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## Combined ADVANCED CERTIFICATE in Teaching English as a Foreign Language (TEFL)

### What is the Combined TEFL Course?

Our Combined TEFL Course is a flexible version of the 4-week TEFL course which will allow you to fit your TEFL studies into your daily commitments. It consists of a distance learning phase plus a residential teaching practice block leading to the Advanced Certificate in Teaching English as a Foreign Language:

PHASE 1: DISTANCE LEARNING

PHASE 2: TEACHING PRACTICE

This combined version of a full TEFL certificate programme allows you to keep your present commitments while completing the course. It covers exactly the same topics as a 4-week intensive course and in the same depth.

First you complete the online part of the course from home and learn about theories, methodology and applied practice of TEFL. This involves completing a series of practical units. You will be assigned a personal tutor who will grade your submissions and guide you through the coursework.

Then you spend two weeks with us planning lessons and teaching real classes of students: these will be a range of adult, young and Business English classes. Such practical and varied experience will make you a very strong candidate on the TEFL market.

The most obvious advantage of this type of course is its flexibility:

You can complete the online part of the course at your own pace and then pick when to take the teaching practice phase. You may even decide to start the teaching practice block before you have completed the online phase, although we recommend you finish at least 50 per cent of it first. It is generally expected, however, that trainees inform the centre of their choice of dates for the teaching practice block four weeks prior to its commencement.

In any case we will try to accommodate your needs and availability.

## Qualifications

This TEFL / TESOL course is accredited internationally by:

**The College of Teachers**, leading to the internationally-recognized **Advanced Certificate in TESOL**, a worldwide accepted TESOL / TEFL certificate.

And

**ACTDEC** (the Accreditation Council for TESOL Distance Education Courses), leading to the **Certificate of Educational Studies in TESOL** conferring successful candidates an official **Associate Teacher of ESOL Status**.

### PLUS

Successful candidates who have enrolled on the Endorsed Certificate will also receive the **Anglo Centres Certificate in Teaching English as a Foreign Language (TEFL)** *with an Endorsement in Teaching English for Business and English to Young Learners*.

The Endorsed Certificate can be particularly useful to those candidates who aspire to work in organisations that run young learners courses and/or provide in-company training.

Shortly after you successfully complete the course, you will be mailed your **certificate, an official transcript bearing the seal of the College of Teachers, and a letter of reference**.

However, your real award will not be a mere piece of paper. Your award will be a possession of the skills, experience and confidence to go out anywhere in the world and successfully teach other learners the English language. At Anglo Centres TEFL, you graduate with more than just a certification to teach, you graduate as a professional educator.

## Who can apply?

If you can speak English proficiently, are dedicated to working hard, are self-motivated and have a passion for learning and helping others learn, then Anglo Centres TEFL's Combined TEFL Certificate course is right for you.

Candidates must be 21 or over and/or show a standard of education that would allow entry to Higher Education.

You don't even need to have any prior teaching experience or qualifications. After successfully completing our course you will have all the training you need to fully qualify you to start working immediately.

Anglo Centres TEFL adheres to an equal rights policy.

## Course contents

Our syllabus covers the following topics:

Learning and learner styles  
Classroom management and teacher language  
Language awareness  
Teaching grammar  
Teaching pronunciation  
Teaching vocabulary  
Teaching models and lesson planning  
Course materials evaluation  
Tests in TEFL/ TESOL  
Teaching the four skills: reading, listening, writing and speaking  
Teaching English for Specific Purposes /Business English (Endorsed Cert)  
Teaching Young Learners and teenagers (Endorsed Cert)  
Observed Teaching Practice  
Observation of Experienced Teachers

The two-week teaching practice block involves a minimum of six hours' observed teaching and lesson planning. There are guided purposeful observations of qualified and experienced tutors which amount to a minimum of eight hours, four of which should be live lessons and then others may be videoed lessons or lessons in which the trainees are foreign language learners.

## How you will be evaluated ...

Your progress will be continually evaluated. There are no exams. As you continue to improve in your teaching abilities your grade will continue to evolve to reflect your professional growth.

Final grades are based on where you are at the end of your training and are given as either A+, A, B+, B or C.

## TEFLing in Tarragona, a balcony to the Mediterranean



Tarragona is located on the Mediterranean Spanish coast at less than 1-hour train ride from cosmopolitan Barcelona. The ancient city of Tarraco, as it was originally known, is now a UNESCO World Heritage Site and possesses everything an ideal tourist destination has to offer. From first-rate beaches and historical buildings, to breath-taking sceneries and architecture, there is a bit of everything for everyone including a vibrant nightlife, plenty of sunshine and excellent food!

While bigger cities such as Madrid or Barcelona seem overcrowded with English teachers, Tarragona still has loads to offer with more and more TEFL graduates choosing it as their destination. An intensive 4-week TEFL course requires good doses of peace and quiet, which a city like Tarragona, unlike bigger cities, can offer along with the opportunity to have fun any day of the week at a much lower cost. Then, if you feel like big-city adventure you can escape to bustling Barcelona at any time! Here are things that people are saying about our great city.



Tarragona 'the Balcony of the Mediterranean' is, owing to the Romans, arguably the most elegant city of the Iberian peninsula. Just like in Barcelona, Tarragona's main promenades are called 'Ramblas', where you can see the beautiful modernist buildings. Tarragona also has a beautiful beach which you can admire from the clifftop 'Balco del Mediterrani'. This balcony divides the city into an old and new part.

Furthermore there are interesting museums and the remains of Tarragona's Jewish quarter is also worth seeing. The Romans called it Tarraco and the huge part of Hispania they conquered was called Tarraconensis. The Roman walls surrounding the Old Town were built on even older huge stones that had been placed there to fortify the hilltop town long before the Romans arrived.

## Course dates and fees

**Dates:** At Anglo Centres TEFL we take pride on a personalised and personable service to our students. You may start the Combined TEFL Certificate as soon as you have been accepted on the course and you have paid the course fees. Then you will decide when you are ready to take the Teaching Practice phase.

**Price:**

Advanced TEFL Certificate (Advanced Cert. TESOL /COES in TESOL) : 900 € \*

Advanced TEFL Certificate (Advanced Cert. TESOL /COES in TESOL)  
*with an Endorsement in teaching English for Business and English to Young Learners:* 970 € \*

Payment in installments may be arranged. Consult **special offers and discounts** on our website.

Shortly after you successfully complete the course, you will be mailed your **certificate, an official transcript bearing the seal of the College of Teachers, and a letter of reference.**

\* Price does not include accommodation. Anglo Centres TEFL can arrange accommodation for your stay  
– this ranges from 35 to 70€ per day you spend with us.

## Contact Anglo Centres TEFL for more ...

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