



Teach & Talk: Empowering English for Educators

2 weeks – face to face or online

Whether you want to come to Cambridge for the full Bell Teacher Academy experience or prefer to join us online from where you are, both options are available to you. This course is offered as face to face or online. Please note that face to face and online courses are run separately and may take place at different times. Please check our dates and fees for details.

On-campus (face-to-face) participants enjoy:

- 15 hours' course content per week (30 total)
- 5.5 hours of workshops and talks per week* (11 total)
- A full social programme

The sample face to face timetable can be found [here](#).

Online participants enjoy:

- 15 hours' course content per week – taught synchronously via Zoom (30 hours total)

The sample online timetable can be found [here](#).

*please note workshops and talks will be on a wide variety of subjects with broad appeal to participants on all Bell Teacher Academy courses and are not specific to this course.

Course summary

This course helps teachers improve their English for use inside and outside the classroom. Participants will develop their speaking and listening skills, expand their vocabulary, improve their language accuracy and become more confident users of English. Teachers will also gain useful new ideas for activities and tasks they can use in their own classrooms.

This course is for:

- Kindergarten, primary and secondary teachers of any subject who would like to update and improve their own English.
- Participants with a **pre-intermediate (A2) – intermediate (B1)** language level.
- Teachers who would like to be more confident using English in the classroom.



What you will gain by attending the course:

- the ability to confidently manage and teach lessons in English
- a greater range of vocabulary,
- improvements in your pronunciation
- development of speaking and listening skills
- more awareness of English grammar and ability to use it with greater accuracy and confidence
- greater understanding of a range of techniques and strategies for developing language awareness
- the chance to make professional contacts from other countries and cultures

Course content

This course will cover some or all of the following topics:

- Vocabulary development, e.g. common idioms, phrasal verbs
- Classroom language
- Listening and speaking skills development
- Pronunciation
- English grammar (work on specific tenses and other grammatical features to be determined according to participants' needs)
- Learning how to learn English
- Giving a short presentation in English

Location

The face to face course will take place at **Bell Teacher Academy in Cambridge**, based at **Bell Cambridge School**. The Bell Cambridge campus is located in quiet and beautiful grounds with easy access to Cambridge town centre. It has first-class learning and social facilities. The training staff at Bell Teacher Campus are all highly qualified and include published authors, materials writers and conference speakers. Afternoons entail a



conference style approach with participants able to join an interesting variety of workshops, cultural talks and a special plenary lecture each week from a prominent speaker.

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