TEACHING ENGLISH AS A SECOND/FOREIGN LANGUAGE - GRADUATE CERTIFICATE

College of Arts and Sciences
Department of English
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Examples of Possible Careers*

Adult basic education, adult secondary education, and English as a Second Language instructors
- 10.4% decline
- 59,300 number of jobs
- $55,350 potential earnings

Tutors and teachers and instructors, all other
- 7.4% faster than the average
- 406,200 number of jobs
- $40,590 potential earnings

Additional Careers
- Teacher of English as a foreign language
- Community college ESL instructor
- Language school instructor (in the US or abroad)
- Curriculum designer
- Educational materials writer/editor
- Language assessment writer/editor
- Educational consultant

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Fully offered
- Kent Campus

Admission Terms
- Fall
- Spring
- Summer

Description
The Teaching English as a Second/Foreign Language graduate certificate is for students who are interested in developing professional knowledge and skills in the area of teaching English. The curriculum focuses on providing students with a broad background in the field, in particular linguistics, language-teaching methodologies and language acquisition and use.

Program Requirements

Certificate Requirements

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Minimum Total Credit Hours: 18

Graduation Requirements

Minimum Certificate GPA | Minimum Overall GPA
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3.00                    |

- Students declared in a doctoral degree should enroll in the doctoral-level version of these courses, if offered.

*Note
Source of occupation titles and labor data is from the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics’ Occupational Outlook Handbook. Data comprises projected percent change in employment over the next 10 years; nation-wide employment numbers; and the yearly median wage at which half of the workers in the occupation earned more than that amount and half earned less.