

**Academic discipline:
«Geography and local history»**

Code and name of specialty	6-05-0112-02 Primary Education
Training course	1
Semester of training	2
Number of class hours:	52
Lectures	18
Seminar classes	-
Practical classes	34
Laboratory classes	-
Form of current assessment (<i>credit/differential credit/exam</i>)	exam
Number of credits	3
Competences to be formed	To ensure the formation of specialized competence – to use the general patterns of structure, functioning and development of objects of animate and inanimate nature in solving professional tasks.
Brief content of the academic discipline:	
The content of the discipline «Earth science and regional studies» includes work in the following areas: the formation of students' natural science knowledge about the Earth, the processes underlying the constant change of its geographical shell, and related natural phenomena. The discipline also gives an idea of the natural resource features of Belarus in comparison with other territories, as well as the historical and cultural heritage, socio-economic situation, industrial, agrarian, socio-demographic potential of the Republic.	