

Field of study	Lower Secondary School Teacher Training in Biology and Environmental Education
Faculty	Faculty of Education
Study	Double-subject, Master's degree, full-time
Length of study (years)	2
Academic degree	Mgr. (similar to M.Ed.)
Combined with...	Lower Secondary School Teacher Training in English Language
Study guaranteed by	Prof. Ing. Milada Bocáková, Ph.D. Department of Biology Žižkovo nám. 5 771 40 Olomouc http://new2.kbi.upol.cz/en/

Description of the programme

Students will extend their theoretical knowledge of the main scientific disciplines (geology, botany, zoology, genetics and molecular biology, ecology) as well as of environmental sciences. Furthermore, they will complete the disciplines of the educational-psychological module and didactics, and due to the simultaneous integration of educational aspects in most other disciplines they gain professional abilities as well as educational and didactic skills. The study contains even a number of elective courses, which in the context of a credit system enables the students to specialize individually in selected areas of interest.

Graduate profile and job opportunities

Graduates are fully qualified to teach biology and environmental education in lower secondary schools.

Admission requirements

Bachelor's degree in Biology in Education and/or Environmental Education (or similar study programme).

Language competence:

- The standard English language requirement is level B2 in accordance to the Common European Framework of Reference for languages (CEFR).
- Minimum language requirements in the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL): Internet based Test (IbT): 61, Computer based Test (CbT): 173, Paper based Test (PbT): 500 or an International English Language Testing System (IELTS) overall band score of at least 6.0.

The applicant must prove his/her fitness for study in a motivation letter (in English) and a profile essay 15 000 – 20 000 symbols long, focused on the area of the study programme.

The applicants are required to send:

- application ([online application form](#));
- [proof of recognition](#) of their previous education (i.e. foreign certificate as equivalent to a certificate of education issued in the Czech Republic);

- motivation letter;
- profile essay;
- CV;
- certificate of language competence

to the address dagmar.zdrahalova@upol.cz by **31 May 2018**.

Admission exams:

Profile test at the level of bachelor's degree in the fields Biology in Education and/or Environmental Education.