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# Delta

Diploma in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages

## Your flexible path to career development

## Three modules for maximum flexibility

*Delta* is made up of three independent modules. You can take them all or as many as you need, in any order and over any time period. You can:

- take all three modules together or one at a time
- receive a certificate and credit for each module you pass, and an overall certificate when you have passed all three modules
- focus on a specialist area e.g. young learners or Business English
- take modules as part of a blended learning option or a programme of continuous professional development.

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## Module One – Understanding language, methodology and resources for teaching

This module focuses on the **background to teaching and learning English** in a range of contexts. Topics include:

- Theoretical perspectives on language acquisition and language teaching
- Different approaches and methodologies, including current developments
- Language systems and learners' linguistic problems
- Language skills and learners' problems
- Knowledge of resources, materials and reference sources for language learning
- Key concepts and terminology related to assessment.

## Module Two – Developing professional practice

This module focuses on the **principles and practice of planning and teaching**. Topics include:

- The language learner and the language learning context
- Preparation for teaching English language learners
- Evaluating, selecting and using resources and materials
- Managing and supporting learning
- Evaluation of lesson preparation and teaching
- Observation/evaluation of other teachers' lessons
- Professionalism and opportunities for professional development.

## Module Three

### Option 1: Extending practice and English language teaching specialism

This module focuses on needs analysis, syllabus design, course planning and assessment in the context of a selected specialism.

### Option 2: English language teaching management

This module focuses on situation analysis and planning, and implementing change in the context of a selected management specialism.


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## How is Delta assessed?

**Module One:** Written exam of two 90-minute papers.

**Module Two:** Portfolio of coursework including a professional development assignment, background essays and assessed teaching practice. As well as observing lessons, you will prepare, teach and evaluate four lessons – one is externally assessed by a Cambridge English assessor.

**Module Three:** Extended written assignment focused on your chosen specialist area of teaching (Option 1) or your chosen ELT management specialism (Option 2).



*"Delta was a great experience which has equipped me with a greater understanding of second language acquisition theories, and how they relate to different classroom practices."*

Liz Kose  
Delta graduate, New Zealand