

Language Improvement for Teachers

2 weeks – 33 hours' course content – 11 hours of workshops and talks - full social programme
Erasmus + funding available



This course helps teachers improve their English for use in the classroom. Participants will develop their speaking and listening skills, expand their vocabulary and improve their language accuracy. Most importantly the language taught will focus on useful classroom language and functions, giving teachers the confidence to teach effectively in English. Teachers will also gain useful new ideas for activities and tasks they can use in their own classrooms.

This course is for:

- **Primary** and **secondary** teachers who teach school subjects in English.
- Participants with a **pre-intermediate (A2) – intermediate (B1)** language level.
- Teachers who would like to be more confident using English in the classroom



What you will gain by attending the course:

- the ability to confidently manage and teach lessons in English
- a greater range of vocabulary,
- improvements in your pronunciation
- development of speaking and listening skills
- more awareness of English grammar and ability to use it with greater accuracy and confidence
- greater understanding of a range of techniques and strategies for developing language awareness
- the chance to make professional contacts from other countries and cultures

Course content

This course will cover some or all of the following topics:

- Vocabulary development, e.g. common idioms, phrasal verbs
- Classroom language
- Listening and speaking skills development
- Pronunciation workshops
- English grammar (work on specific tenses and other grammatical features to be determined according to participants' needs)
- Learning how to learn English
- Teaching a mini-lesson

Please note that each course we run is tailored by our expert tutors to the professional needs and priorities of the group so content may be adapted to best suit the needs of your group.

Location



This course will take place at **Bell Teacher Campus** in **Cambridge**, based at **Homerton College** which is part of the **University of Cambridge**. Homerton College is an outstandingly beautiful college in secluded wooded grounds with easy access to Cambridge town centre. It has first-class learning and social facilities. Half-board accommodation is available in single en-suite rooms on site. The training staff at Bell Teacher Campus are all highly qualified and include published authors, materials writers and conference speakers. Afternoons entail a conference style approach with participants able to join an interesting variety of workshops, cultural talks and a special plenary lecture each week from a prominent speaker.

Further information

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