

CERTIFICATE IN TESOL ENDORSEMENT

Department of Languages

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The Department of English and World Languages offers the Graduate TESOL endorsement. This endorsement is approved by the state of Ohio and is offered online. The endorsement may be added to any teaching license. This endorsement requires the passage of OAE (Ohio Assessments for Educators) "English to Speakers of Other Languages," with a score of 220 or higher.

Admission Requirements

Applicants for this graduate endorsement must meet the requirements for admission to the College of Graduate Studies at YSU.

Certificate Requirements

Year 1

Fall		S.H.
ENGL 6956	TESOL Methods	3
ENGL 6958	English Grammar	3
Semester Hours		6
Spring		
ENGL 6957	TESOL Practicum	3
Semester Hours		3
Summer		
ENGL 6950	Sociolinguistics	3
ENGL 6951	Language Acquisition	3
ENGL 6954	Language Assessment	3
Semester Hours		9
Total Semester Hours		18

Learning Outcomes

- Use research into the structure and acquisition of language to support students classified as English Learners (ELs) to develop their language and literacy repertoires and content knowledge.
- Use research into the nature of -- and relationships between -- culture, language, and education to construct culturally-sustaining learning environments for students classified as ELs.
- Use evidence-based principles and practices to plan, implement and manage standards-based ESOL and content instruction.
- Understand assessment issues in TESOL and use standards-based measures with ESOL students.
- Use knowledge of TESOL, both past and present, to reflect on and improve professional practices.