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## **Annotation**

This bachelor thesis deals with compensatory aids for children with hearing impairment focusing on the Královéhradecký Region. The theoretical part describes the anatomy of the ear, the function and importance of hearing, the hearing impairment, breakdown of defects and hearing disorders are also mapped in this part and how to compensate for these defects. At the end of the theoretical part, the attention is focused on the integration of hearing impaired children into society, the possibilities of communication with them, the education of these children and the services they can use. In the empirical part, we will find out which compensatory aids are most often used by children with hearing impairment in the Královéhradecký Region and how they manage to integrate into society or how they make their life easier. The empirical part is based on a quantitative research strategy, specifically on the questionnaire.

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