

# FACULTY OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

## STRATHCLYDE INSTITUTE OF EDUCATION

### TESOL AND INTERCULTURAL COMMUNICATION

Master of Science in TESOL and Intercultural Communication  
Postgraduate Diploma in TESOL and Intercultural Communication  
Postgraduate Certificate in TESOL and Intercultural Communication

*These regulations are to be read in conjunction with [General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level](#).*

#### Admission

1. See [General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level](#).

#### Duration of Study

2. See [General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level](#).

#### Place of Study

3. In accordance with the [General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level](#), some off-campus work may be required.

#### Mode of Study

4. The programmes are available by full-time study and by part-time study.

#### Curriculum

5. All students shall undertake an approved curriculum as follows:
  - i. for the Postgraduate Certificate no fewer than 60 credits
  - ii. for the Postgraduate Diploma no fewer than 120 credits
  - iii. for the degree of MSc no fewer than 180 credits including a dissertation

#### Compulsory Modules

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
X3842	Language Learning in a Multilingual World	5	20
QQ976	Introduction to Intercultural Communication	5	20

#### Optional Modules

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
Either			
X3833	Research Methodologies and Reasoning	5	20
Or			
QQ939	Research Skills in Literature, Culture and Communication	5	20

Students for the degree of MSc and Postgraduate Diploma in addition will undertake:

**Compulsory Modules**

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
X3841	Contemporary Issues in Language Teaching	5	20

**Optional Modules**

No fewer than 40 credits chosen from:

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
X3859	Curriculum Development in TESOL	5	20
X3863	Digital Technologies in Language Teaching	5	20
X3927	Independent Study 1	5	20
QQ903	Narrative Processing Across Languages, Cultures and Media	5	20
QQ988	Contemporary Scottish Cultural Studies	5	20

Not all optional modules on this list will be available in each academic year.

Any such other Level 5 modules chosen from other programmes offered by the University as may be approved by the Head of Department offering the module and the Programme Leader for this programme.

**Students for the degree of MSc only:**

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
Either			
X3815	Dissertation	5	60
Or			
QQ980	Dissertation in Interdisciplinary English Studies	5	60

**Examination, Progress and Final Assessment**

6. See [General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level](#).
7. The final assessment will be based on performance in the examinations, coursework and the dissertation where undertaken.

**Award**

8. **MSc:** In order to qualify for the award of the degree of MSc in TESOL and Intercultural Communication the candidate must have accumulated no fewer than 180 credits of which

60 must have been awarded in respect of the dissertation X3815 or QQ850.

9. **Postgraduate Diploma:** In order to qualify for the award of the Postgraduate Diploma in TESOL and Intercultural Communication a student must have accumulated no fewer than 120 credits from the taught modules of the programme.
10. **Postgraduate Certificate:** In order to qualify for the award of the Postgraduate Certificate in TESOL and Intercultural Communication a student must have accumulated no fewer than 60 credits from the taught modules of the programme.