

## About Talk English

Funded by the Department for Communities and Local Government (DCLG), the Talk English project is working with people with low levels of English to help them improve their language skills, access services and get more involved in the community.



## Training and volunteering with Talk English

We're looking for enthusiastic, committed volunteers who want to make a real difference to people's lives and teach English. To be a volunteer ESOL teacher you will need to be able to demonstrate excellent skills in spoken and written English at Level 2 (GCSE equivalent) and good computer skills at Level 1.

As a volunteer ESOL\* teacher with Talk English, you will co-teach a Talk English course alongside another volunteer one morning or one afternoon a week for up to 3 hours in a community setting for a minimum of 6 months. In return for your teaching commitment, you will receive free training and be supported to achieve a professional teaching qualification at Level 3. If you already have a teaching qualification (i.e. PTTLS/CTLLS/DTLLS or CELTA/Cert. TESOL or PGCE), we have a fast track training course to prepare you for teaching ESOL on the Talk English project.

- **ESOL** stands for **E**nglish for **S**peakers of **O**ther **L**anguages

From September 2015 you might be able to join one of the training courses which will run at **Greenheys Adult Learning Centre, Upper Lloyd Street, Moss Side, M14 4HZ**

### **Level 3 Award in Education and Training:**

Tuesdays, 17:00-19:30 starting on September 15th for 20 weeks (term-time only)

Wednesdays 9:30-12:00 starting on September 16th for 20 weeks (term-time only)

### **Fast Track Training for those who already hold a teaching qualification or would like to volunteer as a Talk English Friend:**

Fridays 9:30-12:00 for 2 or 5 weeks depending on the role, starting on September 18th

## How do I get involved?

To find out more and register your interest, go to [www.talk-english.co.uk](http://www.talk-english.co.uk) or apply via this link <http://www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/103532JMRCX>