



Department of Language and Literature

TESOL minor Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages

The TESOL minor prepares candidates to teach English to speakers of other languages in multi-age classrooms without obtaining Ohio Department of Education teacher licensure. The minor, consisting of 16 undergraduate credit hours, is open to any major. Students who successfully complete the TESOL minor are eligible to receive an institution-endorsed certificate. Course requirements include:

Course		Credit	Semester
COM-3140	Intercultural Communication	3	SP
ENG-3070	Advanced English Grammar	3	FA, SP
LING-3080	Linguistics for Language Learning	3	FA
LING-3090	Sociolinguistics	3	SP (even years)
LING-3700	Teaching Foreign Language	2	FA
LING-3710	TESOL Practicum for non-education majors	<u>2</u>	SU, FA, SP
	TOTAL HOURS	16	

*Ling-371 TESOL Practicum may be scheduled for any semester following Ling-370. This requirement may be satisfied by satisfactory completion of Ling-360 and Ling-361.

- In order to be admitted into the TESOL minor, nonnative speakers of English must achieve a TOEFL score of 600 or above on the paper exam or 250 on the computer exam and a score of 55 or above on the Test of Spoken English or have department approval.
- Students must take a minimum of 8 hours at Cedarville. The Office of Academic Services must approve all transfer of credit prior to the student's acceptance into the program.
- TESOL Practicum (Ling-371) may be completed outside of the Cedarville area if the experience is analogous to a classroom situation and if the student is supervised and evaluated by a qualified ESL teacher.
- Students are eligible to receive an institution-endorsed certificate with a 3.0 average for the courses.

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