

Teacher Education and Competencies (Latvia)

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Cycle Descriptors

- Worked out according to:
 - Bologna process
 - European qualification framework for lifelong learning
- Initial teacher training:
 - 1st level professional higher education (5th level)
 - Bachelor level (6th level)



Competencies (1)

- General characteristics:
 - 5th level including secondary education and professional competencies acquired in professional studies in close contact with professionals;
 - 6th level including secondary education and acquired in studies based on science or theoretical basis of professional area



Competencies (2)

- Knowledge and understanding
- Ability to use the knowledge
- Skills to analyze, synthesize and evaluate
- Skills to communicate
- General skills



"Profile" and reality

- Teacher "Standart" under revision in Latvia
- Teacher training programs and possibilities
- Examples of "good practice"
- Questions about future...

