FACULTY OF HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES

Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL Plus)

Sheridan’s TESOL Plus program prepares you to teach English in Canada and abroad.

What’s the “Plus” in TESOL Plus? In one program, you’ll be able to earn three certifications — CELTA, TESL Canada and TESL Ontario. Employers look for these qualifications. If you want to teach ESL learners in Ontario, across Canada or abroad, these highly-respected certifications will qualify you to teach anywhere.

CELTA, TESL Canada and TESL Ontario: three certifications, one program

If you want to teach English abroad, the Certificate in English Language Teaching to Adults (CELTA) may be your ticket. CELTA is known around the world, and many employers ask for it by name. Sheridan is an official CELTA Centre, accredited by the University of Cambridge. You’ll get the practical training that meets Cambridge’s high CELTA standards—and be certified when you graduate.

Teach English abroad with CELTA certification

TESL Ontario sets the standards for ESL teachers in the government-sponsored sector and is perfect for those who want to teach in Ontario. If you want to teach anywhere in Canada, you’ll need qualification from TESL Canada. When you successfully complete Sheridan’s program, you may apply for both your TESL Canada (Standard 2) certification and your TESL Ontario certification.

Teach in Canada with TESL Canada or Ontario with TESL Ontario

Start your new adventure teaching English to second-language learners.

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Admission Requirements

Program Eligibility
• Undergraduate degree from an accredited college or university. Provide Canadian equivalency report if applicable.
• English language proficiency required for those applicants whose mother tongue is not English.

Applicant Selection
Eligible applicants will be selected on the basis of:
1. previous academic achievement
2. English language proficiency
3. pre-interview tasks
4. interview performance
Domestic applicants with education outside of Canada must have their transcripts assessed for equivalency through ICAS or WES. A general (document-by-document) or a comprehensive (course-by-course) assessment is required.
Applicants who are unsuccessful at the task/interview screening stage will be advised on appropriate steps for future applications.

English Language Proficiency
Applicants whose mother tongue is not English will also have to meet language proficiency criteria through one of the following:
TOEFL iBT — Listening: 24; Reading: 24; Writing: 27; Speaking: 24 (or equivalent)
IELTS–Academic — Listening: 7; Reading: 7; Writing: 7; Speaking: 7
Refer to the website for full admission requirements.

Career Opportunities
Sheridan’s TESOL Plus program prepares you for a career teaching English to speakers of other languages in a variety of contexts.

HERE ARE SOME JOBS YOU MIGHT FIND:
College ESL/EFL instructor
Private language school instructor
LINC instructor
ESL administrator
Curriculum developer
Tutor

Courses
SOME OF THE COURSES YOU CAN EXPECT TO TAKE IN YOUR PROGRAM
Methodology in English Language Teaching
Language Learning and Culture
The Learner and Language Acquisition
Assessment and Professional Practice
Integrating Language Skills and Systems
Reflective Teaching Practice

Note: See website for specific terms and course listings.

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