

Delta Modules Overview

Delta consists of three modules, each of which is separately assessed. All three modules include a focus on both theory and practice, though teaching is only directly assessed in Module 2.

Module	Title	Focus	Assessment Format
One	Understanding Language, Methodology and Resources for Teaching	Written exam	A written examination consisting of two parts, each 1 hour 30 minutes (externally marked)
Two	Developing Professional Practice	Coursework	Assessed assignments incorporating background essays and observed teaching
Three	Extending Practice and ELT Specialism	Extended Assignment (EA)	An extended assignment of 4,000 – 4,500 words (externally marked)

The Delta course lasts approximately 4 academic semesters and the table below shows when the different modules are worked on.

	MODULE 1	MODULE 2	MODULE 3
DATES	2025-2026 Fall Semester	2024-2025 Fall Semester 2024-2025 Spring Semester	2023-2024 Spring Semester

During the 2023-2024 Spring Semester Delta Module 3 input will be given through Face-to-Face sessions once a week (16.30-19.30)

If there is a demand, online self-study materials will be available on Moodle and those participants who wish to study on their own will have the opportunity to do so. For both cases, participants will have one-to-one / group tutorials with tutors either face-to-face or over Zoom. In addition, written feedback and guidance will be provided on the assignments.

COURSE AND ADMINISTRATIVE FEES¹

MODULE	COURSE FEE	ENTRY FEE TO CAMBRIDGE	TOTAL
Module 1	£400	£130	£530
Module 2	£960	£160	£1120
Module 3	£280	£90	£370

¹ New lists of fees are announced by Cambridge every July. These fees are the current ones valid till 31 July 2024. There might be slight changes to these figures due to the newly announced fees.

Delta Syllabus Overview

Module One

Understanding Language Skills for Teaching

This module looks at the theories behind how people learn languages and how they are taught.

Units:

1. Theoretical perspectives on language acquisition and language learning
2. Different approaches and methodologies including current developments
3. Language systems and learners' linguistic problems
4. Language skills and learner's problems
5. Knowledge of resources, materials and reference sources
6. Key concepts and terminology related to assessment

Module Two

Professional Practice

This module looks at the theory and practice of teaching and the different ways that environment, society and cultural affect the way that it works. Units:

1. The language learner and the language learning context
2. Preparation for teaching adult learners of English
3. Evaluating, selecting and using resources and materials for teaching purposes
4. Managing and supporting learning
5. Evaluation of lesson preparation and teaching
6. Observation/evaluation of other teacher's lessons
7. Professionalism and opportunities for professional development

Module Three

Extending practice and English language teaching specialization

This module focuses on broadening the candidates' knowledge of a chosen specialism and developing their understanding of syllabus design, testing and assessment. Units:

1. Research into specialist areas
2. Syllabus design: principles, influences on, methodological effects of, and major syllabus types as applied to the specific learning context
3. Designing syllabus and teaching programs to meet the needs of learners in the specific context of their selected specialization
4. Course design and development in the specific context of their selected specialization
5. The principles and practice of testing and assessment and application to the candidate's specialist area

Further information on the Delta Modules syllabus can be found at:

<https://www.cambridgeenglish.org/teaching-english/teaching-qualifications/delta/prepare-for-delta/>

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