

Teach English in South Korea

TEFL Certification and Paid ESL teaching job in South Korea

- 120 hrs International TEFL (Online) available at 399 USD
- 120 hrs Online TEFL + 20hrs Teaching Practice available at 650 USD
- 120 hrs Online TEFL + 50hrs Teaching Practice available at 900 USD





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If you are planning to teach EFL/ESL abroad and seemed a little confused about where to start your TEFL adventure then you can always choose South Korea. South Korea is gaining prominence as a premiere TEFL destination and this Asian country is attracting EFL/ESL teachers like never before. South Korea is one Asian nation with an urbanised society, a unique culture, warm people and abundance of TEFL jobs. You will get the opportunity of working with other English Korean teachers which will help you to gain substantial knowledge about teaching English in Korean classrooms and learn about proper teaching methods for instructing speakers of other languages. It is always going to be an invigorating experience teaching Korean students.

EFL/ESL Jobs in Korea

Once you are in Korea you can look forward to varied teaching jobs from one month English camps to yearlong contract in educational institutions and in no time you will be part of a tech savvy fast paced Asian

culture which will lend you a new perspective about life away from your comfort zone. Private schools (called hagwans in Korean) are privately owned and managed academies and the classes usually comprise of 5-15 students and there will be other foreign teachers as your colleagues whereas public schools are owned by the government, and are similar to any public school in the U.S. Public school classrooms comprise of 30-40 kids. Public schools generally prefer and usually hire only native English speakers to teach English. Teaching aspirants need not require speaking Korean but preference is given to those with a Bachelor's degree and a TEFL certificate.

Salary and Benefits

The TEFL industry in South Korea is quite big and a great deal of importance is given to English education in the South Korean public and private school systems. A lot of foreign EFL/ESL teachers come to Korea under the auspices of the government-run program for English instruction in public schools called EPIK.

South Korea offers a plethora of opportunities when it comes to English teachers and there is a large community of foreign teachers in Korea from countries like USA and UK. The pay scale is extremely good in South Korea and if anyone goes for a one year contract he/she will get a free accommodation, airfare and all the necessary facilities.

Salary structure of an EFL/ESL teacher in South Korea varies from school to school:

- Average teacher salary at a Korean Hagwon or private academy ranges from 1.9 to 2.1 million won or 1,600 USD - 1,900 USD per month
- EFL/ESL teacher salaries at a public school range from 1.5 - 3 million won or 1,265 USD to 2,500 USD per month
- International schools pay between 1.8 - 2.9 million won or 1,600 USD - 2,700 USD to an EFL/ESL teacher

ESL jobs galore all over South Korea

In Seoul you will find lots of teaching English jobs and there is sizable chunk of EFL/ESL teachers working in the Korean capital. South Korea has a lot to offer to its visitors and its cities blend modernity and tradition in a beautiful manner and provide with an understanding of the Korean culture. Aspiring TEFLers can start their teaching stints in Seoul followed by Busan, Jeju Island known as the "Hawai of Korea", Gwangju and other smaller cities like Jeonju, Mokpo, Suncheon, Gangwan-do province, Gyeongsangnam-do province. Learning English from the third grade is compulsory as part of Korean public education system and teaching young learners can be a great option as public school jobs are easily available and the recruitment takes place in the months of March and August.



About Asian College of Teachers (ACT)

Asian College of Teachers is an outstanding training organization with its sole focus on high quality teacher education which boasts of a strong global presence with an impressive 10,000 enrolments and an "Excellence in Education" award earned at the 7th Achievers Summit for the "Global Achievers Award" held in Bangkok on 23rd August 2014.

ACT in collaboration with KORVIA

Asian College of Teachers has taken an initiative to design custom-made TESOL courses in collaboration with Korvia, the most reliable Korean ESL agency which recruits EFL/ESL teachers to teach English in Korea. Moreover, trainees will get help with all paper work to fetch your E2 Visa for South Korea. Korvia is an official partner of the EPIK program, which is a public school English teaching program in Korea sponsored by the Korean government that places teachers in different South Korean cities and provinces. The relentless competition to become proficient in English language has opened doors to the aspiring TEFLers to travel to this intriguing nation and teach English to the Koreans.

ACT TEFL Courses accredited by TESOL Canada

Asian College of Teachers' TEFL / TESOL courses are accredited by TESOL Canada. All successful TEFL students of Asian College Of Teachers can appear for the internationally recognized TESOL Board exam which is organized through TESOL Canada in association with ACT. Students after passing the board exam will receive as exclusive TESOL Canada and TESOL USA TEFL

Certificate which is duly notarized by Canada and USA government. The certificates can be taken to the relevant Indian Embassy for embassy verification and their signatures and seals. For Indian students working and living in Dubai, UAE, Gulf countries their certificates can be signed and sealed by the U.A.E Embassy.

