

# **Master of Arts in Teaching English as a Second Language (MA.TESL)**

**Graduate School**

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## **1. Overview**

Master of Arts Program in Teaching English as a Second Language (MA.TESL) is designed for Thai and international candidates preparing to teach English as a Second Language to students. Students certified in areas other than English Language Teaching can enroll to fulfill the graduate degree.

## **2 Admission Requirements**

1. A bachelor's degree, preferably in English or a language-related subject.
2. A demonstrable level of proficiency in English appropriate for postgraduate study and the professional practice of English language teaching. (For non-native speakers this would be reflected in, for instance, a paper-based TOEFL score of at least 550).
3. Documented English language teaching experience of at least two years (full time).

## **3 Program**

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## **4 Number of Credits**

Total credit of this curriculum is not less than 39 credits

## 5 Structure of the Program

### 1. Plan A. (Thesis)

- 1) Requires Courses not less than 27 credits
- 2) Thesis not less than 12 credits

Total 39 credits

### 2 Plan B. (Non Thesis)

- 1) Required Courses not less than 27 credits
- 2) Elective Course not less than 6 credits
- 3) Independent Study not less than 6 credits

Total 39 credits

## 6. Language of Study: English

## 7. Prospective Students: Thai and International Students

## 8. Possible Careers after Graduation

- English Interpreter/Translator
- English Language Specialist
- International Entrepreneur
- English Language Teacher in various levels; English Language Teacher at the language institution and /or the language academy



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Remedial Courses	Required Courses not less than 27 credits	Thesis Track Not less than 12 credit	Elective Required Courses Not less than 6 credit	Independent Study Not less than 6 credit
	Thesis - Non Thesis	Thesis	Non Thesis	Non Thesis
IENG5001 Foundation English 3(2-2-5) TPPM5001 Speed Reading 1(0-2-1)	IESL5301 Linguistic in English Language 3(2-2-5) IESL5302 Phonetics 3(3-0-6) IESL5303 Advanced English Speaking Skills 3(2-2-5) IESL 5304 Quantitative Research Methodology and Statistics 3(2-2-5) IESL5305 Advanced English Reading and Writing Skills 3(2-2-5) ITSL5306 Curriculum and Instruction Development 3(3-0-6) ITSL5307 Methods of Teaching English as a Second Language 3(3-0-6) ITSL5308 English Language Testing and Assessment 3(3-0-6) ITSL5309 Seminar in Teaching English as a Second Language 3(2-2-5)	ITSL5801 Thesis I 3(0-9-0) ITSL5802 Thesis II 3(0-9-0) ITSL5803 Thesis III 3(0-9-0) ITSL5804 Thesis IV 3(0-9-0)	ITSL5401 Teaching English as a second Language Practicum 3(0-18-0) ITSL5402 Materials Development in English Teaching 3(2-2-5) ITSL5403 Socio-cultural Linguistics 3(3-0-6) ITSL 5404 Qualitative Research Methodology and Statistics 3(2-2-5)	ITSL5701 Professional Paper I 3(0-9-0) ITSL5702 Professional Paper II 3(0-9-0)