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| **NC ESOL for Employability Level 5**  **Course Information** |
| **AIMS** |
| The National Certificates (NC) in ESOL for Employability are nationally recognised qualifications which improve language skills, employability skills and which will help you integrate into Scottish life.  The award in ESOL for Employability gives you the chance to progress to employment, to Higher ESOL or to a further college course of study. This course will improve your English and your chances of getting a job. |
| **QUALIFICATIONS** |
| During this 36-week course you will attend college for 16 hours a week. You will work towards achieving the **Scottish Qualifications Authority** [SQA]NC ESOL for Employability. You will also complete core skills units, Edinburgh college (EC) units and complete a 2-week work placement.  **Edinburgh College Units**   * Level 5 Language Learning Objectives * Study Skills Level 5 * Tutorial * Self-Directed study   **SQA Units**   * Working with Others Level 5 * Preparation to Work Level 5 * NC ESOL reading for employability 5 * NC ESOL listening for employability 5 * NC ESOL writing for employability 5 * NC ESOL speaking for employability 5 * Living in Scotland Level 5 * Work Placement Level 4 * Skills for Customer Care 5 * Event Organisation * Data Citizenship * Data Science |
| **COURSE CONTENT** |
| You will speak, write, listen and read about yourself, your life and your career. You will work on grammar, vocabulary, pronunciation and improve all your language skills. You will also learn about the history and culture of Scotland and the UK and you will research the Scottish job market and write a CV.  You will develop your study and organisational skills and will meet regularly with your course tutor to look at your progress in all areas of the course and to focus on your next steps in your studies or employment  You will do a lot of learning in pairs and groups but most of the assessments will be individual. There will be some written assessments and some spoken ones. |
| **TUTORIALS** |
| Your main teacher will also be your class tutor. You will speak to your tutor individually to agree an individual learning plan (ILP) for you, and at regular times in the course to discuss your progress. |
| **ASSESSMENT AND PROGRESSION** |
| To be successful, you will need to achieve 12 Unit credits.  Students from this course can progress to:   * Higher ESOL * Other college courses * Employment |