



Course Title

Final Portfolio

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Course Overview

This course is designed to help you create, use, and modify the elements you've worked on throughout the program and bring all of these together in one cohesive portfolio that can follow you throughout your teaching career.

The earlier courses, Foundations, Pedagogical Grammar, and Second Language Learning, focused on important aspects of language teaching including grammar, theory, and history, and the Practicum course focused on day-to-day teaching. This Final Portfolio course brings all of the pieces together with an eye toward your future teaching career.

Required Textbook

No required textbook. Instructions and resources provided throughout the D2L course.

Tech Help

If you are having issues with D2L or want to learn how to do something in it, please follow this series of steps:

- **Step 1:** Familiarize yourself with D2L by enrolling in this self-paced course: [Getting Started with D2L](#)
- **Step 2:** Visit the [D2L Help Page](#).
- **Step 3:** Contact D2L Support by using [this D2L tech support form](#)

For help creating an ePortfolio, please see [this instructional video](#), [Sharing your work in the ePortfolio system](#) in Unit 1.

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Course Outline & Objectives

Course Information

- Navigation and ePortfolio Videos
- Tech Help and FAQs

Unit 0 Introduction to the Final Portfolio

- Introduction to the Final Portfolio
- Help, Questions, or Concerns

Unit 1 Sharing from 3 Courses and Practicum

- Introduction to Sharing and Verifying
- 3 Course Materials to Share from Pedagogical Grammar to ISLL to Foundations
- Practicum Materials to Share
- Sharing your work in the ePortfolio System

Unit 1 Objectives

By completing the presentations for this unit, you will:

- share your collections from earlier courses
- have items verified by the TESOL Certificate facilitator

Unit 2 Final Portfolio

- Part 2A1: The Final Portfolio Tasks
- Final Portfolio Instructions
- Part 2B1: Teaching Philosophy
- Teaching Philosophy Instructions & Resources
- Part 2C1: Tools to Use
- Final Portfolio: 1-page Summary

Unit 2 Objectives

By completing the presentations for this unit, you will:

- craft a teaching philosophy
- review examples of portfolios, philosophies, and platforms
- incorporate your vision for your future teaching career in the course assignments
- choose an appropriate platform to house your final portfolio
- complete the final requirements for the TESOL Certificate

Final Message

- Certificate, Transcripts, & Other Information