

Certificate IV in TESOL



The Certificate IV in TESOL is an English teacher qualification at the Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) level 4, designed specifically for adult learners who want to teach English to speakers of other languages either in Australia or overseas. Graduates of this course will meet minimum TESOL specialist qualifications requirements for entry-level teaching positions.

This course continues on from the Certificate III and shows you how to use a range of TESOL teaching methods to assist learners to develop and improve their reading, writing, listening and speaking skills. This course also shows you how to develop tasks or tests to assess language learners, how to assist learners to prepare for language tests such as IELTS, TOEIC or TOEFL, and how to use computers to enhance learning. You will also choose between teaching children or teaching business English.

To attain the Certificate IV in TESOL you need to complete the Certificate III plus another six (6) compulsory Units of competency and one (1) elective unit as follows:

TESRED405A Assist EFL/ESL learners develop reading and writing skills

This unit provides the skills and knowledge required to assist EFL/ESL learners develop or improve their reading and writing skills. You will learn how to assess learners' skills and use a range of activities to help them improve.

TESSPK406A Assist EFL/ESL learners develop speaking and listening skills

This unit provides the skills and knowledge required to assist EFL/ESL learners develop or improve their speaking and listening skills. You will learn how to assess learners' skills and use a range of activities to help them improve.

TESASS407A Assess language learning

This unit provides the skills and knowledge required to develop and/or use tests and activities to assess language learning in an EFL/ESL context. It also teaches you how to provide effective feedback to learners, and how to record, review and interpret test results.

TESMTH408A Apply a range of TESOL methodologies

This unit provides the skills and knowledge required to plan English language skills development and use a range of TESOL methods to meet the needs of your learners. You will also think about and discuss your own teaching performance.

TESTST409A Assist EFL/ESL learners prepare for English language tests

This unit provides the skills and knowledge required to assist EFL/ESL learners to prepare for a range of different English language tests. You will research the English tests that are most appropriate for your learners and source activities for these tests.

TESCAL410A Use computer assisted language learning to assist EFL/ESL learners

This unit provides the skills and knowledge required to use Computer Assisted Language Learning (CALL) to assist EFL/ESL learners. You will learn how to locate and evaluate CALL resources and include them in your language lessons.

TESBUS411A Teach business English to EFL/ESL learners (elective)

This unit provides the skills and knowledge required to help EFL/ESL learners to communicate effectively in an international business environment.

TESCHD412A Use creative strategies to assist children to learn English (elective)

This unit provides the skills and knowledge required to assist children learn English by using creative strategies involving music, drama, games, sports, arts and craft, and/or media. You will learn how to locate and evaluate activities, and use them in your language lessons.