

Subject Code	ELC2S02
Subject Title	Serving the Community through Teaching English
Hosting Department	English Language Centre
Level	2
Class Quota	Students taking this subject can choose to serve either in Cambodia or Taiwan (one location only) 40 places for Team Cambodia 20 places for Team Taiwan
Medium of Instruction	English
Subject Duration	Semester 2 + Summer Term
Teaching Staff	Ms. Anna Ho, Mr. Andy Jarvis, Ms. Chan Man, Mr. Chris Shepard, Ms. Denise Cheung, Mr. Eric Tindall, Mr. James Evans, Ms. Jessica Xia, Ms. Kira Rimrott
Target Students	GUR, open for all
Pre-requisites	Nil
Selection of students required?	Yes
Subject Synopsis	http://elc.polyu.edu.hk/subjects/ELC2S02/

Service Project

What will students do to serve?	<p>Regardless of the service location chosen, students will serve as literacy tutors and in collaboration with local volunteers render a 40-hour English language workshop for primary school children or youths.</p> <p>Prior to the service, you will be introduced to basic teaching skills and background information about how English is taught and learnt. You then develop a relevant teaching kit for the service recipients.</p> <p>Former students who took the subject have thoroughly enjoyed their experience in Cambodia/Taiwan. The opportunities of serving as upfront teachers for young children and the chance of working closely with locals similar to their age have enabled students to better understand the challenges that youth in the service location are facing.</p>																
Whom will students serve?	Primary School Students or young university students																
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Remarks: The information given above is subject to change.

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When will students serve? (Exact time to be confirmed)	Cambodia: Around 2 weeks between mid-May and mid June Taiwan: Mid-May to early June
Assessments	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Individual work: A storytelling/ instruction giving video (10%) 2. Group work: a 20 min persuasive presentation (30%) 3. Individual work: a 15 min teaching video (30%) 4. 2 800-word reflective journals (2 x 15%)
Fee payable by students	Cambodia: Service-Learning only: \$2,000 (To be confirmed) Taiwan: \$1,500 (To be confirmed)
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