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Introduction

- All our courses except the CELTA and DELTA courses are 2 week courses, 30 x 45 minute lessons per week, total 45 hours
- Our training courses are open to speakers of English as a first or second language, except the language courses, which are intended for speakers of English as a second language only
- Language level required: unless otherwise indicated the minimum English language level on our training courses is Cambridge FCE; TOEFL 500 – 600; new TOEFL 173 – 250; IELTS 6 – 7.

Pre-course preparation

- On submission of an application form, you will be asked to complete a pre-course questionnaire describing your teaching background, experience and teaching context; the topics of areas which are of particular interest to you on this course, and the outcome with which you hope to leave the course
- You will be invited to bring a selection of your own materials so that the course can, where possible, be directly related to the needs of your work.

Teaching methodology

Our courses are experiential and practical. Methods of work include demonstration and discussion of techniques, workshops on task and materials design, discussion and reflection, and interactive tutor led lectures. Courses take place in a working school and opportunities exist to observe experienced teachers.

Follow-up

At the end of the course you and your colleagues will be asked to agree on whether or not to:

- Continue the email group with or without tutor support beyond the course for an agreed specified time
- Complete a post-course assignment, describing and commenting on how the course has influenced your teaching practice. To be submitted within 3 months of the course ending.

Social programme

We provide a social programme of evening activities and half day and full day excursions at weekends to enable you to make the most of your stay with us. Your course tutor will often accompany you on evenings out and you will have ample opportunities to socialise with other teachers and practise your English.