

Teacher training 2025

The humanistic teacher

COURSE DATES 6th - 11th July

FEES Course 955 € Accommodation 390 € COURSE LOCATION
Segovia, Spain

Target audience

Teachers of English and all languages who teach all levels of students.

You will need an intermediate level of English (B1 or above) to participate in this course.

Course summary

This course will explore the very nature of humanistic teaching and what is behind it. We will firstly go over the main principles of Humanistic thinking as outlined in psychology by Rogers, and Maslow. We will look at the application of the humanistic theory in teaching and will create ways of fostering motivation and encouraging continuous and harmonious development of students and teachers alike. In this slightly dehumanised world of growing bureaucracy and technological advancement, we will focus on creating a teacher and student-friendly environment by making relations and emotions an integral part of the learning and teaching process. The course aims to provide participants with the expertise to make their teaching more humanistic, enhancing the learning outcomes and making learning more relevant to their students

Course content

- Humanism and its principles in language teaching
- What makes a teacher humanistic
- The importance of group dynamics to build a climate of acceptance
- How to create a powerful and motivating learning environment
- Humanising your teaching environment, syllabus and school
- Fostering learner autonomy and encouraging positive growth mindset
- Applying affective teaching models and developing critical thinking skills
- How to humanise assessment and feedback
- Introducing the psychology of teaching and learning a language focussing on oneself as a learner
- A holistic approach: teachers' self-care and how to help our students grow

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Sample programme

Please note this is only a sample programme and the actual programme will be negotiated between your trainer and the group on the first day of the course.

| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
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| Group formation, bonding and goal setting | How to humanise your students: teaching learning skills | Applying affective teaching models Developing critical thinking skills | Teaching materials: a personalised look | Humanising your school, syllabus and colleagues |
| What is humanistic teaching: a look at its principles | Group dynamics in a humanistic classroom | Assessment, evaluation and feedback | Humanising your course book | Teacher as a human: how to look after yourself |
| The main features of a humanistic teacher | "Me" teacher focussing on oneself as a learner | Fostering learner autonomy Positive growth mindset | Increasing motivation effectively | Course review, long term objectives and farewells |

Is the course right for me?

Yes, if you are looking at ways of understanding humanistic approaches in teaching English in your classrooms and reaching all learners in affective ways

Type of certification awarded

Attendance certificate detailing topics covered, course content and the number of training hours.



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