

Name 230-HOUR TEFL CERTIFICATE

Course Overview

Valuable teaching qualification to certify your teaching skills.

This virtual course aims at providing both theoretical and practical knowledge to become a qualified English teacher. It consists of three modules which can be done altogether or one at a time, according to your time availability. These modules are:

MODULE I: Background to Teaching:

- Language terminology to describe the English language
- Analysis of the 4 basic skills (writing, speaking, listening, reading) and how to develop them
- Teaching methodologies and analysis of learning theories
- Lesson planning: its components and sequence
- Use of different resources in the classroom to promote learning
- Classroom management and the learning process

MODULE II: Brush up your English:

Phonology:

- English phonetic symbols, place & manner of articulation
- Recognition and production of phonemic scripts
- Grammatical and spelling patterns (past participle and plurals' pronunciation)
- Connected Speech

Language Awareness:

- All the verb tenses, their uses, similarities and differences
- Analysis of grammar structures with a deep understanding of their uses (conditionals, reported speech, unreal pasts & wishes, linking words, verb patterns: gerund-infinitive, etc.).

MODULE III: Teaching Practice:

- Teaching methodologies and learning theories, and their applications
- How to teach grammar and vocabulary successfully
- How to develop the 4 basic skills
- Lesson planning
- Teaching Practice:**
 - How to select appropriate resources and use them effectively
 - How to select suitable activities for the different lessons & stages
 - Classroom management
 - Class observation and its analysis
 - Tutorial: one-to-one feedback sessions on the classes taught by each of the participants

Who should attend?

It is the ideal course for in-service teachers or teacher trainees who want to have a good knowledge of practical teaching techniques as well as theoretical background knowledge to apply in their own classes.

Participants get valuable feedback on their own performance which will definitely help their professional development.

It includes the preparation for **TKT 1-3, Cambridge English** (teaching qualification).

Level of English

B2 - Upper-Intermediate Advanced

Starting Date and Duration

You can start this course anytime in Self-Study modality

Each module will require 110-120 hours (30 hours of input lessons, 40 hours individual work on the platform, 40-60 hours self-study). The whole TEFL course takes about 230 hours to be completed plus self-study.

Each module is thought to be done in 3 months, and the complete course in approximately 9 months. This may vary according to each person's pace, so you can choose to do the course over a longer period of time.

Course Development	<p>This course can be done in two different modalities:</p> <p><i>Course development Mode 1:</i> the course consists of short pre-recorded lessons, which will effectively guide you throughout the course, providing clear explanations and examples, for you to grasp them at once! It is ideal to work at your own pace and it can be done anytime, anywhere. (self-study). See how the recorded lessons are.</p> <p><i>Course development Mode 2:</i> The course consists of live lessons of approximately 60-120 minutes each, done in a virtual room which integrates audio, interactive board and the use of webcam for those who want to use it. There are approximately 50 lessons. You will be interacting with your classmates and tutor, being able to ask any questions along the course. The time is set. You choose the one convenient to you. See how the virtual meetings are.</p> <p><i>In both modalities,</i> you will have access to our Virtual Campus where you will do some practice online and check the assignments after each class. Study notes for each lesson are available there.</p> <p>For Module 3, Teaching Practice, you will find the pre-recorded lessons for you to observe and analyse on our Virtual Campus. You will also have individual feedback from the tutor on the lessons you have taught following the course guidelines.</p> <p>All the material needed for the course will be provided.</p>
Assessment	<p>Upon completion of the course you will have the following tests: A final exam for each of the modules which evaluates what has been learnt along the course and a practical exam in Module 3, Teaching Practice: you will be teaching a class which will be observed and evaluated according to the guidelines given along the course and the one-to-one tutorials. The tests are done online in our Virtual Campus.</p>
Certificates awarded	<p>You will get a <i>TEFL Certificate</i> issued by GI Online Language Studies, which states that you have successfully completed a TTC.</p> <p>Additionally, you will receive a Statement of Completion for each of the modules done, for you to save and print.</p> <p>You can also get an additional certificate from Cambridge English if you have chosen to sit for TKT 1-3 Cambridge English exam.</p>
Method of Payment	<p>PayPal (You do not need to have a PayPal account)</p>

Costo: Please enquire

Duración: **according to your choice**

Modalidad: **Curso Virtual-Clase Interactiva**