

Teacher training 2026

Teaching in a humanistic and creative way today

COURSE DATES 12th-17th July 2026

FEES
Course 970€
Accommodation including
full board 460€

COURSE LOCATION Segovia, Spain

Our Audience

Experienced and inexperienced language teachers and subject teachers of all age groups of learners

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

Course summary

This course will focus on humanistic and creative ways to enhance our teaching and facilitate our students' learning. We will explore numerous innovative and fun activities to enrich the teaching and learning process. Our aims include a deeper understanding of how humanism and creativity work in the process of language learning. The course aims at enriching your teaching repertoire while giving you ideas to use and adapt to your own teaching context.

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Course content

- Principles of humanistic teaching and its application in the language classroom
- The 4Cs principle: creativity, critical thinking, collaboration, and communication
- Creativity and how it works and manifests itself
- Motivating students through collaboration in a positive and a safe learning environment
- Promoting learner autonomy and agency, selfdirected learning and co-creating
- Adding a creative twist to regular language teaching activities (grammar, vocabulary, pronunciation and 4 skills)
- Catering for learner needs and learner differences
- Using drama to enrich the learning experience and foster creativity
- Addressing CLIL and sustainability issues as ways to implement holistic approach and humanism
- Humanising assessment and feedback
- Affective learning and using the arts
- Using technology and AI in a humanistic way
- Using authentic and learner-generated materials (story-telling, dialogues, improvisation)



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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
Group formation and bonding Negotiating the course: goal setting	Creativity and how it works and manifests itself	Adding a creative twist to regular language teaching activities (grammar, vocabulary, pronunciation and 4 skills)	Affective learning and using the arts	Swap-shop and update on recommended literature and websites
Principles of humanistic teaching and its application in the language classroom	Motivating students through collaboration in a positive and a safe learning environment	Catering for learner needs and learner differences	Using technology and AI in a humanistic way	Creative and humanistic wrap-up of the course
The 4Cs principle: creativity, critical thinking, collaboration, and communication	Promoting learner autonomy and agency, self-directed learning and co- creating	Humanising assessment and feedback	Using authentic and learner- generated materials (story-telling, dialogues, improvisation)	Course review, long term objectives and sowing seeds for networking

Is this course right for me?

Yes, if you are looking at ways of teaching in a humanistic and creative way, and seek to adapt your teaching to your students' needs and increase their ability to take ownership of their learning through increased confidence.

Type of certificate awarded

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

