



**QUALIFY TO TEACH
ENGLISH ABROAD (TEFL)**

TQUK Level 5 Certificate in Teaching English as a Foreign Language(RQF)

Course overview and guide



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Overview

If you've dreamed of a teaching career abroad, or are passionate about improving English for pupils here in the UK, then this qualification is for you. Finding the right Teaching English as a Foreign Language Course (TEFL) can be confusing, but increasingly language schools around the world are seeking higher calibre candidates that hold a formal TEFL qualification. The Level 5 TEFL Certificate is aimed at professionals looking to teach English in either the UK, overseas or online.

As an OFQUAL regulated qualification, the Level 5 TEFL Certificate is internationally recognised and highly sought after.

For the duration of your studies with us, you will receive the full support and guidance of a personal tutor. In addition, we are able to offer the full development and recruitment package through our sister company, Connex Education Partnership.

Who is this course for?

This course is aimed at professionals who wish to develop the knowledge and skills to specialise in the teaching of English to speakers of other languages either in a classroom or online context.

This course will develop your knowledge of:

- The English language and how to teach it
- How to assess the needs of learners
- Preparing lesson plans and schemes of work
- Resources and materials
- Adapting resources and lessons to meet the needs of younger learners



Entry requirements

- You will need to have achieved at least a Level 2 or hold GCSEs (A-C or 4-9) in English and Maths
- You will need a proficient level of spoken and written English. Ideally, B2+ or C1 on the CEFR (Common European Framework of Reference) or IELTS Level 5
- You will also be required to demonstrate your ability to teach English through a range of observed lessons. Ideally, you will have access to a group of learners to demonstrate this

Key information

- The course is made up of 11 units
- 180 guided learning hours (guided learning hours are the awarding bodies estimate of how long a learner will need to spend studying to complete their qualification)
- 32 credits at Level 5 (credits can be used for “credit transfer” towards other qualifications. They can be added together and built up over time)
- 3 teaching practice sessions must be completed in order for you to achieve this qualification. One of 25 minutes and two of 45 minutes to 1 hour
- This is a distance-learning course that can be studied in your own time
- Assignments will be accessed via the online learning portal when they are to be completed and returned to the course tutor for assessment
- You will receive timely feedback to improve your work should you need to
- Personal tutoring and coaching from a qualified teacher (the importance of this cannot be underestimated)
- After the successful completion of the course, you will receive your nationally recognised digital certificate
- A paper certificate can be issued on request at an additional administration fee of £40 (please allow 15 working days for issue)
- Learners need to complete this certificate within 24 months of registration

*(TQT) is the total amount of time, in hours, expected to be spent by a student to achieve a qualification. It includes both guided learning hours (which are listed separately) and hours spent in preparation, study and assessment.

Career path

Once qualified you will be able to teach English as a foreign language and for those with degrees it could lead to undertaking a teaching qualification and achieving QTS. Through our sister company we can help you find your first TEFL post abroad.



Units Covered

This qualification consists of 11 mandatory units, which cover the teaching and learning of English as a foreign language. Learners must achieve all 29 credits from the 11 mandatory units to pass. You will cover the following units:

Unit 1

Principles of Teaching English as a Foreign Language

Unit 2

Understanding English Grammar

Unit 3

Teaching English Grammar

Unit 4

Teaching English Vocabulary

Unit 5

Teaching Productive Skills: Speaking and Writing

Unit 6

Teaching Receptive Skills: Listening & Reading

Unit 7

Materials and Aids for Teaching English

Unit 8

Teaching Pronunciation of English

Unit 9

Lesson Planning for Teaching English as a Foreign Language

Unit 10

Teaching English as a Foreign Language to Young Learners

Unit 11

Using Resources Effectively

Academic referencing e.g. using quotes from text books within learners' work is a requirement for this qualification, at level 5. Learners must include references in a bibliography.

Also included in your package is **free access to our complete suite of over 80 online continued professional development** including:



- Safeguarding
- Online Safety
- Understanding Autism
- Mental Health Awareness
- Child Sexual Exploitation
- Learner wellbeing
- Adverse Childhood Experiences
- GDPR
- Plus many more, as well as regular workshops and podcasts

This is usually sold at a recommended retail price of £495, excluding VAT, and is available to you for free.



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