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## Frequently asked questions regarding our TEFL course

### Accreditation

Is the TEFL certificate perhaps aligned with the NQF and does it carry any credits?

**No, it isn't. South African TEFL/TESOL courses are not aligned to a local standards-generating/oversight/accreditation organisation. As far as we know, the same is true in other countries. However, this has no impact on its standing in the international market, which is why this step has never been taken.**

### Accommodation

Does BLI offer accommodation to TEFL students during the TEFL course?

**Yes. Please contact [Melanie](#) regarding the options.**

### Part-time TEFL course

Does BLI offer a part-time TEFL course?

**No.**

### Online courses

Does BLI offer an online TEFL course?

**No.**

### The Level test

Do I have to write the Level test even if I have a university degree?

**Yes, it is a BLI TEFL course requirement.**

### Course fees

Will a fee have to be paid for taking the test prior to admission?

**No, you can write the test without having paid any fees. However, your enrolment on a course will only be confirmed once the deposit has been paid, and we operate on a strictly first-come, first-served basis.**

### Placement

Does BLI place TEFL graduates in language schools abroad?

**We don't actively place TEFL graduates, but point our students in the right direction during the run of the course. We have many placement agents and contacts in numerous countries. Please check the "contacts for job search" doc for more information.**

Is a degree a requirement for placement?

**No, however, with a degree you have a lot more options available.**





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### Police clearance

Do I need a police clearance certificate?

**Yes, you will need to get a police clearance certificate before you leave the country. Apply for this through the police. Cost is + R100.**

### Work visas

How do I organise a work visa?

**These are organised by the institution which offers you a contract.**

### Passport

How valid is my passport?

**You must have a passport which is valid for 6 months AFTER your work contract ends. You can apply for a new passport while in possession of an existing one.**

### Assessment/Tests

Is there a test at the end of the course?

**BLI does continuous assessment throughout the 4 week course. There is no test at the end. The assessment consists of presentations, projects and teaching; both groups of students and one-on-one classes. Attendance is vital.**