

Criteria for an Online Course TEFL

Criteria	Sub-Criteria	Description	Points
Speaking	Clarity	Guidelines and exercises are provided to help students articulate English words and sentences clearly.	5
	Interaction	Opportunities for students to engage in dialogues, group discussions, or paired speaking activities.	5
	Vocabulary	Introduction and practice of relevant vocabulary for various conversational situations.	5

	Fluency	Exercises that challenge students to speak continuously and fluently on a topic without undue hesitation.	5
Writing	Grammar	Essential grammar rules are covered with ample practice exercises for reinforcement.	5
	Composition	Guidance on structuring sentences, paragraphs, and essays, ensuring logical flow and coherence.	5
	Vocabulary	Writing tasks that require the use of newly introduced vocabulary in context.	5
	Feedback Mechanism	Mechanisms in place for students to receive feedback on their writing, be it automated, peer, or instructor-led.	5

Listening	Comprehension	A variety of listening exercises that test and enhance students' understanding of spoken English.	5
	Diverse Accents	Exposure to different English accents to ensure students can understand English spoken by different nationalities.	5
	Note-taking	Exercises that challenge students to take notes while listening, aiding in comprehension and retention.	5
	Interactive Listening	Activities like quizzes or discussions based on audio clips to ensure active listening.	5

Reading	Comprehension	A range of reading materials with questions to test comprehension and understanding of the text.	5
	Vocabulary	Reading materials that introduce and use new vocabulary in meaningful contexts.	5
	Analysis	Encouragement and tasks for students to analyze and interpret the reading materials.	5
	Diverse Genres	Exposure to various genres, from news articles to fiction, ensuring a comprehensive reading experience.	5
Pronunciation	Sounds & Intonation	Lessons on the different sounds in English and the importance of varying pitch while speaking.	5

	Stress & Rhythm	Guidance on emphasizing certain syllables in words and maintaining a rhythmic flow while speaking.	5
	Interactive Exercises	Exercises where students can practice and receive feedback on their pronunciation.	5
	Accent Reduction	Tips and exercises for those with strong native accents to make their English more universally understandable.	5

Total Points: 100