We design interactive workshops for professional educators

The workshops conducted are meant for educators seeking professional development and the trainers travel to the respective places to conduct workshops for a few days. The workshop is designed according to the requirement of the school so that the participating teachers bring back to classes flood of innovative ideas and it also puts emphasis on various hands on activities, games etc which engage the candidates and aid in better understanding. The workshops are usually interactive with the training enriching the minds of the candidates with relevant knowledge. These workshops involve teachers in learning activities and encourage the development of teaching communities.

ACT has worldwide associations with schools

ACT has associations with various schools in India and all over the world ranging from Qatar to China and also offers special package for group admission in case of bulk enrolment from schools or other educational institutions. Asian College of Teachers is committed to provide learning to future educators which will be an experience that is meaningful as well as beneficial for the future teachers. We provide teacher education that will prepare aspiring as well as working teaching

professionals for new roles and responsibilities and acquaints them with the emerging trends in the field of teaching and training.

ACT has acquired valuable accreditations TESOL Canada

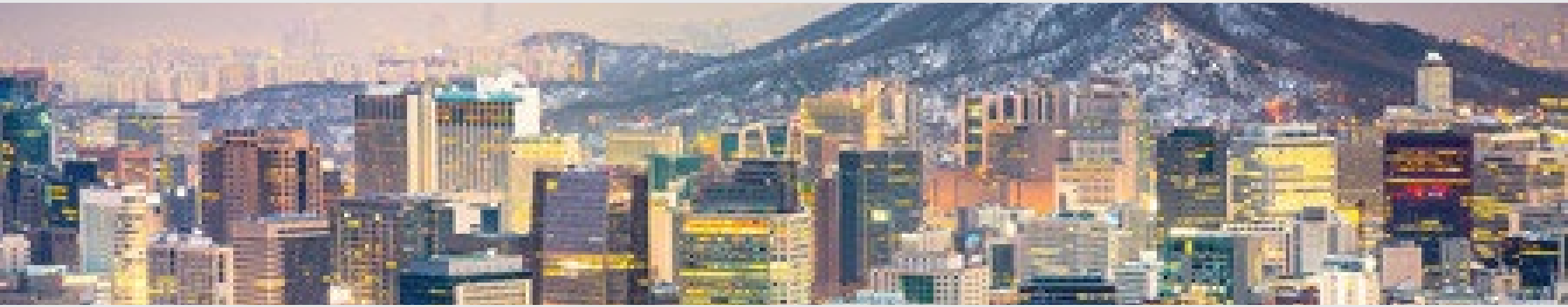
All ACT TESOL / TEFL Certificates are approved by TESOL Canada & TESOL U.S.A and certified through the Canadian Government. All ACT TEFL qualified students can also apply for TESOL Board exam through TESOL Canada to receive an Exclusive TESOL Certificate certified and notarized by Canada and USA government.

College of Birmingham

ACT is accredited and its courses are validated by the well-known College of Birmingham, which is duly accredited by the British Institute of Resource Development, England, ATHE – Award for Training and Higher Education & EDEXCEL approved centre. All our students are eligible for a separate certification from College Of Birmingham, UK after successful completion of our courses.

London School of Teaching and Training (LSTT)

Most of the Teachers training courses of Asian College Teachers and endorsed, weighted and certified by London School of Teaching and Training, United Kingdom. LSTT is a prominent name when it comes to world class teachers training. LSTT offer high quality and well researched training for teachers as well as Continuing Professional Development (CPD) for leaders, managers, teachers, and support staffs.



TESOL Courses

TEFL/TESOL program is an international program of training for teachers where they are equipped with the latest language teaching techniques. TEFL is an intensive learning experience and instils a sense of confidence among the trainees so that they do not face any problem while teaching diverse learners.

About the courses

Asian College of Teachers offers 3 comprehensive TESOL courses – 120 hours, 140 hours including 20 hours of Teaching Practice and 170 hours including 50 hours of Teaching Practice for TEFL aspirants planning an international teaching career. TESOL offers an exceptional multi-cultural opportunity for those who are passionate about both travelling as well as teaching. This TESOL course specifically designed for Korean EPIK program is all about learning the English language and its teaching methods using fun-based techniques and preparing the trainees for travelling to a new country and finding well paid teaching jobs in Asia.

