2nd YEAR, 1st SEMESTER)

3 hours/week, ECTS credits: 4

**Content:** The course aims to present the specific features of language education activities from preschool, to analyse the curricular documents for the knowledge of application methodology on language and communication area/field, to describe the didactic strategies (methods, means and forms of organisation) and specific activities as story, memorisation, educational games, reading pictures etc., in order to develop to the students of the capacities/competences needed to design and realise, according the current requirements, language education activities.

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.03.04**  
*Sciences and Didactics of Sciences Field (Pre-school and Primary Education)*  
(2nd YEAR, 1st SEMESTER)

3 hours/week, ECTS credits: 4

**Content:** Contents: organizing and developing the mathematical activities in kindergarten; didactic strategies for preschool education; planning and designing the mathematical activities; forming the natural number concept using the sets theory; forming the mathematical representations and mathematical language in preschool settings.

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.03.05**  
*Geography and Didactics of Geography*  
(2nd YEAR, 1st SEMESTER)

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 4

**Content:**
- Macro-planning
- Micro-planning
- Putting into practice the operational objectives
- Choosing and applying the methods and didactic resources at Geography
- Evaluation
- Observation
- The study of the local horizon
- The role of the trips and school-outsings in achieving knowledge, in order to form knowledge capacities
- The metric system of space and time
- Specific issues in approaching some learning unities/lessons about the map and the globe, the relief, clime, waters, vegetation, animals, population, human settlements, economics, environment protection and preservation

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.03.06**  
*Pedagogical Training in Primary Education 2*  
(2nd YEAR, 1st SEMESTER)

3 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3

**Content:** The purpose of the course is to acquire basic knowledge and skills specific for the teaching in primary level of education. The fundamental topics of the practicum are:
- Observing the educational activity of primary level of education,
- The analysis of the lessons observed together with the mentor and university teacher;
- Sustain one lessons in team-teaching system or alone.
- The building of the portfolio of practicum.

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.03.07 Pedagogical Training in Pre-school Education 2 (2nd YEAR, 1st SEMESTER)**

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3

**Content:** The purpose of the course is to develop skills specific for the teaching in preschool level of education.
The fundamental topics of the practicum are:
- Observing the educational activity of preschool level of education,
- The analysis of the lessons observed together with the mentor and university teacher;
- Sustain one lessons in team-teaching system or alone;
- The building of the portfolio of practicum with observation sheets and didactical plans of lessons.

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.04.08 Pedagogical Training in Primary Education 3 (2nd YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)**

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3

**Content:** The purpose of the course is to develop specific skills for the teaching in primary level of education.
The fundamental topics of the practicum are:
- Observing the educational activity of primary level of education,
- The analysis of the lessons observed together with the mentor and university teacher;
- Sustain the lessons in team-teaching system;
The elaboration of the portfolio of practicum.

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.04.08 Pedagogical Training in Pre-school Education 3 (2nd YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)**

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3

**Content:** The purpose of the course is to develop skills specific for the teaching in preschool level of education.
The fundamental topics of the practicum are:
- Observing the educational activity of preschool level of education,
- The analysis of the lessons observed together with the mentor and university teacher;
- Sustain the lessons in team-teaching system,
- The building of the portfolio of practicum with observation sheets and didactical plans of lessons.

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DD.04.10 Research Methodology in Educational Sciences (I) (2nd YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)**

3 hours/week, ECTS credits: 5

**Content:** The purpose of the course is to develop the knowledge and skills specific to the design and conduct the educational research. The topics are:
- Research of teaching – thematic and openings, perspectives,
- The design and conduct of the research,
- Methods of research (observations, psychopedagogical experiment, survey, questionnaire, interview, case study, sociometric methods),
- Processing of the results of the statistical techniques,
- Methods of presentation and exploitation of the research results.

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.03.11 Psycho-pedagogy of Playing (2nd YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)**

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 2

**Content:** Psychological and pedagogical implications of playing. Games & gamification, Classification. Structure and types of playful activities conducted in preschool. Didactic game during schooling. Designing and conducting didactic games in mathematical activities. Didactic game in speech development activities and other instructional-educational activities. Strategies for optimization and organization of didactic game.

