



**Karolinska  
Institutet**

Course syllabus for

## **Social- and behavioural science 1, 5.5 credits**

Samhälls- och beteendevetenskap 1, 5.5 hp

This course has been cancelled, for further information see Transitional provisions in the last version of the syllabus.

Please note that the course syllabus is available in the following versions:

Autumn2008 , Autumn2010 , Autumn2014

Course code	1TH005
Course name	Social- and behavioural science 1
Credits	5.5 credits
Form of Education	Higher Education, study regulation 2007
Main field of study	Not applicable
Level	GX - First cycle
Grading scale	Pass with distinction, Pass, Fail
Department	Department of Dental Medicine
Decided by	programnämnden för Tandhygienistprogrammet
Decision date	2008-02-14
Revised by	Programnämnd 10
Last revision	2010-05-12
Course syllabus valid from	Autumn 2010

## **Specific entry requirements**

At least the Pass grade in all courses from semester 1 and 2 in the Study Programme in Dental Hygiene

## **Objectives**

On completion of the course, the student should: - have knowledge of pedagogical philosophy and history of ideas - be able to reflect on the association between ethical positions and view of the humanity - be able to explain association between a fundamental ethical view and professional ethics - have knowledge of the historical development of the scientific philosophy.

## **Content**

The course introduces the student to philosophy of science and philosophy of knowledge from the natural philosophers of the classical antiquity to the modern thinkers of today and their impact on the development of teaching and research. The course focuses on ethical values and positions.

## Teaching methods

The teaching is given as lectures and seminars.

## Examination

The student should make a written analysis of the compulsory reading list and participate actively in all stated seminars. In case of absence, assignments that compensate the absence are provided. To obtain the grade Pass in the whole course, it is required that the independent, written assignments achieve the grade pass with credit. Students who have not passed the regular examination/assessment session are entitled to two more examinations. If the student is not approved after three examinations, he/she is recommended to retake the course at the next regular opportunity before three more examination opportunities are given. If the student has failed six examinations/tests, no additional examination or new admission to the course is given.

## Transitional provisions

Examination according to the earlier literature list of this course syllabus is provided a year from 2010-09-01.

## Other directives

Course evaluation will be carried out in accordance with the guidelines established by the Board of Higher Education.

## Literature and other teaching aids

*Stensmo, Christer*

### **Pedagogisk filosofi**

2. uppl. : Lund : Studentlitteratur, 2007

ISBN:978-91-44-01890-4 LIBRIS-ID:10353505

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*Collste, Göran*

### **Inledning till etiken**

2. uppl. : Lund : Studentlitteratur, 2002 - 113 s.

ISBN:91-44-02211-5 LIBRIS-ID:8426005

[Library search](#)

### **Psykologi : en grundbok**

*Permer, Lars Göran; Carlström, Inge; Permer, Karin*

Lund : Studentlitteratur, 1989 - 389 s.

ISBN:91-44-24941-1 LIBRIS-ID:8353387

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