

# TAFL Classroom Practice Course

## COURSE OBJECTIVES

This four-week course aims at developing your classroom teaching skills and preparing you to work as a professional teacher of Arabic as a foreign language in reputable language institutes. By the end of this course you will have:

1. Developed range of classroom teaching techniques to facilitate language learning and developing student's language skills in class.
2. Developed the skill of evaluating your own teaching in order to capitalize on your strengths and work on areas that need improvement.
3. Developed your skills in lesson planning and material preparation.
4. Developed your skills in selecting, analyzing and sequencing language items for teaching.

## PREREQUISITES

1. Arabic native speaker with good Arabic, spoken, written and grammar. For non-native speakers of Arabic a level C2 is a must. All candidates must pass the initial Arabic exam.
2. University graduate, not necessarily with Arabic as major.
3. Good English, spoken and written. All candidates must pass the initial English exam.
4. Good communication skills and dynamic personality.
5. Good computer skills.
6. Completion of the TAFL Methodology Course or equivalent

## IS THIS COURSE FOR YOU?

If you had previous training in teaching language and looking forward to start the career of teaching Arabic as a foreign language then this course is for you.

If you are already teaching Arabic as a foreign language and need to refresh your knowledge and achieve more structured professional development then this course is for you.

## CERTIFICATES

You will get an IH Cairo certificate upon completion of the course.

## SCHEDULE

Four-week course of 66 hours scheduled as follows:

- Mondays & Wednesdays : 4 hours evening from 04:30 to 09:00 (30-minute break)
- Fridays: 5 hours from 10:00 am to 04:00 with one hour break for prayers & lunch
- Saturdays: 5 hours from 10:00 am to 03:30 pm with half an hour break.
- The last Friday of each round: 4 hours from 10:00 am to 03:00 with one hour break for prayers & lunch.