Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)

Brisbane, Australia

The College has been involved in TESOL teacher training since 2001. Lectures in TESOL methodology and practical application are conducted by highly qualified lecturers in state of the art facilities. Innovation in the use of technology such as interactive whiteboards is a popular component of the course, as is the use of music to enhance English language acquisition.

On our spacious garden campus, participants can visit Australian Primary and Secondary school classes, engage in professional conversations with Australian teachers, and observe a range of teaching professionals in action in their classrooms.

Components of the Course

TESOL Lectures: Lectures in teaching English to speakers of other languages
Mentor Program: Participants are assigned mentors from our teaching staff
Classroom Observation: Participants observe local classes
Outings: Weekly outings to places of cultural interest and scenic beauty
Homestay: Living with an Australian family gives daily opportunities to develop English conversational skills.

Sample First Week

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MINIMUM GROUP SIZE: 12

Fees per person:

Tuition: A$360 per week
Outings (optional): A$60 per outing
Homestay: A$270 per week + A$100 Homestay Placement Fee
For participants not wanting homestay with an Australian family, accommodation on campus or share accommodation nearby may be available. Accommodation fees for this option to be advised.