Required ECTS credit points for the record of academic achievement for BAföG (Federal Training Assistance Act)

at the Department of English and American Studies

Students are required by the Federal Training Assistance Act (BAföG) guidelines to submit reports signed by their subjects' examiners to continue receiving benefits under the Federal Training Assistance Act (BAföG). In these reports, the examiners confirm the acquisition of the number credit points (ECTS) up to that point and a "well-organized course of study". For the study programs of the Department of English and American Studies (DEAS), the following points of reference for the minimum number of credit points (ECTS) to be verified apply with immediate effect:

After 4 semesters, a minimum of the following number of credit points earned in DEAS modules must be demonstrated:

- Teaching Qualification (Gymnasium): 36 ECTS points
- Teaching Qualification (Realschule): 36 ECTS points
- Teaching Qualification (Mittelschule): 29 ECTS points
- Teaching Qualification (Grundschule): 29 ECTS points
- B.A. (1st major): 44 ECTS points
- B.A. (2nd major): 30 ECTS points

After 6 semesters, a minimum of the following number of credit points earned in DEAS modules must be demonstrated:

- Teaching Qualification (Gymnasium): 68 ECTS points
- Teaching Qualification (Realschule): 60 ECTS points
- Teaching Qualification (Mittelschule): 62 ECTS points
- Teaching Qualification (Grundschule): 62 ECTS points
- B.A. (1st major): 81 ECTS points
- B.A. (2nd major): 54 ECTS points

These are points of reference; falling below these minimum numbers of credit points is permitted, but must be satisfactorily justified in each case, for example by the acquisition of language skills required in the respective degree program (e.g., 5 ECTS credit points will be awarded for the acquisition of Latin skills), above-average additional achievements in other subjects of the degree program (especially mathematics), or similar. The circumstances presented as justification must be proven.

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