Special Features

- TESOL training inculcates in you, all the instrumental techniques of teaching basic language skills – listening, speaking, reading and writing to speakers of other languages.
- Korean cultural training, which will help in adapting to the culture

- Teach English in Korea for one year with a salary starting from 1500 USD
- Airfare reimbursed up to 1800 USD
- Help with all paper work to fetch your E2 Visa for South Korea
- Unique experience of Korean culture and lifestyle

Course Curriculum

Online TEFL Curriculum

- Phase 1 - Introduction to TESOL
Language Acquisition, EFL teaching, Learners
- Phase 2 - The Study of English
Grammar, Phonology, Teaching Vocabulary
- Phase 3 - Teaching Techniques (Language Skills)
Part I: Teaching Speaking, Teaching Listening, Teaching Reading, Teaching Writing
Part II: Context and Language Modelling, Communicative ways
- Phase 4 - Classroom Management
The components,
Disaster Management: Mixed and large groups
- Phase 5 - Lesson Planning
Guidelines, Format, Samples
- Phase 6 – Need Based Language Teaching
EAP, ESP, Business Communication
- Phase 7 – Teaching Young Learners
Difference between Adults and YL , Different

orientation, Songs, Rhymes, Stories and games

Phase 8 – Text books and Materials

Evaluating Text books, Types and use of Materials

Teaching Practice Sessions

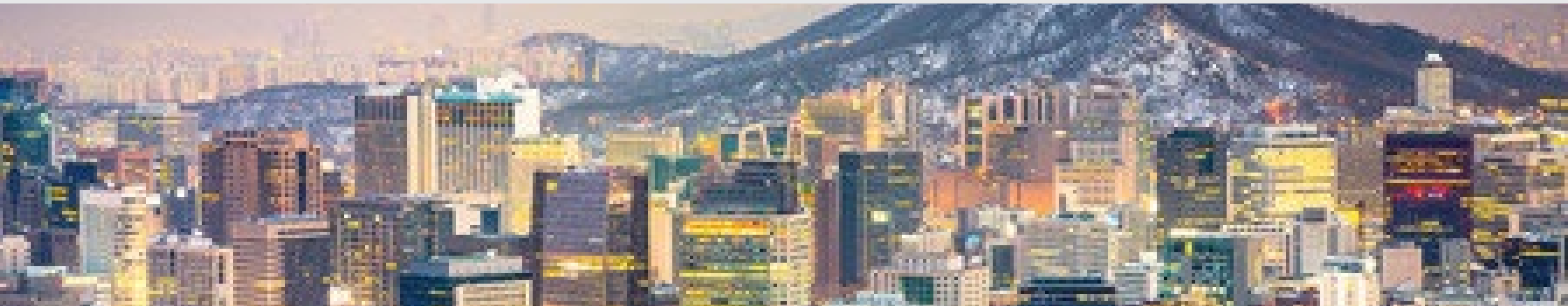
20 hours and 50 hours of Teaching Practice

While pursuing the 140 hours course, the trainees will get an opportunity for 20 hours of teaching practice and likewise 50 hours of teaching practice for those going for 170 hours course. The sessions help them to get an overview of the real classroom and how to fit into EFL/ESL teaching. It is a great opportunity to gain firsthand experience in EFL/ESL teaching.

Asian College of Teachers encourages the trainees to avail the teaching practice sessions during the course as practical experience will instil confidence in them. It can provide endless rooms to rectify mistakes and become a complete EFL/ESL teacher who can confidently face diverse classrooms not only in South Korea but anywhere in the world.

Course Duration

Teaching English abroad can be a very rewarding and successful experience for those who are eyeing an international career. 120 hours, 140 hours and 170 hours TESOL courses offered by Asian College of Teachers can be availed at very special prices of 399 USD/308 GBP, 650 USD/503 GBP and 900 USD/697 GBP respectively.



FAQ

WHO OPERATES THIS COURSE?

Asian College of Teachers

DO I NEED TO PREPARE ANYTHING BEFORE ENROLLING IN THIS COURSE?

No. You do not need to prepare anything as such. A basic knowledge in English language will do.

ARE THERE ANY EXTRA FEES (TEXTBOOKS OR COURSE MATERIALS) IN ADDITION TO THE COURSE ENROLLMENT FEE?

No. The course fee will include the price of the course material.

IS THERE A FINANCING PLAN AVAILABLE FOR THIS COURSE?

No. We do not have any financing plan right now.

HOW EARLY SHOULD I BOOK MY SPOT IN THIS COURSE?

Students can begin the course at their convenience. There is no particular start date.

ARE THERE AGE RESTRICTIONS FOR THIS COURSE?

Yes. 18 years is the minimum age bar for the course enrolment.

ARE THERE NATIONALITY RESTRICTIONS FOR THIS COURSE?

Yes. You must have citizenship from the US, UK, Canada, Ireland, Australia, New Zealand or South Africa. Korean Immigration will only process English teaching work visas for these 7 nationalities.

CAN I TAKE THIS COURSE IF I'M NOT A NATIVE ENGLISH SPEAKER?

No. This course is designed for teaching English in South Korea as schools there tend to hire native English speakers only.

CAN I TAKE THIS COURSE WITHOUT PREVIOUS TEACHING EXPERIENCE?

