

TRAINING COURSES FOR TEACHERS September 2018

The world of English teaching is in constant evolution and the British Council has developed a Continuing Professional Development (CPD) framework, illustrated below, with training modules to support teachers and to help them explore new ideas and methods with the lead of our experienced trainers.

We are offering language improvement courses in July and September and the following methodology modules in September 2018. All the modules fit in to the CPD framework and for those who cannot attend our courses, or prefer to work independently, many of the modules are also available online at the website <u>https://www.teachingenglish.org.uk/</u> along with lots of teaching ideas and resources.



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LANGUAGE IMPROVEMENT COURSES

10-hour courses specifically for teachers. We offer one week courses in July and courses over 4 Fridays in September. The courses are designed to help teachers improve their level and confidence using the English language. Lessons will be delivered by experienced trainers.

LEVELS (as defined by the Quadro Comune Europeo di Riferimento per le Lingue):

	B2	Upper Intermediate	
٠	Fridays	: 7 – 14 – 21 – 28 September	15:30 – 18:00

C1+ Advanced

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TEACHING METHODOLOGY COURSES

As all our courses are delivered in English, we ask that all participants have at least an intermediate level of English.

Mon 10-Thu 13 Sept

Teaching Receptive Skills: Reading and Listening (Media & Superiore)

This course is aimed at teachers of English at the Scuola Secondaria di 1° e 2° grado. The course will include an overview of what reading and listening in a foreign language entails, and look at ways of developing learners' skills in these areas. Lesson planning will be analysed, and additional materials and practical ideas for learners and teachers will be demonstrated.

Teaching Grammar & Vocabulary (Media & Superiore)

This course will examine teaching grammar and vocabulary in a foreign language classroom for students at the Scuola Secondaria di 1° e 2° grado. It will explore approaches to analysing and practising English grammar and vocabulary with realistic and communicative approach and include engaging and motivating ideas and activities to use in class.

Mon 17-Thu 20 Sept

Teaching Speaking and Error Correction (Media & Superiore)

Teaching and evaluating speaking is often challenging for foreign language teachers. On this course participants will look at approaches to teaching and practicing this skill and will explore error correction. Practical activities will be provided for teachers to take into their learning environment.

Mon 24-Thu 27 Sept

Teaching Pronunciation (Elementare, Media & Superiore)

This course will look at the features of English pronunciation with a view to developing and practicing techniques for teaching students in Scuola Media and Scuola Superiore. Participants will explore and learn to use new ideas and practical and realistic activities.

Exam Preparation Skills - Preliminary & First (Media & Superiore)

This course will look at the Preliminary and First exams and the different aspects of each. It will explore teaching approaches, including practical materials and techniques, to preparing your students for every aspect of both exams.

Using ICT for CLIL: Aiming at best practice (Media & Superiore)

This four-day course explores the use of Information and Communication Technology to teach through CLIL methodology. Participants will build up a set of tools to enable them to face IT challenges, find suitable websites and materials for lesson planning, produce their own CLIL-type activities and facilitate their students' use of technology to increase motivation and autonomy in the classroom. This course is aimed at middle and high school teachers.

Cost € 150.00 for each 10-hour course.

All courses Monday-Thursday, 15.30-18.00

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