

**Module description**

Module title	PSY-BA-WPM-04: Cognitive Development and Disorders
Subject	Developmental Psychology
Associated degree	Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.)
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Frequency and duration	Winter and summer (2 semester course, 1.5h per week)
Language of instruction	German or English
Examination	Presentation or essay
ECTS	10 (for full 2 semester module; partial module = 5)
Prerequisites	Passing grade in the module PSY-BA-PM-05 „Developmental Psychology“
Learning outcomes	Students will gain more in-depth knowledge of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the field of cognitive developmental psychology topics in developmental psychology that are relevant for clinical work Students should be able to apply this knowledge to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> scientific questions concerning cognitive developmental psychology specific cognitive, social, or emotional disorders during childhood
Module content	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Development of visual and auditory perception Development of attention, cognition, speech, and action Disorders of perception, attention, speech, and emotion regulation Children's testimonies, disorders and developmental risks in early childhood, reactions to critical life events, disorders in childhood and their sociocultural dependency