**Application Form for the Gatehouse Awards TEFL (Teaching English as a Foreign Language) Course.**

**Instructions**

*Please complete this form electronically in full and submit it, with a scanned copy of your identification to your authorised GA centre or your GA direct contact.*

*Please note, your application does not guarantee acceptance onto the course.*

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| **SECTION A: Your Details** | |
| **First name(s)** |  |
| **Surname**  (family name) |  |
| **Date of birth** (dd/mm/yyyy) |  |
| **Email address** |  | |
| *\*Please note: your name in full as provided above must also match your ID. Your email address as provided in full will be the email address used to generate your online course username. Please ensure these are accurate.* | |
| **Your address** |  |
| **Country** |  |
| **Phone number** |  |
| **Education history** | *(please give a brief overview of your previous education, including your highest level qualifications to date)* |
| **Current level of English language proficiency** | Below B2  B2  C1  C2 |
| *The following two questions are only for candidates with current and / or previous teaching experience (NB this does not have to be experience teaching English, it can be another language or another subject)* | |
| **Current teaching role** |  |
| **Your teaching experience to date** |  |

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| **SECTION B: The course you are applying for** | |
| **Course Title** | **Tick** |
| Level 3 Award in Teaching Business English |  |
| Level 3 Award in Teaching English One-to-One |  |
| Level 3 Award in Teaching English to Young Learners |  |
| Level 3 Award in Awareness of Grammar for Teaching English as a Foreign Language |  |
| Level 3 Award in Teaching English Online |  |
| Level 3 Award in Principles and Practices of Lesson Planning |  |
| Level 3 Certificate in Teaching English as a Foreign Language |  |
| Level 5 Certificate in Teaching English as a Foreign Language |  |
| Level 5 Diploma in Teaching English as a Foreign Language |  |
| Level 5 Award in Teaching Business English\* |  |
| Level 5 Award in Teaching English One-to-One and Online\* |  |
| Level 5 Award in Teaching Other Subjects in English (CLIL)\* |  |
| Practical Lesson Delivery in Teaching English as a Foreign Language (Level 3 Unit Certificate)\*\* |  |

*\*please note, the entry requirement for these qualifications is prior achievement of the Level 5 Certificate in TEFL*

*\*\* please note, this course is only available only at selected Centres – please check first*

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| **SECTION C: Your Personal Statement** |
| Please write approximately 500 words outlining   * why you have chosen this teaching course and what you hope to gain from it   AND   * what are your current strengths and weaknesses as an English language teacher   **OR** how you consider yourself to be suited to teaching English  Please note that use of correct grammar, vocabulary, spelling, and punctuation will all be taken into consideration when considering your application. |
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| **SECTION C Pre-enrolment tasks. Please write 120 -150 words in response to each question.** | |
| **A** In your opinion, which of the following skills is more difficult to learn: reading or writing? Why? | |
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| **B** ‘Can’t’ is the contracted form of ‘cannot’. Why is it important to teach contractions in the English language classroom? | |
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| **C** In your opinion, what is the more important aspect of speaking English: fluency or accuracy? Why? | |
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| **SIGNATURE OF THE APPLICANT** | |
| **APPLICATION DATE** | |
| **PLEASE CONFIRM THAT YOU HAVE READ AND AGREE TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS** |  |
| **PLEASE CONFIRM YOU HAVE ATTACHED A CLEAR COPY OF YOUR ID DOCUMENT TO THIS APPLICATION** |  |