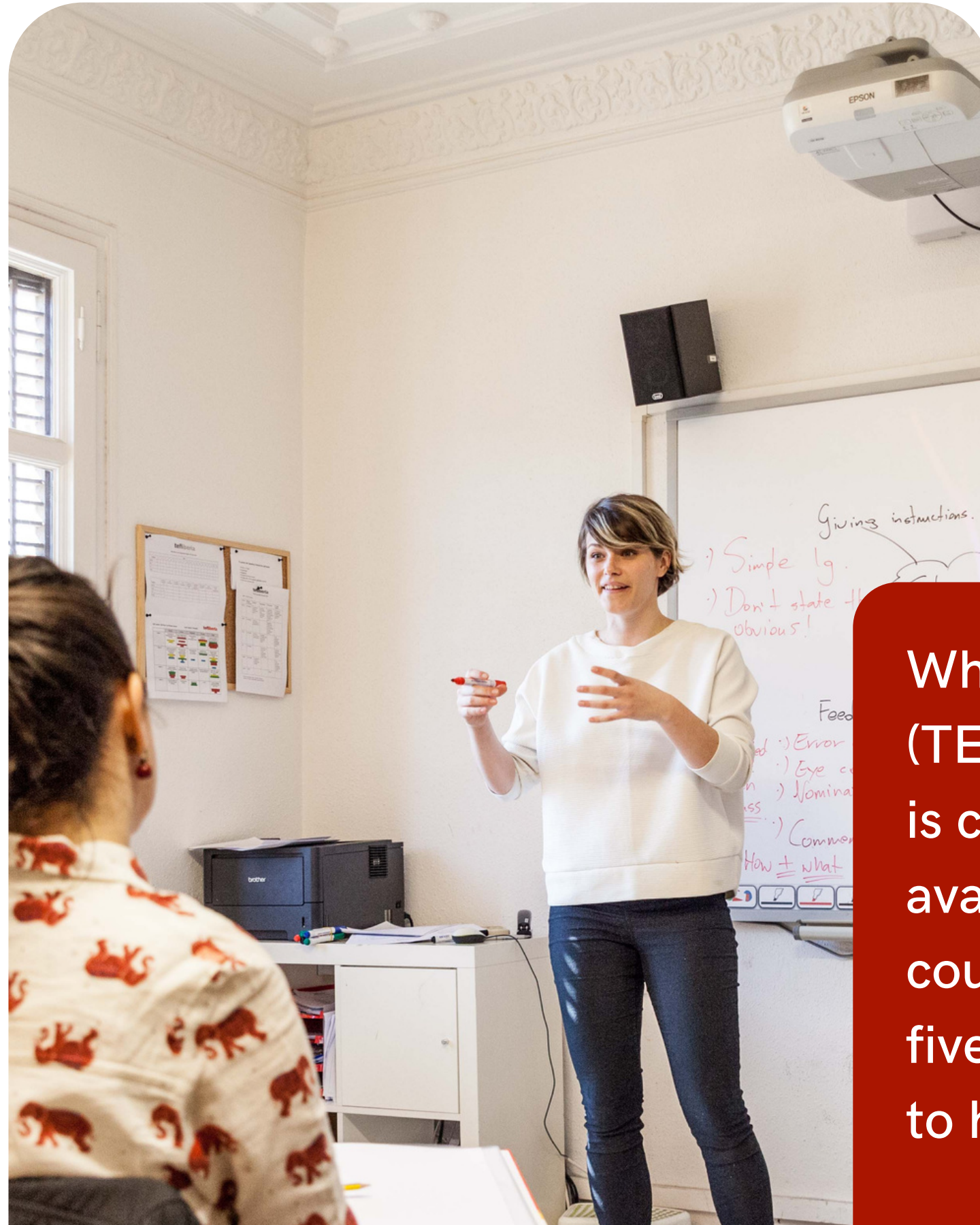


# 5 THINGS TO CONSIDER WHEN CHOOSING A TEFL COURSE





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When it comes to teaching English as a foreign language (TEFL), one of the most important decisions you'll make is choosing the right TEFL course. With so many options available, it can be overwhelming to figure out which course is the best fit for you. In this ebook, we'll discuss five key things to consider when choosing a TEFL course to help you make an informed decision.



Accreditation is an important factor to consider when choosing a TEFL course. Accreditation ensures that the course you're taking meets certain standards and that the training you receive will be of high quality. Look for courses that are accredited by reputable organizations such as the Accrediting Council for Continuing Education and Training (ACCET) or the International TEFL Accreditation Council (ITEFLAC). Courses offered directly through an accredited university are also accredited, including Cambridge University (CELTA), and Trinity University (Trinity CertTESOL).

# 1: Accreditation

# 2: Course Content

The course content is another important factor to consider when choosing a TEFL course. Make sure that the course you choose covers all the necessary topics such as grammar, teaching methods, and lesson planning. Additionally, consider if the course offers any specialized training such as teaching business English or teaching young learners.



# 3: Teaching Practice



Teaching practice is crucial for gaining hands-on experience as a TEFL teacher. Look for courses that offer significant teaching practice opportunities, whether it's through an in-person practicum or online teaching practice. This will give you the chance to put into practice what you've learnt and build your confidence as a teacher.



# 4: Career Support

After you've completed your TEFL course, you'll want to start looking for job opportunities. Look for courses that offer career support such as job placement assistance, resume building workshops, and networking opportunities. This will help you find a job as a TEFL teacher more quickly and easily.

# 5: Cost

When it comes to choosing a TEFL course, cost is an important factor to consider. It's natural to want to find a course that is within your budget, however, it's important to remember that a cheaper course doesn't always mean better quality. In fact, a cheap TEFL course may mean that the training you receive is of lower quality. The less expensive courses may not be accredited, may not have experienced teachers, or may not offer enough teaching practice opportunities.

Investing in a more expensive course that is accredited, has experienced teachers, and offers plenty of teaching practice opportunities will be more beneficial for you in the long run as a TEFL teacher.





Choosing a TEFL course is a big decision, and it's important to consider all the factors that are important to you. By keeping the five things we've discussed in mind - accreditation, course content, teaching practice, career support, and cost - you'll be able to find a course that is the best fit for you and your goals. Remember, the most important thing is to choose a course that will help you reach your goals as a TEFL teacher.

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