

BRITISH CULTURE

Dates in 2018:

09.07

Summary of the course:

A guide to aspects of British Culture for teachers.

Target audience:

- Teachers in primary, secondary or further education
- Minimum intermediate level of English

Objectives:

The course aims to improve your knowledge British Culture and give you the tools to prepare your learners for contact with British people or life in the UK.

Extra activities included:

Project work outside of the class - interviewing British public about the UK

Three free social activities per week

Example timetable

Class times each day 9:00 - 11:30; 12:30-14:30

| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
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| <u>Etiquette and Social Rules</u> Code of conduct and politeness in the UK Polite Language | <u>A Brief History of the UK</u> The Reformation The Civil War and Democracy The Industrial Revolution | <u>International Culture and the UK</u> Multiculturalism and multilingualism in the UK | <u>The regions</u> Regional traditions Regional Accents and Dialects | <u>British food and drink</u> Changing food habits Traditional Food Eating and Drinking Culture |
| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
| <u>Having Fun</u> Festivals and celebrations English humour | <u>A Brief History of the UK</u> The World Wars The Post-Modern Period | <u>Leisure:</u> British TV and Music Socialising | <u>Society and Politics</u> Social classes British politics | <u>Facts about the UK -</u> Games and quizzes <u>Presentation Project</u> Create a session to take back to your students. |

Each applicant will be asked to complete a detailed needs analysis and the teaching workshops will be adapted to incorporate the requirements of the applicant. Times of classes are subject to change. The full 2-week course is 45 hours. For students whose level is lower than C1 we recommend combining the British Culture course with General English classes.



Expected results:

As a result of attending this course, participants will improve their knowledge of British Culture and prepare them to disseminate this knowledge to colleagues and learners in their home country.

This course will contribute to your organisation's European Development Plan by:

- Providing you with the opportunity to continue your professional development
- Furnishing you with new knowledge and skills to take back to your workplace and disseminate to colleagues.
- Providing you with knowledge of the British educational systems and culture.
- Enabling you to teach up-to-date, relevant and engaging lessons to motivate and challenge learners.

Extra activities included:

*Three free afternoon social activities per week

Certification awarded:

On completion of the course each participant will receive a certificate stating the content of the course and number of hours attended.

Other courses:

Is this not the right course for you?

You can also take:

- CLIL course
- Technology in the Language Classroom
- Creative methodology
- General English and conversation

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