FRENCH TEACHER SUMMER TRAINING

24 - 28 July 2023 at the Institut français, London



BELC Royaume-Uni 2023

Les métiers du français dans le monde













What is the BELC?

For some fifty years, the BELC Summer Universities have been providing prime training courses for professionals working in France or abroad in the field of education and the teaching of the French language. They have been offering participants the opportunity to develop their professional practices and to support a dynamic career project. With a wide range of courses covering the teaching, evaluation, training and management of the French teaching profession, the BELC addresses the professional, disciplinary and methodological developments in the domain of French as a foreign language. Since 2012, regional BELCs have been organised to meet the expectations of French language professionals.



What is the BELC Royaume-Uni 2023?

Organised by the Embassy of France and the Institut français du Royaume-Uni, in partnership with the Embassy of France in the Republic of Ireland, the BELC Royaume-Uni 2023 is an intensive one-week training course open to all teachers of French in the United Kingdom, Channel Islands and Republic of Ireland. The BELC Royaume-Uni 2023 will give the opportunity to all participants to attend 30 hours of training to develop and strengthen their language teaching through selected workshops in French.



Time, date and place

The BELC Royaume-Uni 2023 will be held at the Institut français du Royaume-Uni in London (17 Queensberry Place, London, SW7 2DT) located in the vibrant neighbourhood of South Kensington from the 24 to 28 July 2023.



Workshop modules

Participants will be able to choose two 15-hour modules (one from Module A and one from Module B) or to follow one 30-hour module (Module C). At the end of the week, each participant will have completed a total of 30 hours of training.

Module 1A

15h Selecting and facilitating phonetics

This module aims to embrace of the teacher's position in relation to phonetics, the acquisition of knowledge of the French phonological system and the development of coordination skills. At the end of this module, participants will be able to integrate phonetic activities into a teaching unit based on a handbook.

Module 2A
15h Teaching
Francophonie

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This module aims to develop cultural and institutional skills and knowledge as wel as to introduce learners to the Francophone world and culture. Participants will be able to integrate a variety of teaching resources to reflect the cultural diversity of the of *Francophonie*.

Module 3A
Techniques for
developing memory to
learners of French

The aim of this module is to acquire the knowledge and skills necessary to implement theatrical techniques and to develop playful tools to promote memorisation.

Module 1B
Facilitating oral
activities in the French
classroom

This module aims to acquire knowledge and mastering skills to promote speaking in French as a foreign language classes.

Module 2B
Using games for
educational purposes in
the French classroom

This module aims at adopting facilitation techniques and mastering the skills needed to design fun and engaging activities. At the end of this module, participants will be able to enhance group dynamics and learner motivation by providing fun activities in the classroom.

Module 3B
Developing group
dynamics and learner
motivation

This module aims at adopting facilitation techniques and mastering the needed skills in order to develop group dynamics, enhance motivation, nurture learners creativity and foster the pleasure for learning.

Module C

Examining and marking
DELF and DALF tests

This module is primarily intended for professionals attached to an approved DELF-DALF examination centre and/or designated by the central management of the country of practice, but also for professionals not attached to an approved examination centre who would like to become an examiner and marker of DELF and DALF tests.

Side events will be organised (opening and closing ceremonies, cultural activities in French, cocktails etc.) and will be announced in May 2023 to registered participants.

Accommodation

Participants will be able to request accommodation at a discounted rate in a University Central London (ICL) student room at the International Hall London (Landsdowne Terrace) from 5pm on Sunday 23 July to 9am on Friday 24 July 2023. Breakfast will be included in the room booking.



Registration

Registration for the BELC Royaume-Uni will be open from 1 December 2022 until 28 February 2023.

The application procedure will be carried out in several stages:

- Submission of the application on the France Education International platform before 28/02/2023
- Acceptation of the application within one week
- Payment of the registration fee on the Institut français du Royaume-Uni website
- Confirmation of registration by email

Eligibility requirements

The BELC Royaume-Uni 2023 is open to any teacher of French working in a primary or secondary school, *Alliance Française*, Institut français or a *petite école FLAM* in the United Kingdom, Channel Islands or Republic of Ireland.

Fees

The BELC Royaume-Uni 2023 is organised by the Embassy of France in the UK and the Institut français du Royaume-Uni. Most of the registration fees will be covered by these institutions, however, a participant fee will be requested from participants in the UK to attend the BELC Royaume-Uni 2023.

- £120.00 to attend two 15-hour workshops or one 30-hour workshop.
- £180.00 to attend two 15-hour workshops or one 30-hour workshop; with accommodation and breakfast is provided from the night of Sunday 23th July to the morning of Friday 24st July 2023.

Participation certificate

Participants who have attended the full length of the workshops (30h in total) will be given a certificate following the closing ceremony of the BELC Royaume-Uni 2023.

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