



**Cognitive
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ECTS points

What are ECTS points?

It is a measure of the student's workload, 1 ECTS point corresponds to approx. 25-30 hours of student work, which means that a student must spend about 90 hours to complete a course worth 3 ECTS points – this includes the time spent in the room, during classes, as well as time spent on preparing for classes (doing homework, reading books) or preparing for a test / exam.

How many ECTS points do you need to earn?

At each degree of study, the student must earn 60 ECTS points per year, which consists of both compulsory and facultative subjects (electives). So, during the undergraduate (3-year) studies you need to get 180 ECTS points, during the master's (2-year) studies you have to get 120 ECTS points, and during the uniform Master's (5-year) studies you get a total of 300 ECTS points.

Is there an upper limit of ECTS points that can be earned?

No, there is no such limit. In the current Study Regulations, there is no upper limit of ECTS points that can be accumulated during the studies, so no excess ECTS fee can be charged.

