



New Trends

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Explore recent developments in English language teaching methodology. Find out how they can inspire you and your students. Update yourself on developments in language and approaches to language analysis. See how your teaching beliefs can influence your teaching style.

Programme content

In addition to a main course tutor you will have a number of guest tutors for different specialisations. The course will include most or all of the following:

- **ELT methodology**
 - › Teaching grammar and vocabulary creatively and enjoyably
 - › Task-based learning, task design, task management and language awareness raising
 - › The lexical approach, grammar vs vocabulary, understanding and teaching collocation
 - › Humanistic education, attitudes and approaches
 - › Learner-centred teaching; learning styles and learner training, self-assessment, language portfolios, goal setting and reflection
- › Multiple Intelligences and Neuro-Linguistic Programming (NLP)
- › Old and new techniques: drama techniques; noticing; story telling and new forms of dictation
- › Using computers and the internet.
- **Language**
 - › Discourse analysis; the features of spoken English
 - › Varieties of English, English as a lingua-franca, as a European language, as an international language
 - › Developing language awareness, the fifth skill.
- **Teacher development**
 - › Reflection in action; Continuing Professional Development (CPD); action planning, developing your portfolio.

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You can expect

to develop a portfolio of materials, exercises and activities to use in the classroom environment and a more rounded knowledge of the recent developments in English language teaching – essential in this fast-changing profession.