

## English as a Second Language

To add English as a Second Language any teacher who holds a valid Type A, B, C, Level 1, 2, or 3 Louisiana certificate you must complete the 12 semester hours listed below:

Course Requirement (s)	Coursework Completed Click to Check	
	YES	NO
Methods of Teaching ESL - 3 semester hours ESLG 5001	_____	_____
Introduction to Language and Culture - 3 semester hours ENGL 4083	_____	_____
Structure of the English Language - 3 semester hours SPLP 4044	_____	_____
Curriculum Design for the Multicultural Classroom - 3 semester hours ESLG 5050	_____	_____

**Note:** English as a Second Language certification will be valid only in the teaching area(s) in which one is certified. This certification area applies only to teachers of children with limited English-speaking ability.

If you have completed all 12 semester hours as listed above and wish to receive a formal evaluation for the purpose of obtaining additional certification, you must send your official transcript(s) with a completed Change-of-Action Packet to the Louisiana Department of Education, Division of Teacher Certification and Higher Education. If you have any questions concerning this procedure, you may call 1-877-453-2721.

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