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.04.12 Didactics of Romanian Language and Literature – Pre-School and Primary School (2nd YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)**

3 hours/week, ECTS credits: 4

**Content:** The course aims to present the specific features of primary school activities, to present the curricular documents for the knowledge of application methodology, to analyze the contents specific to the curricular area, to describe the didactic strategies used in teaching language and literature in primary school, in order to empower the students for designing and realizing Romanian language and literature lessons (literacy, reading, writing, communication, composition activities) in primary school.

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.04.13 Didactics of Mathematics for Pre-School and Primary School (2nd YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)**

3 hours/week, ECTS credits: 4

**Content:** Contents: organizing and developing the mathematical activities in primary school; didactic strategies for primary school education; planning and designing the mathematical lessons in primary school; forming the natural number concept using the sets theory; forming the mathematical representations and mathematical language in school; introduction of fraction notion; introduction the geometry elements in primary school.

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.04.14 History and Didactics of History (2nd YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)**

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3

**Content:**
- Introduction in the History and the History Didactics
- History in the present national curriculum in Romania
- Education methods specific to the history teaching-learning process in the primary school
- Education means in the history teaching-learning process
- Organization forms and modalities of the history teaching-learning process
- Using local history elements in extracurricular lessons and activities
- Achieving the system of history language and notions
- Evaluation and self-evaluation of the school results at History
- Fundamental problems of the Romanian History
- Fundamental problems of the ancient Romanian History
- Fundamental problems of the medieval Romanian History
- Fundamental problems of the modern Romanian History

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.04.15 Fine Arts Education and Didactics of Fine Arts Education (Pre-school and Primary Education) (2nd YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)**

3 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3

**Content:** The course is structured on two axes: defining the basic concepts in artistic education, language elements (point, line, color, form, value) and means of expression (proportion, movement, harmony, symmetry, asymmetry, passage, dominant, the agreement, balance, contrast, blood, etc.) in close connection with the artistic techniques and working materials, as well as the specific methodology of subject teaching at primary and secondary level (didactic methods and procedures, practical workshop activities, didactic materials and visual-educational activities). At the end of the course, students will be able to use correctly the art terms; they will have achieved the necessary knowledge for the artistic discipline, will make connections between the artistic results and the theoretical and practical levels of the discipline and they will be able to set more specific artistic ideas, organize and indulge in artistic activities plan.

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.03.16/17 Family Psychosociology/ Sociology of Education (2nd YEAR, 1st SEMESTER)**

3 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3

**Content:**
- Theories and models of family Psychosociology
- Characteristics of parents: Psychological profiles, risks and positive behavior,
- Identification issues: Instruments, identification in school
- Counseling for the parents and children

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DC.03.18 Sports 1 (IST YEAR, IST SEMESTER)**

1 hours/week, ECTS credits: 2

**Content:** Elements of sport and physical education

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.04.21 Psychology of Personality/ Psycho-pedagogy of Gifted and Talented Children (2nd YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)**

4 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3

**Content:**

*Psycho-pedagogy of Gifted and Talented Children*
- Gifted concepts: high ability, talent
- Theories and models of gifted
- Characteristics of gifted children: Psychological profiles, rescues of being gifted
- Identification issues: Instruments, identification in school
- Special curriculum for gifted: Contents, methodology, organization
- Counseling for the gifted children
Psychology of Personality
- Personality concept; the function of psychology of personality. Personality assessment; Personality structure: Temperament, Character, Aptitudes; Intelligence; Theoretical Approaches of personality:
- Psychodinamic theory; behavioral theory; humanistic theory, traits theory, social – cognitive theory.

