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| 1. Name of the Certificate 1  |
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| Field of study 7518 Q Special pedagogy (post-secondary specialization qualification) |
| 2. Translated title of the Certificate 2  |
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| Študijný odbor 7518 Q špeciálna pedagogika (pomaturitné špecializačné štúdium) (sk) |
| 3. Profile of skills and competences |
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| The holder of the certificate is able to:* to communicate using at least one world language at the B1 level per the Common European Reference Framework, to apply vocabulary in the scope of the determined specialized topics,
* to work independently and creatively,
* to plan, organize, carry out and evaluate particular work procedures,
* to use information and communication technologies,
* to provide first aid in response to accidents, small injuries and life-threatening conditions,
* to plan, organize, carry out and evaluate educational activities of children/students with special educational needs,
* to apply content, methods, forms, means of educational work of children/students with special educational needs taking into consideration the specificities and limitations related to their disability,
* to apply principles and mechanisms of organizing integrated an inclusive education,
* to help integrate a child/student with special educational needs with the community and promote his/her acceptance in peer group,
* to apply special pedagogy diagnosis,
* to analyse and evaluate behaviour of a child/student,
* to apply special therapies,
* to create environment of acceptance and trust,
* to work with personal data of students and families discreetly and reliably,
* to cooperate with specialists from educational, advisory, health and social institutions and with parents,
* to apply methods of handling difficult life situations, occupational hazards and mental hygiene principles,
* to think independently and solve conflicts actively,
* to exercise human rights, basic professional legal standards and ethical principles.
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| 4. Range of occupations accessible to the holder of the certificate 3 |
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| Graduates find work in professions and job titles in the field of education of children and students with special educational needs.Examples of potential job titles include: Educator at schools and educational institutions for children and students with special educational needs. |

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| 5. Official basis of the certificate |
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| Body awarding the certificate | Authority providing accreditation / recognition of the certificate |
|  | Ministry of Education, Science, Research and Sport of the Slovak RepublicStromová 1813 30 BratislavaPhone: +421 2/59 374 111[www.minedu.sk](http://www.minedu.sk)  |
| Level of the certificate (national or European) 1Higher vocational education SKQF/EQF 5ISCED 554 | Grading scale / Pass requirements  1 – excellent 2 – praiseworthy 3 – good 4 – sufficient 5 – insufficient |
| Access to next level of education / training 1University, 1st degree, ISCED 655, 645, 665 University, 2nd degree, ISCED 766 | International agreements on recognition of qualifications1 |
|  Legal basis |
|  Act No. 245/2008 Coll. on Education and Training (Education Act) and on amendment of certain acts; Act No. 61/2015 Coll. on Vocational Education and Training and on amendment of certain acts; Decree of the Ministry of Education of the Slovak Republic no. 318/2008 Coll. on the completion of studies at secondary schools, as amended.  |
| 6. Officially recognised ways of acquiring the certificate |
| Successful completion of the four-year training program in the given field of study by passing the school leaving examination. |
| 7. Additional information After successful completion of the training program in the given field of study the graduates receive a certificate confirming their passing of the school leaving examination.  |
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| Entry requirements 1* full secondary vocational education in the field of study of the study group 76 Teaching ISCED 354
* fulfilment of prerequisites in the admission procedure
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|  More information (including a description of the national qualifications system) |
| Ministry of Education, Science, Research and Sport of the Slovak Republic, Study and Training Group<https://www.minedu.sk/18673-sk/studijne-a-ucebne-odbory-sauo/> |
|  National Europass Centre |
| State Vocational Education InstituteBellova 54/a,837 63 Bratislavaeuropass@siov.sk [www.europass.sk](http://www.europass.sk)  |