

# **Teaching Young Learners**

5 Training Days / 1 Week



Dates 2022

07-11 March 2022 25-29 April 2022 20-24 June 2022 18-22 July 2022 22-26 August 2022 10-14 Oct 2022 07-11 Nov 2022

## Target Audience

These courses are for Teachers working in Primary Education who need to refresh their methods and techniques. The course uses practical hands-on techniques which address and motivate the primary learners. Participants need to be at a B1 level of English.

## **Course Overview and Outcomes**

As a participant on this course you will explore the principles and practice of teaching English to young learners. You will also extend your personal, professional and classroom language. This is a highly practical course which encourages you to explore active pedagogies as well as collaborative and creative strategies to enhance your teaching. By experiencing the power of storytelling & story-reading, playing educational games, exploring arts and crafts activities and the world outside the classroom, you will build a collection of diverse teaching tools, materials and techniques. You will consider cross-curricular activities, and approaches to content teaching through English with younger learners. You will also have the chance to try out some of the activities through dedicated micro-teaching sessions with your course colleagues.

## Content

Teaching Young Learners includes content drawn from some or all of the following areas:

- Personal language awareness;
- Classroom language;
- Active pedagogical approaches and classroom management
- Listening activities for YLs
- Games and other activities in the YL classroom
- Learning through stories: Storytelling / story-reading activities
- Evaluating and adapting materials for teaching English to young learners

Specific course content comes from feedback you and other participants give us through pre-course questionnaires, identifying your needs and priorities. We build time into the course for reflection, to consider how to adapt the content to your own professional context.

All NILE at ESE Malta courses involve a significant element of English.

language improvement and/or the development of language awareness

#### Trainers

NILE's highly experienced trainers are experts, not only in their fields, but also in working with teachers for continuing professional development.

#### **Teaching approaches**

We make courses practical and 'hands-on', with reference to relevant theory

Our classes are participant-centred and collaborative, designed to build knowledge and confidence

We use activities and tasks to help you

apply the course content to your setting

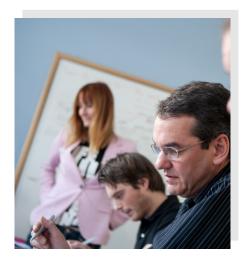




## A Sample Course Programme programme

# **Teaching Young Learners Week 1**

TIME	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
09.00 - 10.30	Course orientation	Classification games with Young Learners	Classroom Manage- ment with Young Learners	Lo-tech and digi- tal listening activities	Young Learner and the linguistic landscape
11.00 - 12.30	Beliefs about teaching young learners	Barrier games with Young Learners	Listening skills in the Young Learners Classroom	Story-telling with Young Learners	Young Learner material selection and Adaptation
13.00 - 14.30	Classroom language with Young Learners	Memory games and ranking activities	SOCIAL PROGRAMME	Picture books and literature with Young Learners	Course review and action planning







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Prices	ESI	
Course Fee	€525.00	
Programme Fee	€100.00	

Programme Package Fees Includes : Course Fee , Tuition /Training 22.5 Hours ( 1week) over 5 days Registration and Administration Fees Social Programme including Half Day Guided Tours (to Malta's Capital City Valletta + to the old Medieval City of Mdina) Mobility Euro Pass Certificate End-of-Course Certificate

All programmes have a Saturday or Sunday arrival with a Monday course start day



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