

Online Methodology Courses

How to teach Cambridge English: First/First for Schools

Course summary:

Gain a thorough understanding of Cambridge English: First (revised for 2015). Use practical strategies and activities to fully prepare your learners for exam success.

Suitable for:



This course is ideal if

- You are, or will be, **preparing learners** for the *Cambridge English: First* or *Cambridge English: First for Schools* exams.
- You want to help your learners get **better results** by improving your approach.

This course is about preparing others for *First*, not taking it yourself.

You should already have

- [B2 level English](#) or higher.
- Basic lesson planning skills.*
- Basic understanding of the *First* exam.*
- [Handbook for Teachers](#).*

This course is appropriate for teachers with **any level of experience**.

* Recommended but not essential.

Aims:

Written by the same organisation that writes and assesses Cambridge English: First, this course explains how to teach all four tests: Reading and Use of English, Writing, Speaking and Listening (including all parts). It is also applicable to the *First for Schools exam*. The course first explores what it means to be good at these skills, before explaining how they are assessed, the types of tasks learners can expect, and strategies for each of those tasks.

Finally you'll learn how to apply this knowledge to the classroom with practical teaching ideas that give learners confidence and help them perform at their best.

By taking this course, you'll learn

- What you need to do to **fully prepare** learners for their exam.
- **How the exam works** and is assessed.
- **Practical strategies** and **activities** to help learners achieve results.
- How to deal with **common problems** learners have while preparing.
- How to **reflect** on this and its implications for **your teaching**.