Yes. You can enrol for this course without any previous experience.

CAN I TAKE THIS COURSE WITHOUT A COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY DEGREE?

No. Having a bachelor's degree from the US, UK, Canada, Ireland, Australia, NZ or SA is mandatory to get hired in South Korea for a teaching job.

IS THIS COURSE 'SELF-TAUGHT' OR IS IT LED BY AN INSTRUCTOR?

The online component is self-taught with a complete tutor support. Students can complete the course & exams at their own pace.

HOW MUCH CONTACT & SUPPORT WILL I HAVE WITH MY INSTRUCTOR ON A DAY-TO-DAY BASIS?

Tutor support is always available as and when required via text, email or Skype. The tutor will provide complete guidance throughout the course.

DO THE COURSES INCLUDE 'TEACHING PRACTICE' COMPONENTS?

Yes. 140 and 170 hours courses provide 20 hours and 50 hours teaching practice sessions respectively.

IS THIS COURSE ACCREDITED?

Yes. This course is internationally accredited by the TESOL Canada, London School of Teaching and Training (LSTT) and College of Birmingham (COB).

WILL THE CERTIFICATION FOR THIS COURSE EXPIRE?

No. The certificate does not expire. The certificate is equally credible as a high school diploma or degree, and the credential will last lifetime.

IS THIS COURSE WRITTEN IN BRITISH ENGLISH OR AMERICAN ENGLISH?

This course is written in British English but well developed for Americans, Canadians, British, Irish, Australians, New Zealanders and South Africans. Assignments can be submitted in both American and British English.

ON AVERAGE, HOW LONG DOES THIS COURSE TAKE TO COMPLETE?

6-10 weeks.

HOW MUCH TIME DO I HAVE, IN TOTAL, TO COMPLETE THE COURSE?

7 months.

WHAT HAPPENS IF I FAIL THE COURSE?

Trainees, who fail to meet the minimum requirement for successful completion, will not receive the respective certification. Trainees can't progress with the course until passing each module. Tutors give proper support to the trainees to ensure maximum chances of success.



Testimonials



Siwon Coleman

120 Hrs TESOL Online Course

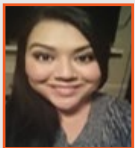
The different methodologies of teaching, which was quite evident for all age groups added depth to the course. The course was quite informative and insightful. I would recommend this course to my friend. I currently work as a summer camp English Teacher at the Community Church of Great Neck in Great Neck, New York.



Robert Simpson

120 Hrs TESOL Online Course

The content with the lesson plan were useful. The course content was relevant. It was positive experience. All my doubts were clarified and addressed. The course is excellent. I would definitely recommend this course.



Michelle Torres

120 Hrs TESOL Online Course

In the Assignments, slight examples were given that elaborated what exactly was being asked of you. It was very helpful. All phases were useful in understanding the material. However, in most phases there were moments when re-reading was necessary due to run on sentences or lack of commas. Definitely learned a lot through the course, very useful and can definitely help someone interested in teaching ESL/EFL.



Kathryn

120 Hrs TESOL Online Course

The examples following the instruction. I believe I learned a lot! Even though there was no official class in the course, I came away feeling prepared to teach my own TEFL classroom. The course was beneficial and I would definitely recommend this course.



Jasmin Ventura

120 Hrs TESOL Online Course

The trainers were amazing with their feedback. They highlighted parts of my assignment so I knew exactly what they were referring to. They also helped in correcting anything I got wrong by giving a solution instead of just telling me I got it wrong. It was simple, not stressful at all, and I learned a lot that I would not have had I not taken this course.



Chinazo Onwukaike

USA

The most useful aspect of the course was the feedback given about each lesson. It was highly beneficial. I never used the videos and supplemental materials so they were not very useful for me. This was the greatest part of the course. I was given extraordinary feedback from my trainer. This course has given me the confidence to go out in the world and help students better themselves. I would definitely recommend this course to a friend.



James Moon

USA

The feedback and evaluation was extremely helpful and much appreciated. Not necessarily pertaining to a certain phase, but some videos were restating material found in the readings rather than being supplemental. My trainer, Diana, was great and provided clear, honest feedback. It was an informal and helpful experience. I would recommend this course to a friend.



Minh Ngo

USA

I found the feedback on my answers from the coordinator most useful. They helped direct me and gave good advice. I think all the phases were useful actuality. I was pleased with the feedback. I had a good experience and learned a lot from the course.



Holly Harris

New Zealand

The feedback was always useful and prompt. Very good feedback. The material was comprehensive and the feedback always very prompt which was appreciated. I would recommend this course to a friend.



Andrew Mortega

USA

I found the feedback on the assignments most useful. The feedback was wonderful. The Trainers are always available and are very helpful. It's a course that moves at your own pace. I would recommend this course to a friend.