

SUBJECT TEACHING GUIDE

5177 - General Geography of Spain

Degree in Geography and Land Planning

Academic year 2024-2025

1. IDENTIFYING DATA			
Degree	Degree in Geography and Land Planning	Type and Year	Optional. Year 4
Faculty	Faculty of Humanities		
Discipline	General Training in Land Use Planning Itinerary in Training for Secondary School Teaching Subject Area: Geography		
Course unit title and code	5177 - General Geography of Spain		
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6	Term	Semester based (2)
Web			
Language of instruction	Spanish	English Friendly	No
		Mode of delivery	Face-to-face

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3.1 LEARNING OUTCOMES
- Explain the organization of the Spanish territory.
- Explain in an orderly and hierarchical order the complexity of territorial relations.
- Identify the factors and elements that intervene in the configuration and dynamics of the space.
- Strengthen the critical capacity, analysis and synthesis of territorial issues.
- Make presentations using correctly the basic vocabulary of Geography and Social Sciences.

4. OBJECTIVES

Analyze the socio-economic features of Spain combining the temporal and spatial dimensions in the explanation of territorial processes.

Know the main transformations in the Spanish productive system.

Understand the complexity of social and economic processes and their territorial expression.

6. SUBJECT PROGRAM

CONTENTS

1	MODULE 1. THE DIVERSITY OF NATURE IN SPAIN
2	MODULE 2. THE SPANISH POPULATION
3	MODULE 3. AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITY
4	MODULE 4. INDUSTRIAL ACTIVITY
5	MODULE 5. THE SERVICES SECTOR
6	MODULE 6 TERRITORIAL IMBALANCES
7	WRITTEN EXAM

7. ASSESSMENT METHODS AND CRITERIA

Description	Type	Final Eval.	Reassessn	%
Description Written exam	Written exam	Yes	Yes	40,00
Works Modules 1, 2,3,4, and 5	Work	No	Yes	60,00
TOTAL				100,00

Observations

The final mark will be the result of the average of the final exam and the different works indicated during the course . In order for the student to obtain a passing grade, they must:

- Have a score higher than 4.50 on the written exam.

In accordance with the regulations of the University of Cantabria, those works that present evidence of plagiarism will be classified as failure (0.00); Plagiarism is considered the literal reproduction of material from the Internet or other sources without the corresponding quotation marks and quotation.

Likewise, works that do not conform to the presentation standards required in any scientific work in terms of bibliographic citations, cartography, etc. will not obtain the approval qualification.

In the event that the health situation forces to modify the face-to-face conditions towards a scenario 2 (mixed teaching) or a scenario 3 (virtual teaching), the assistance will be verified using the tools available in the institutional platforms of the UC (connection time , student responses in MOODLE chats and forums, video calls etc ...).

In the event that the health situation forces to modify the face-to-face conditions towards a scenario 2 (mixed teaching) or a scenario 3 (virtual teaching), the continuous assessment activities will be delivered and corrected preferably through the tools of the MOODLE platform .

In the event that the health situation forces to modify the face-to-face conditions towards a scenario 2 (mixed teaching) or a scenario 3 (virtual teaching), the interaction between teacher and students will be carried out preferably through the tools available in the institutional platforms of the UC (chats and MOODLE forums, video calls etc ...) and oral / written presentation through institutional platforms.

Observations for part-time students

The attention and evaluation of students enrolled part-time will be carried out according to the personal circumstances of each student, within the norms indicated in the UC regulations for such cases.

8. BIBLIOGRAPHY AND TEACHING MATERIALS

BASIC

FARINÓS DASÍ, J. y OLCINA CANTOS, J. (Coord.): Geografía Regional de España. Valencia, Ed. Tirant lo Blanch,, 2017

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