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Types of English language teachers

1. EFL ~ EFL teachers are English language teachers who teach English as a Foreign Language
2. ESL ~ Teachers under this category teach English as a Second Language.
3. ESOL ~ ESOL teachers teach English for Speakers of Other Languages

As you may have observed, these three types of teachers have one thing in common: they are all

1. TESL ~ Teaching of English as a Second Language.
2. TEFL ~ Teaching of English as a Foreign Language.
3. ELT ~ English language teaching.
4. TESOL ~ Teaching of English for Speakers of Other Languages.

You can see that the first three types of English language teachers are just called by the other

The field populated by English language teachers has grown in so many ways. For one thing, Eng

At present, there are two umbrella terms to subdivide the field of English language teachers.

An English teacher should be aware of the traits of the English language so that he or she may

1. The phonemes of vowels
2. The phonemes of consonants
3. The structure of syllables
4. Vowels which are not stressed
5. The timing of stress
6. Connected speech.

In grammar, the points to take note of are:

1. Articles.
2. Tenses
3. Modal verbs
4. Functions of auxiliaries
5. Idiomatic usage

In vocabulary, a teacher should be honed in:

1. Word derivation
2. Phrasal verbs
3. Size of lexicon.

Some teachers specialize in either written or spoken English.

By being aware of all this concerning the English language, one may become a more effective te

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