# Conditions for selecting a course Sports Activities I. / III. / V. - Geocaching

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- **Goal of the course** is to teach the student to work independently with alternative tourist options in and around Košice, to get to know the main sports and recreation locations of the city and to learn about the work with geocaching website due to the potential it offers (the ability to perform geocaching almost anywhere in the world).
- Sign-in conditions: student signs in to the activity through the AIS reservation system.
- Conditions of completion: In order to meet the conditions of subject Sports activities

   Geocaching, it is necessary to send a record of the findings (see point 6 Record of the findings) of predetermined caches during the winter semester 2020/2021.
- **GEOCACHING:** Students perform geocaching individually, or several in a group, using the GEOCACHING website and mobile app. The student must register on the GEOCACHING website.
  - Website with map for Košice
  - Android app <u>for download on this link</u>
  - Apple app <u>for download on this link</u>

If the object found is only the Logbook, you need to sign it and return it to the place of the find. The objects found should be treated with care to avoid damaging the object. If a subject is missing from the found cache, the student should create a new Logbook, sign it and insert it into the found box.

## • List of caches needed to complete the course:

- 1) <u>Watchtower</u>
- 2) Tree alley Anička
- 3) Pope John Paul II. Memorial
- 4) <u>Walk on Podhradová</u>
- 5) <u>Turtle bay on the Lake</u>

- 6) <u>Oldest singing fountain</u>
- 7) Bicross track
- **Record of the findings:** The student sends a record of the findings to the teacher exclusively via student email (name.name@student.upjs.sk) no later than the last week of the winter semester 2020/2021. The record of the findings is a summary of all searches written into a single text document (.doc; .docx; .pdf).

The record of the findings must contain:

- Date, time and place of start of geocaching for each cache;
- Destination for each cache;
- A photograph of the student(s) (if in a group) with found caches;
- A short geocaching message of up to 60 words route description; description of the exact location of the found cache, (e.g.: under a stone, on a tree, under a bench, etc...), a description of the geocache (what did you find).
- Additional conditions: Before starting geocaching, the student should familiarize themselves with the terminology used on the web:

<u>https://www.geocaching.com/about/glossary.aspx</u>. The student must take his own pen and paper to search. After the find, it is necessary to mark the cache as found and insert a comment on the geocaching.com website. The student is transported at his own expense to the place of destination (the place of the placed cache) and from the place of destination.