ANUL III
THIRD YEAR OF STUDY

USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.05.01 Classroom/Group Management (3rd YEAR, 1st SEMESTER)

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3


USV.FSE.PIPP.DD.05.02 Educational and Social Politics (3rd YEAR, 1st SEMESTER)

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3

USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.05.03 Literature for Children (3rd YEAR, 1st SEMESTER)

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3

Content: The course aims to define, to characterize and to exemplify the notions of literary theory, indispensables to the reception of literature at any level, to present the principals moments and currents from the history of Romanian literature and, especially, to define the concept of children’s literature. In the didactic activities, we intend to present the themes specific to the school and preschool age, the authors and their representative writings for children from Romanian literature, and also ways of analysing an interpreting child’s literature.

USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.05.04 Music and Didactics of Musical Education (Pre-school and Primary Education) (3rd YEAR, 1st SEMESTER)

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3

Content:
- Musical Theory
- Specific issues for musical education in preschool and primary school settings
- Methodology for musical education
- Evaluation for musical education
- Practical activities
**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.05.05 Didactics of Technological Education (3rd YEAR, 1st SEMESTER)**

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 2

**Content:** The course is structured on three study directions. In the first part, the emphasis is on the assimilation of methods and procedures specific to the teaching discipline, on the practical abilities, where the study focuses on approaching methodologies on age particularities, calendar planning guide, planning on learning units, didactic planning specific to practical tasks, teaching the ways of evaluating and exploiting interdisciplinarity and transdisciplinarity inside practical activities.

The second part is devoted to the study of specialized themes concerning the practical creativity, studies on creativity, creative thinking and development of practical sense, developing creative workouts - where the focus is on the training and development of the capacity to stimulate and activate the creative potential - the phases of the creative process, the contents of artistic and plastic activities as a means of stimulating the creative potential, creative and practical exercises, and the importance of skills training, abilities in primary-school and preschool levels.

The last part of the course focuses on theoretical and practical studies on instrumentation, techniques and materials used in practical activities.

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DF.05.06 Research Methodology in Educational Sciences (2) (3rd YEAR, 1st SEMESTER)**

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 4

**Content:** The purpose of the course is to develop the knowledge and skills specific to the design and conduct the educational research. The topics are:

- Research teaching – thematics and openings, perspectives,
- The design and conduct of the research,
- Methods of research (observations, psychopedagogical experiment, survey, questionnaire, interview, case study, sociometric methods),
- Processing of the results of the statistical techniques,
- Statistics.

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DD.05.07 Fundaments of Special Psycho-pedagogy (3rd YEAR, 1st SEMESTER)**

3 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3

**Content:** Education of students with special needs in the classroom. Mental deficiency. Sensory and motor deficiencies (Visual deficiency, Hearing deficiency, Motor deficiency, Characteristics of education for pupils with sensory and motor deficiency). Language disorders. Communication and relationship disorders (Autism, Characteristics of education for students with communication and relationship disorders), Personality and behavior disorders. Integrated Education (Models and strategies of achieving integrated education, integrated methods of intervention in the education of students with special needs).

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.05.08 Pedagogical Training in Primary Education 4 (3rd YEAR, 1st SEMESTER)**

3 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3

**Content:** The purpose of the course is to develop specific skills for the teaching in primary level of education in all curriculum areas. The fundamental topics of the practicum are:

- Observation of the extracurricular educational activities in primary education,
- The analysis of the lessons observed together with the mentor and university teacher;
- Sustain teaching in all subjects areas;
- The building of the portfolio of practicum.

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.05.09 Pedagogical Training in Pre-school Education 4 (3rd YEAR, 1st SEMESTER)**

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3

**Content:** The purpose of the course is to develop specific skills for the teaching in preschool level of education in all curriculum areas.
The fundamental topics of the practicum are:
- Observation of the extracurricular educational activities in preschool education,
- The analysis of the lessons observed together with the mentor and university teacher;
- Sustain teaching in all subjects areas;
- The building of the portfolio of practicum.

