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NEW ZEALAND

NZCLT NEW ZEALAND CERTIFICATE IN LANGUAGE TEACHING

If you are thinking about working overseas, the New Zealand Certificate in Language Teaching (NZCLT) is an excellent programme to pursue.

AS AN AIS NZCLT GRADUATE, THERE MAY BE ACCESS TO EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES WITHIN OUR NETWORK OF SISTER SCHOOLS ABROAD, including trusted institutes, colleges and universities in China, Taiwan and South Korea.

If travelling is your passion, then teaching abroad will enable you to connect with different cultures on a much deeper level than you would visiting as a tourist. With the English language market experiencing steady growth, prospects for employment are consistently favourable – particularly with the practical, hands-on nature of this programme that allows graduates to transition directly into teaching roles.

- Learn the skills to teach a language, even if you have no prior teaching experience. Although the programme is focussed on teaching English, these same skills can be used to teach other languages as well.
- Gain practical experience. You'll spend time in a real live classroom teaching English to students, with feedback from lecturers.
- Develop your confidence and techniques in a safe, supportive environment. Your lecturers will supervise you and provide feedback so that you can plan and evaluate your own lessons.

Along with your certificate, upon graduation you will also receive a reference letter endorsed by AIS.



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MELISSA HENG

CertTESOL*

As New Zealand becomes more multicultural, there is no better place to witness this diversity than in the school environment. However, with many families coming to the country without English as a first language, it highlights the importance of ESOL teachers – as AIS graduate Melissa Heng understands.

Melissa is currently working as a part-time teacher at Wakaaranga school in Auckland, teaching international groups.

"Being an ESOL teacher is one of the greatest joys personally for me as I am able to help those who want to learn English but also through that interaction process, I have learnt so much about different cultures. Meeting people from different cultures is one of the benefits of being an ESOL teacher that one can't get from other jobs."

Melissa graduated from the University of Auckland with a bachelor's degree in Asian Studies and Korean language. As a second language learner herself, Melissa was always intrigued by languages and looking for effective ways to learn them. So she decided to take CertTESOL as a challenge to herself to help others master the language more effectively.

"For me, the decision to do CertTESOL at AIS was one of the best decisions that I have ever made. The programme helped me discover talents that I never knew I had."

Melissa found the programme well structured and included a good balance of both theory and practice. Moreover, the lecturers were extremely helpful throughout the programme and for her that was one of the things she liked most about AIS.

"Definitely! I was very pleased with the entire programme and felt that the teachers were extremely helpful and knowledgeable. Especially with TESOL, it was a pretty intense programme but I never once felt that I was alone. I knew that if I needed help, Tony and Pam would be more than happy to guide me and support me."

Everything taught during the programme was very relevant and Melissa was able to put what she had learnt into practice when she got a job.

"I was lucky enough to find a job rather quickly. My first teaching job was through our teacher and subsequently, I just applied to a few schools and was called back for an interview."

Go for it! It's worth it and you won't regret it."

** AIS has been successfully offering the CertTESOL since 2007, and this has provided the foundation to offer this new programme, the New Zealand Certificate in Language Teaching.*

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES IN NEW ZEALAND AND ABROAD

As an AIS NZCLT graduate, if you want to stay and work in New Zealand, you have the option to pursue English teaching opportunities with various local English language providers or within the AIS English Language Centre.

AIS also offers our NZCLT graduates access to employment opportunities within our network of sister schools in China, Taiwan and South Korea who may be interested in hiring English teachers for extended periods of six months to a year on a contractual basis. Having your NZCLT and a reference letter endorsed by AIS allows you to bypass the job search process and start teaching English overseas right away.

Qualification	NZQA Level	Duration	2018 Intakes	Entry Requirements	Outcomes	Fees (NZD)
NEW ZEALAND CERTIFICATE IN LANGUAGE TEACHING	Level 5	14 weeks	10 Sep	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A total of 48 credits at NCEA Level 2 from four different subjects including a minimum of 8 credits in English (4 in reading, 4 in writing); and Successful completion of a Pre-Interview Task; and Assessment of suitability for teaching by interview; and IELTS 6.5 with no band less than 6.0 / Pearson 58 / TOEFL iBT 79 (with a writing score of 21) / TEP 56 with no band below 13 (approved countries only); and 18 years or over 	Teaching, interpreter, translator, immigration services, research, government, public relations.	International: \$4,950 Domestic: \$2,800

This programme is subject to NZQA approval.

About Auckland Institute of Studies



Category 1 is the highest accreditation the New Zealand government can give to an education provider, which means you can be assured of the quality of programmes at AIS.

Established in 1990, AIS is one of New Zealand's largest independent degree-granting institutions offering a wide range of qualifications.

We are located close to central Auckland and operate from two campuses – St Helens and Asquith. Our flexible three-semester system allows students to fast-track their studies and to get a head start in their careers. We provide assistance to students on employment issues during and after their studies – this can include arranging interviews and internships with potential employers.

We ensure that a friendly nurturing environment balances and supports our rigorous and demanding academic programmes. Students at AIS experience expert personalised education – our knowledgeable and approachable teaching faculty value personal contact with students.

We give our students everything needed to succeed and ensure that studying at AIS is a uniquely rewarding experience.

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- Great value
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- Employment assistance
- Fast-track programmes
- Flexible entry dates
- Easy access to transport
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