

WEA Course information sheet 2020-21



Course title: First Steps in ESOL 1		Course ID: C3128138
Start date: 19/01/2021	End date: 20/05/2021	Day(s)/time(s): Tue 09:15, Thu 09:15
Number of sessions: 30	Hours per session: 1.5	Tutor Nina Rana
Additional hours:	Online Learning Hours: 0	
Specific funder/partner requirements:		
Awarding body (if any): Title of qualification to be gained:		Level: Pre-entry
Fee: £144.00 or Free if you are in receipt of an income related benefit (only SFA funded) Accreditation Fee (if applicable):		
Venue: Online Learning, Online, ZZ99 9ZZ		
<p>Theme(s): The WEA has four themes it uses for planning its provision. Employability – helping students to get a job or to make progress in their employment Health and Wellbeing – making a positive contribution to their own or others health and wellbeing Community Engagement – encouraging students to be positively involved in their communities Culture – learning about diverse cultures, identities and environments</p> <p>The Theme(s) used in planning your course is/ are:</p> <p>1. Employability 2.</p>		

Course Aim
This ESOL course is for beginners. It will help you to develop basic speaking, listening, reading and writing skill in English.

Course Description
Before you can join this course, you will need to talk to a member of staff and do an initial assessment to make sure the course is right for you. For more information and to book an appointment please call 0300 303 3464.

In this ESOL class we will talk about our everyday lives (for example, shopping, health, where you live). You will start to learn about the alphabet and numbers. You will practise asking for and giving basic personal information about yourself. You will learn new words and start to develop your reading and skills.

Do I need any particular skills or experience?

What will I achieve?
By the end of the course I will be able to:

1. Read, write and say the numbers 1 -10
2. Read, write and spell aloud my name in English

3. Ask for and answer simple questions about basic personal information
4. Sight read signs, symbols, words on forms and personal key words

What teaching methods will be used and will there be work outside of the class?

- You will do lots of different activities with examples from real life situations
- You will work together with other students and the tutor, as well as working on your own.
Your tutor will give you homework

What kind of feedback can I expect from the tutor?

- Your tutor will help you to set targets for your learning.
- Your tutor will give you regular friendly feedback about your progress.

What else do I need to know? Is there anything I need to bring?

- Official document(s) showing your name, address, date of birth
- Certificates for English / English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) qualifications you have.

Pre-course work, reading and information sources

- No pre reading or pre course work is required

Possible next steps after this course (including career opportunities if appropriate)

- You can progress to a First Steps in ESOL 2 course.

Learning with the WEA

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You can read about your entitlements and responsibilities as a WEA student in our leaflet, Student Handbook here <http://www.wea.org.uk/learn-wea/student-support> This includes information on fees, learning support and financial support. As part of your course you accept our Learning Agreement and Privacy Notice. Full details of the Learning Agreement and privacy notice can be found on our website at <http://www.wea.org.uk/policies>. This applies to all courses you take in this academic year.

You can enrol online for most courses <http://www.wea.org.uk/learn-wea/course-search> or contact:
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