

16. ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE (ESOL) COURSES



WHO IS THIS COURSE FOR?

This series of English as a foreign language courses (ESOL), are for people who do not have English as a first language. There are three levels of courses: beginners, intermediate and advanced level. There will be an initial assessment before each level is taught in order to determine the level each student should be on.

WHY ATTEND THIS COURSE?

There are many reasons why people wish to attend this course. It may be required in order to take a test such as a citizenship exam in order to become a British citizen. Some people may wish to learn English to help you get closer to the workplace or gain employment. Other people may want to improve their English just to feel more confident in everyday situations.

WHAT DOES THE COURSE COVER?

Every level of ESOL covers:-

- Speaking and listening activities
- Reading and writing activities
- Group activities
- Pair work
- Independent activities
- Spelling activities
- Understanding questions
- Giving answers

THEMES CAN INCLUDE:

The following information is a series of ideas that can be developed as stand- alone courses or as a progressive series with learner vocabulary at **Beginner**, **Intermediate** and **Advanced** levels.

SPECIFIC COURSES:-

In addition to this a course can concentrate on one element of English:-

- Speaking – Building confidence in vocabulary
- Speaking - Building confidence in conversational English (informal)
- Speaking - Building confidence in English for the workplace (formal)
- Speaking - Building confidence in instructional English
- Listening - Understanding vocabulary
- Listening - Understanding conversational English
- Listening - Understanding formal English
- Listening - Understanding and following instructions in English
- Reading - Building confidence in reading English
- Writing - Building confidence in writing English
- Combination of speaking and listening
- Combination of reading and writing

LANGUAGE ACQUISITION:-

- Vocabulary building
- Present tense
- Past tense
- Future
- Nouns, adverbs, adjectives, verbs
- Role-play
- Games
- Pictures
- Internet
- Social media
- Books
- Newspapers

SUBJECT AREAS:-

Courses can also be developed around specific subject areas:

- Greeting people
- Going shopping
- Looking for work
- Going to town
- Speaking on the telephone
- Going to the doctor
- Having a meeting
- Going to college

- Going on holiday
- Meeting friends
- Going to a restaurant
- Making an appointment
- Understanding and filling out an application form
- Going to school (as a parent meeting with teachers)
- Going to the vets

HOW LONG IS THE COURSE? HOW MUCH WILL IT COST?

Both the course length and the cost will vary. We can design and deliver a course to the specific requirements of the company or your customers. We offer a free of charge consultation meeting to discuss course options and the length of the course.

TRAINING METHODS AND TECHNIQUES

We offer a wide range of interactive and engaging training techniques. As we all learn differently, each course has a visual, auditory (listening), kinaesthetic (movement) and retrospective, (looking back – reflective) element to appeal to every learner. We adapt according to the diverse needs and abilities of the individual or group.

We also offer extensive public speaking and interviewing experience to offer each training programme.

Please note: All our courses are currently unaccredited. However we can design accredited courses based on specific outcomes as long as your organisation or company has the relevant accreditation for the course.

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