

MASTER OF TESOL

(Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages)



START DATES

February, July, November

DURATION

1 year (3 trimesters)

POINTS

180 points

NZQA

Level 9

TUITION FEES

NZ\$36,150 per 120 points (NZ\$54,250 for full programme)

ADMISSION REQUIREMENT

Academic requirements

A Bachelor's degree in Linguistics, English Language, Education, or a language other than English with at least a B average.

English requirements

IELTS 6.5 with no sub-score below 6

QUALIFICATION STRUCTURE

- ▶ Master of TESOL (180 points)
- ▶ Postgraduate Diploma in TESOL (120 points)
- ▶ Postgraduate Certificate in TESOL (60 points)

The MTESOL, PGDipTESOL, and PGCertTESOL make up a tiered family of qualifications. These are 'staircased', so that courses completed for a smaller qualification can count towards a larger one.

COURSEWORK

- ▶ LALS 560 Language Teaching Practice* (15 points)

At least seven courses from the following

Three courses from:

- ▶ LALS 510 Listening and Speaking in the Language Classroom (15 points)
- ▶ LALS 511 Teaching Reading and Writing (15 points)
- ▶ LALS 515 Language Curriculum Development (15 points)
- ▶ LALS 521 Language for Specific Purposes (15 points)
- ▶ LALS 522 Teaching and Learning Vocabulary (15 points)
- ▶ LALS 523 Assessment for Learning in the Language Classroom (15 points)
- ▶ LALS 524 Language Testing (15 points)
- ▶ LALS 529 Task-Based Language Teaching (15 points)
- ▶ LALS 531 Computer-assisted Language Learning (15 points)

Two courses from:

- ▶ LALS 512 Exploring Grammar using Corpus Linguistics (15 points)
- ▶ LALS 513 The Pronunciation of English (15 points)
- ▶ LALS 544 Discourse Analysis and Language Teaching (15 points)
- ▶ LALS 563 Sociolinguistics and Language Education (15 points)

Two courses from:

- ▶ LALS 520 Second Language Acquisition (15 points)
- ▶ LALS 525 Learner Autonomy and Learning Strategies (15 points)
- ▶ LALS 542 Interaction and Identity in Language Learning (15 points)

Further courses worth 75 points

*LALS 560 will not be required for students who have completed at least two years of professional experience in language education or a related field.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES IN THESE AREAS

Advertising marketing, market research, and public relations; academic careers; business communication and the public sector; education; information technology and computer science; interpreting and translating; media, journalism, and publishing; research and administration; TESOL; training

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