

## THE GLOBAL TEACHER

### Welcome to English for a Lifetime TEFL TEACHERS' ACADEMY



- ✓ **Why should I enroll into English for a Lifetime TEFL Teachers' Academy?**  
English for a Lifetime TEFL teachers' academy primary goal is to prepare current and future teachers to become exemplary practitioners in the English language teaching field. Our intensive and academic coursework help students to transfer theory into practice. As a student, you learn what it means to be an effective English language teacher and how to put what you've learned into practice. Furthermore, we provide continuous professional development and teacher training, for up to one year, after you have successfully completed all online coursework at no additional charge. You will also obtain limitless teaching resources, resume/CV enhancement, and recurring connections, concerning job English language teaching in the states and across the world.
- ✓ **Will your program only be useful for teaching adults?**  
No, a TEFL certification will allow you to teach both children and adult learner populations.
- ✓ **Where should I teach after getting certified?**  
The decision is entirely up to you, but the largest demand and pay potential tends to be in East Asia and the Middle East. There are many other tropical destinations you might consider teaching as well as teaching online and or private language schools in the states.
- ✓ **Should I learn a foreign language before teaching English abroad?**  
We strongly encourage teachers to acquire functional language (conversational) skills of the country's language where they are planning to teach if possible.

✓ **How long has English for a Lifetime been in existence?**

English for a Lifetime was established in February 2012. Our primary goal was to address barriers in overcoming English as a second language among non-native speakers. Thus, we designed and implemented an intensive 2 year English as a second language program for adult learners.

✓ **What is your English teaching philosophy?**

We believe that the classroom should prepare students for the real life/ world experiences. English for a Lifetime stresses the importance of survival English, and we believe that English language classes should be both effective and interactive. We believe that teachers must make learning fun, practical, and understand the value of balancing the difference between making class challenging, depending on the English language being taught. Furthermore, we believe that a teacher must adapt to different situations, whether it means transitioning from teaching in the classroom to e-learning/online platforms.

✓ **Even though I'm not a native English speaker, can I still take TEFL classes?**

Of course. It is recommended that your level of English be advanced, but second language learners can also become ESL teachers.

✓ **Do I need to purchase a book before taking the TEFL class?**

Yes. We recommend purchasing the book through Kindle at Amazon or other online avenues, as COVID-19 has made shipping more difficult.

✓ **How long will it take for me to complete the TEFL class?**

You have six months to complete all online coursework. Because the program consists of 120 study hours, you should work diligently to complete an average of 20 hours of coursework monthly.

✓ **10. What should I expect in each learning unit?**

Coursework consists of 13 units. Each unit involves chapter reading, a discussion, a teaching exercise, and a unit examination, content that you have learned. To advance from unit to unit, you must score a 90% or higher on each ten question multiple-choice exam.

See Unit Overview in chart below:

<b>Unit 1</b>	<b>Foundations of Methodology</b>
<b>Unit 2</b>	<b>Language Skills/Listening Pedagogy</b>
<b>Unit 3</b>	<b>Teaching Pronunciation</b>
<b>Unit 4</b>	<b>Teaching school – aged Learners</b>
<b>Unit 5</b>	<b>Teaching Writing</b>
<b>Unit 6</b>	<b>Teaching Grammar</b>
<b>Unit 7</b>	<b>Assessment in Second Language Classrooms</b>
<b>Unit 8</b>	<b>Lesson Planning</b>
<b>Unit 9</b>	<b>Digital Technology in Language Teaching</b>
<b>Unit 10</b>	<b>Tasked Based Teaching and Learning</b>
<b>Unit 11</b>	<b>Motivation in Second Language Teaching</b>
<b>Unit 12</b>	<b>Teaching Adult Learners</b>
<b>Unit 13</b>	<b>The Reflective Practitioner</b>



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Opening the doors to success