

Durham University Postgraduate Module Handbook

These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's <u>core regulations for modular taught master's degrees</u>, <u>postgraduate diplomas and postgraduate certificates</u>.

MA TESOL (Q3K207)

- 1. Location: Durham City.
- 2. Duration: full-time (12 months), part-time (24 months)
- 3. English language requirements:
 - a. Non-native English speakers must have achieved an IELTS score of at least 7 with at least 7 in each section.

Programme structure

- 4. There are three streams within the programme. These provide candidates with the option of further focusing their Masters qualification by adding a particular specialism. The three streams lead to different degree titles:
 - a. MA TESOL (Q3K207)
 - b. MA TESOL (English for Specific Purposes) (Q3KA07)
 - c. MA TESOL (Young Learners) (Q3KB07)
- 5. Candidates wishing to be eligible for the degree title named in 4.b. above must choose the following modules as part of their programme and pass them at a mark of 50% or above:

Dissertation (English for Specific	LANG42260 ~	60
Purposes)		
English for Specific Purposes	LANG41515_~	15

6. Candidates wishing to be eligible for the degree title named in 4.c. above must choose the following modules the following modules as part of their programme and pass them at a mark of 50% or above:

Dissertation (Young Learners)	<u>LANG42360</u> ~	60
Teaching Young Learners	<u>LANG41815</u> ~	15

7. Candidates shall study and be assessed in modules to the value of 120 credits from the list below:

		Credit value
Language for Teachers	<u>LANG41615</u> ~	15
Dissertation #	<u>LANG40160</u> ~	60
Dissertation (English for Specific Purposes) #	<u>LANG42260</u> ~	60
Dissertation (Young Learners) #	<u>LANG42360</u> ~	60
Fundamentals in ELT	<u>LANG42715</u> ~	15
Language Teaching Methods and Practice	<u>LANG40130</u> ~	30

8. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 60 credits from List A:

List A:		Credit value
English for Specific Purposes	<u>LANG41515</u>	15
Teaching Young Learners	<u>LANG41815</u>	15
English Language Teaching Materials	LANG41415	15
Development and Evaluation		
Discourse, Texts and TESOL	LANG41315	15
Evaluation & Assessment	LANG42515	15
Global Englishes	LANG40915	15

Pragmatics and the Language Classroom	<u>LANG41915</u>	15
Language Teaching Methodology (TESOL)	<u>LANG40315</u>	15
English Language Teaching Management	LANG41715	15
15 credits from List B		15
List B: Expert English An appropriate credit-bearing language module offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study)	<u>LANG10115</u>	Credit value 15 15

Assessment, progression and award

- 9. Modules marked with the \sim symbol must be passed at 50% or above. A mark of 40-49% cannot be compensated.
- 10. # indicates that students are only able to study and be assessed in one dissertation module.