

# Basics of ESL Teaching 102

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## Gaining techniques for teaching oral skills

1-Day Workshop—8 hours of training

Online Only via Zoom

Saturday, April 11, 2026

### Workshop Objectives:

- Identify various types of speaking skills learners need to master
- Discover effective techniques and strategies for teaching conversational skills
- Understand the basics of the English pronunciation system
- Learn how to begin to teach pronunciation as part of your lessons
- Understand the basics of teaching listening comprehension including best practices for adapting listening materials

### Workshop Topics:

- Teaching English Pronunciation
- Teaching Speaking / Conversation
- Teaching Listening Comprehension

### Rationale:

This 1-day workshop can be combined with two other modules (101 & 103) for a 30 hour Reach Out with English (ROWE) certificate—equivalent to the 1-week intensive course.

### FAQs

#### How can a 1-day workshop help me?

Training is essential for a credible, effective ESL teaching ministry. The carefully sequenced 1-day workshop format is designed to be a first step or the next step after conferences which provide more of a “smorgasbord.”

#### What is the date and time for the workshop?

This class meets on Saturday, April 11 from 8:30-5 p.m. CT.

**How much does the workshop cost?** \$95 for e-mailed registration received on or before March 30, \$115 after March 30.

**What’s included in the cost?** 8 hours of training, course materials, and link to Dropbox site with additional materials.

**When is payment due?** Online payment by secure link due after completion of the workshop.

**Will I receive a certificate?** Certificate of attendance (8-hour) awarded upon completion. If seeking ROWE certificate, 2 hours of outside work applying the concepts to your current or future teaching situation required for 10-hour certificate.

**How do I register?** Registration form available on our website.