

Basics of ESL Teaching 103

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Solidifying your Foundation for ESL Teaching Ministry

1-Day Workshop—8 hours of training

Online Only via Zoom

Saturday, April 25, 2026

Workshop Objectives:

- Understand the key aspects of teaching grammar with more effectiveness
- Identify various types of testing and choose appropriate types of assessment to measure progress and achievement of language learning objectives
- Explore the needs of literacy / low level learners and become better prepared to meet their needs
- Evaluate ESL materials & choose principled teaching resources and textbooks
- Locate and choose materials appropriate for your learners' needs and goals

Workshop Topics:

- Teaching Grammar
- Effectively Assessing Student Progress
- Teaching Literacy & Low-Level Students
- Evaluating & Selecting Materials

Rationale:

This 1-day workshop can be combined with two other modules (101 & 102) for a 30 hour Reach Out with English (ROWE) certificate—equivalent to the 1-week intensive or 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” rather than carefully sequenced topics.

What is the date and time for the workshop?

This class meets on Saturday, April 25 from 8:30-5 p.m. CT.

How much does the workshop cost? \$95 for e-mailed registration received on or before April 13, \$115 after April 13.

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.