



English for Academic Purposes Teacher: Talua Theological Training Institute, Vanuatu 2026

Teacher required for 2026 – Start Date April or Mid-Year

Talua Theological Training Institute:

TTTI is the largest tertiary theological institute in Vanuatu, and the main pastoral training college of the Presbyterian Church of Vanuatu. TTTI trains students for pastoral ministry in many of the protestant Churches / denominations in Vanuatu. The purpose of TTTI is to train and prepare the next generation of Church leaders in Vanuatu. We want to see them deeply in love with God, grounded in his word, and well equipped for ministry in 21st century Vanuatu.

Role Description for English Lecturer:

Students at TTTI are all multilingual, and come with mixed levels of competency in English. In order to access the rich resources of the disciplines of Theology and Biblical Studies, and to be prepared to engage with the ever-increasing challenges facing pastors in Vanuatu, our students need help in improving their level of English. The English Lecturer at TTTI engages with all students, seeking to equip them with the skills in reading, writing, listening and speaking English.

Responsibilities include:

- Classroom teaching (and preparation), 12-16 hours per week of scheduled class time.
- Literary and Language (LLN) support to students and staff across the college.
- Assess English LLN levels of new applicants (currently through the TTTI English Entrance Exam).
- Participation in staff meetings, community events, and other committees of the Institute as necessary.

Minimum Requirements:

We are looking for someone with:

Base Qualifications:

- a Certificate in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (CELTA) or an equivalent internationally recognised TESOL qualification
- OR**
- a degree or higher qualification that includes teaching English
 - If English is a second language, English competency at Vanuatu LLN Band 7 (CEFP levels C1/C2).

Experience in teaching English to speakers of other languages is highly desired

Other Important Requirements:

- flexibility and patience
- ability to work in an interdenominational work environment
- initiative and team player mentality
- aptitude for teaching in formal classroom settings
- a love for Jesus and a passion for mission
- a servant heart
- willingness to live at TTTI Main Campus, South Santo

This position will suit either an individual or a couple with the appropriate qualifications and an interest in cross-cultural mission. The position does not come with a salary but a living allowance is paid, expenses are covered and accommodation is provided on the college campus. The preferred start date is April, or possibly June; and responsibilities will conclude by the end of November.

Contact:

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