

**ESL Professional Development Partnership**

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| **Funding is provided by several Iowa Area Education Agencies for educators to take coursework designed to improve their effectiveness in teaching and assessing English Learners. Interested teachers can complete the entire endorsement if they wish, though they are not required to (courses listed below, currently costing $1500 + $80 tech fee each).** |  |
| **Tuition funding for four courses is available to educators served by their AEA’s Title III funding stream. These funds can be spent across two years.** | |

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| **Courses include online work along with synchronous class sessions (via Zoom).** | | |
| ***Course Title*** | ***Summer 2022 Start*** |
| *TESL 201: Introduction to Teaching English Learners* | Summer 2022 |
| *TESL 202: Intercultural Communication for Teachers* | Fall 2022 |
| *TESL 203: Issues and Assessment of English Language Learning* | Summer 2023 |
| *TESL 204: Strategies for Teaching English Learners*  ***(10-hour practicum at the level of your teaching certificate [elementary or secondary])*** | Spring 2024 |
| *TESL 205: Teaching Reading and Writing to English Learners* | Fall 2024 |
| *TESL 206: Methods of Linguistic Differentiation for English Learners*  ***(10-hour practicum at the level opposite your teaching certificate [elementary or secondary])*** | Spring 2024 |
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