

# TEACHING ENGLISH AS A FOREIGN LANGUAGE IN THE CRÈCHE/PLAYSCHOOL

**QUALIFICATION: Certificate in Teaching English as a Foreign Language in the Pre-School Environment.**


(School of Practical Child Care)

## Who should participate in this course?

With the growth in numbers of immigrants, childcare professionals are finding themselves more and more working with children for whom English is their second language. This course will prepare staff to support the children in learning their new language. As a result these children will integrate much more easily into the childcare setting and culture.

This 20 hour (one evening per week) course is designed for those working with young children in a variety of settings, e.g. crèche staff, playgroup staff, nannies, childminders, teachers, out of school care staff etc.

## Course Syllabus.

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Communication skills</li> <li>▪ Pronunciation and vocabulary</li> <li>▪ English for specific purposes</li> <li>▪ Grammar</li> <li>▪ Language development</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Classroom management</li> <li>▪ Drama and games in language training</li> <li>▪ Supporting the child</li> <li>▪ Using songs to teach English</li> <li>▪ Integrating the child in the childcare setting</li> </ul>  |
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| <b>Duration:</b>           | <b>8 Weeks (one evening per week)</b>  |
| <b>Entry Requirements</b>  | No formal qualifications are necessary<br>Prospective learner must have a minimum level of literacy skills |
| <b>Work Experience:</b>    | No work experience required for this course.   |
| <b>Assessment Methods:</b> | There are no examinations in this course, grading is based on continuous assessment methods.               |
| <b>Course Fee:</b>         | €300 = <b>Deposit:</b> €150 <b>Balance:</b> €150   |