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# CELTA

Certificate in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages

# Teach English anywhere in the world

## CELTA is for you if you are ...

### ... starting a career in English language teaching

CELTA gives you the training you need to start your career as an English language teacher. You'll cover the fundamentals of teaching practice, with the aim of helping you gain confidence in the classroom.

### ... looking for a new career or want a career break

If you're looking for a career change and want to live and work in fascinating places around the world, CELTA can give you the training you need to adjust to a dynamic and challenging new profession.

### ... an English teacher without a formal qualification yet

CELTA gives you the opportunity to develop your teaching practice, confirm your ability, and help you secure a better teaching position.

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## How long is the course?

You can take CELTA:

- full time: usually over four to five weeks
- part-time face-to-face: over a few months or a year
- part-time online: usually over three to nine months.

Check with your local centre to see which formats are available. All options include face-to-face teaching practice.

## What does the course cover?

Whatever format you choose, your course will:

- teach you the principles of effective teaching
- provide a range of practical skills for teaching English to adult learners
- give you hands-on teaching practice.

CELTA covers five key topics:

- Learners and teachers, and the teaching and learning context
- Language analysis and awareness
- Language skills: reading, listening, speaking and writing
- Planning and resources for different teaching contexts
- Developing teaching skills and professionalism.

## How will I be assessed?

You will be assessed throughout the course and your final grade is based on your progress by the end of the course.

The main way you are assessed is through teaching practice – you will teach for a total of 6 hours, working with classes at two levels of ability. You will also complete four written assignments.

Download the full CELTA syllabus at  
[www.cambridgeenglish.org/celtasyllabus](http://www.cambridgeenglish.org/celtasyllabus)

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*CELTA was the best choice for me as so many schools accept it for recruiting."*

Ruth Watkins  
English teacher and CELTA certificate holder, UK

