

Admission to the Qualification

To be admitted to the Master of Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages a student must:

- (a) have satisfied the Admission Regulations for admission to the University; and
- (b) have either:
 - i. qualified for an appropriate Bachelor's degree with a B grade point average or better; or
 - ii. been admitted with Academic Equivalent Standing; and
- (c) have been approved as a student by the Dean of Education and Health Sciences.

Notes: The relevance and standard of undergraduate studies and any subsequent professional work experience are the main criteria of approval.

Refer to the UC Calendar (www.canterbury.ac.nz/regulations/) for official University regulations and policies for this programme.

Pathways

Students who wish to leave the programme before completing the MTESOL may be able to credit courses towards a PG Cert TESOL or PG Dip Ed (TLL) or another qualification.

Students looking for a more flexible programme with just some of the MTESOL courses may consider the 180-point Master of Education endorsed in Teaching and Learning Languages course pathway. Those who wish to pursue thesis study may consider the 180-point Master of Education endorsed in Teaching and Learning Languages thesis pathway.

Duration

The MTESOL is usually completed in twelve months, although part-time study is possible. The MTESOL begins in February or November for fulltime students.

Fees

Please refer to our website for up to date fees information www.canterbury.ac.nz/get-started/fees/

Mode of delivery

The MTESOL can be completed entirely by online study or on campus.

Scholarships

You may be eligible to apply for a scholarship or fee waiver. The criteria and forms can be found on the College of Education, Health and Human Development website: www.canterbury.ac.nz/education/scholarships-and-fee-waivers/

Of particular interest to practising teachers are the Ministry of Education and Teach NZ study awards and the UC Associate Teacher Fee Waiver.

The Ministry of Education offers tuition fees scholarships for study towards a Teaching English in Schools for Speakers of Other Languages (TESSOL) qualification. Visit www.education.govt.nz/school/people-and-employment/principals-and-teachers/scholarships-for-people-working-in-schools/tessol/

Enrolment

For information about enrolling in postgraduate programmes in Education at UC visit: www.canterbury.ac.nz/education/qualifications-and-courses/teacher-education/postgraduate-study/

You will need to Apply To Enrol in your chosen courses online at <https://myuc.canterbury.ac.nz>. Course enrolments open from October.

For general enrolment information visit www.canterbury.ac.nz/enrol/

For further information

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Check the Guide to Enrolment or www.canterbury.ac.nz for up-to-date information.

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The MTESOL is ideal for teachers of English throughout the world, graduates of degrees from English speaking countries who wish to teach English in other countries, or teachers who want to specialise in English language education. It can be studied on campus or from anywhere in the world, meaning that students inside and outside New Zealand can get a top quality TESOL master's degree without ever needing to leave home.

Graduates of the MTESOL will be able to facilitate the learning of English in a variety of educational settings from early childhood to tertiary and to understand contemporary thinking on teaching English to speakers of other languages, including technology-enhanced and technology-mediated learning, the situation of indigenous and heritage languages, the structure and use of English, and the position of English in all its varieties in the world, including the study of language politics and current debate about the status of English and the native speaker.

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Programme structure

Students either come to campus or study this programme online either full-time or part-time.

	Fulltime students – February start	Fulltime Students – November start
Nov – Feb		EDEM615 Learning and Teaching Languages
		LING400 English Language Structure
Feb – Jun	EDEM631 Foundations of Language Acquisition and Learning	EDEM631 Foundations of Language Acquisition and Learning
	LING615 World Englishes	LING615 World Englishes
Jul – Oct	EDMM632 Issues in Language Acquisition and Learning	EDMM632 Issues in Language Acquisition and Learning
	EDEM633 Foundations of Technology-Enhanced Language Learning	EDEM633 Foundations of Technology-Enhanced Language Learning
Nov – Feb	EDEM615 Learning and Teaching Languages	
	LING400 English Language Structure	

Flexible learning

To help you balance study with lifestyle and other commitments, UC supports flexible learning.

Part-time study can commence in February, July or November. Visit www.canterbury.ac.nz/courses for course details and start times. Our Student Advisors can help you to plan your courses and make sure your studies are on track to completing your qualification.