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.06.12 Integration and Inclusion in Early Years (Early Childhood and Primary School Education (3rd YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER))**

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3


**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.06.13 Pedagogy of Primary and Pre-school Education (3rd YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)**

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3

**USVFSELPIPPDSOV 11  Didactics of Human and Social Sciences Field (Pre-school and Primary Education (3rd YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER))**

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3

**Content:**
- Civic education issues
- Curriculum for civic education
- Teaching methodology for civic education
- Specific evaluation in civic education

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.06.15 Early Childhood Education (3rd YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)**

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3

**Content:**
School pedagogy and preschool pedagogy
- School curriculum
- Preschool curriculum & Early education
- Learning methodology in school and preschool settings
- Evaluation methodology in school and preschool settings

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.06.16 Didactics of Sports and Psychomotor Activities (Pre-school and Primary Education) (3rd YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)**

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3

**Content:**
- Physical education in primary and pre-school education. Methodology of approaching and achieving the frame objectives.
- Physical education: practical activities and means of expressing.
- The compulsory activity of physical education. Physical education on age groups.
- Motion games and activities. Thematic dances on age groups.
- Annual displaying/distribution of the learning unities. Lessons distribution on learning units. Scheduling learning unities.
- Organization of the children’s groups of the pupils’ class. Training children for physical effort. Exercises with portable objects. Evaluation instruments

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.06.10 Pedagogical Training in Primary Education 5 (3rd YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)**

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 4

**Content:** The purpose of the course is to develop specific skills for the teaching in primary level of education in all curriculum areas.
The fundamental topics of the practicum are:
- Observation of the extracurricular educational activities in primary education,
- The analysis of the lessons observed together with the mentor and university teacher;
- Sustain teaching in all subjects areas;
- The elaboration of the portfolio of practicum.

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.06.11 Pedagogical Training in Pre-school Education 5 (3rd YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)**

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 4

**Content:** The purpose of the course is to develop specific skills for the teaching in preschool level of education in all curriculum areas.
The fundamental topics of the practicum are:
- Observation of the extracurricular educational activities in preschool education,
- The analysis of the lessons observed together with the mentor and university teacher;
- Sustain teaching in all subjects areas;
- The elaboration of the portfolio of practicum.

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.05.18 Intercultural Education / Psychopedagogy of Creativity (3rd YEAR, 1st SEMESTER)**

2 hours/week, ECTS credits: 2
**Intercultural education**


**USV.FSE.PIPP.DC.05.21 Theater for Children/ Computer Assisted Fine Arts Education/ Computer Assisted Training (3rd YEAR, 1st SEMESTER)**

3 hours/week, ECTS credits: 2

**Content:** The course aims at familiarizing students with the main specialized programs for computer graphics (Paint, Corel Draw, AdobePhotoshop), concurrently with the development of artistic-plastic thinking in relation to the computerized techniques. At the end of the course the students will be able to define the basic concepts related to the computerized image, to acquire the appropriate knowledge to use computer graphics programmes, explain and interpret the processes of establishing computerized images, to make connections between plastic and computer technology education, to organize and plan projects with specific teaching of computer-assisted design.

**USV.FSE.PIPP.DS.06.23 Psycho-pedagogical Counselling/ Management of Educational Programs and Projects (3rd YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)**

4 hours/week, ECTS credits: 3

**Content:**
- Concepts, history, definition, principles, goals, objectives, role-status of school counselor
- Counseling methods and techniques
- Self−knowing and knowing others  Self−image, Self−Esteem
- Counseling for personal development. Development of self-esteem, of assertiveness, of resiliency and self-efficacy
- Conflicts and communication Efficient communication, conflict management, conflict resolution
- Life style Healthy life style, education for health, addictive behavior
- Gender differences in children education

**USVFSELPIPPDCAVI26 Ethics and Pedagogical Deontology/ Education and Visual Arts (3rd YEAR, 2nd SEMESTER)**

4 hours/week, ECTS credits: 2

**Content:** The course focuses on the concept of the young people’s need of visual education, of future personalities’ cultural training, of shaping the aesthetic taste and of valorization of contemporary plastic arts, with an emphasis on developing the capacity to understand and appreciate the beautiful in art and to combat the visual kitsch. In this concern, during the course, students are introduced to the field of visual aesthetics in different poses, study the main artistic trends and theories in the history of art, and they are guided along the process of understanding and interpretation of an art work, on the basis of value criteria.