# TKT-YOUNG LEARNERS CERTIFICATE

Greystone

- Provides an understanding of the fundamentals of TESOL
- Prepares students to take the Cambridge Teaching Knowledge Te
- Four-week course that focuses on a high degree of interaction between instructor & students
- Builds confidence and fluency in speaking and presentation skills
- Option to take the internationally-recognized Cambridge TKT examined

### Campus

Vancouver

### **Program Length**

4 weeks (27 hours per week)

Schedules will be adjusted in December to accommodate public holidays.

### **2021 Start Dates**

2021: May 25, Jul 19, Sep 13, Nov 8

**2022:** Jan 31, Mar 28, May 23, Jul 18, Sep 12, Nov 7

### 2021 Fees

Registration fee:	\$200
Tuition:	\$1,660
Material fee:	\$125
TKT YL exam fee:	\$125* (Optional)

\*Fee based on early registeration deadline, which is up to 2 months prior to the test date - inquire with Greystone for the exact early registration dates.

2021 TKT YL Test dates: Jun 18, Aug 13, Oct 8, Dec 3 All fees are in Canadian dollars.

Bursaries available. Contact us or your local Greystone College representative for more info.

### **Entry Requirement**

- Students who are interested in attending Greystone College must have a secondary school diploma, GED or mature student status.
- All applicants whose first language is not English must demonstrate an Intermediate 3 level of English with Greystone College's online written and speaking test.

# The online written and speaking test is exempt if TOEFL iBT 46, IELTS 5.5 or ILSC Intermediate 3 is presented.

If an applicant fails to meet the minimum requirements, they cannot be waived by either the institution or the student.

### **Program Description**

The objective of this course is to prepare students for the Cambridge Teaching Knowledge Test. Students who take this course will build their confidence and improve their speaking skills by leading ESL activities and giving presentations; students will also learn the fundamentals of TESOL, including peer-teaching.

## **Program Schedule**

TIME	MON-THU	FRI	
9:00 AM-12:00 PM	Class	Class	
12:00-1:00 PM	Lunch		
1:00-2:30 PM	Class	No class	

## What is TKT?

TKT is a test from Cambridge ESOL about teaching English to speakers of other languages. It aims to increase teachers' confidence and enhance job prospects by focusing on the core teaching knowledge needed by teachers of primary, secondary or adult learners, anywhere in the world. This flexible and accessible award will help you to understand different methodologies for teaching, the 'language of teaching', the ways in which resources can be used, the key aspects of lesson planning, and classroom management methods for different needs.



# **TKT-Young Learners Certificate Program Overview**

#### PART 1

PART 2

PART 3

#### KNOWLEDGE OF YOUNG LEARNERS AND PRINCIPLES OF Teaching English to Young Learners

- Children's characteristics as language learners
- Developing children's learning strategies through language learning
- Developing children's cognitive strategies through language learning
- Developing children's communications strategies through language learning

#### PLANNING AND PREPARING YOUNG LEARNER LESSONS

- Lesson plans—components/headings
- Providing support and challenge when selecting coursebooks and supplementary materials
- Additional resources—selecting, adapting and supplementing

#### **TEACHING YOUNG LEARNERS**

- Utilizing teaching strategies through peer teaching and micro teaching exercises
- Scaffolding children's understanding of language and use of language through teacher language and teaching strategies
- Using practice activities to consolidate children's language and learning
- Managing young learners in class

#### PART 4 ASSESSING YOUNG LEARNER LEARNING THROUGH CLASSROOM BASED ASSESSMENT

- Purposes of different types of classroom-based assessment
- Focus of different types of classroom-based assessment
- Acting on classroom-based assessment evidence



# Bring your own device

To ensure our students have the most transformative learning experience we recommend the following minimum device requirements:

- Windows 7 or Mac OS v.10.7 or higher
- Processor: Intel I5-6400 or Ryzen 5 1400 minimum
- Memory: 4 GB recommended
- Screen: 14 inches recommended
- Connectivity: WI-FI and LAN
- Ports: minimum 1 USB 3.0 port
- Mouse and video camera

We recommend purchasing an external numeric keyboard if your device does not already have one. Students are provided with a free Microsoft Office 365 account during their studies.



#### PRIVATE TRAINING ACT OF MINISTRY OF Advanced education

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