PDA ESOL Tutoring - Tutors' Questionnaire

1. Gender:

	Response Percent	Response Count
Male	12.2%	33
Female	**87.8%**	238
	answered question	**271**
	skipped question	**9**

2. Age:

	Response Percent	Response Count
under 30	7.7%	21
30-39	16.1%	44
40-49	30.0%	82
50-59	**35.5%**	97
60 and over	10.6%	29
	answered question	**273**
	skipped question	**7**

3. What is your first language?

	Response Count
	269
	answered question	**269**
	skipped question	**11**

4. Which other language(s) do you speak? Please indicate your level of proficiency 1-5 (oral and written) for each. 1 = beginner 5 = high level of fluency and accuracy E.g. Greek /3 oral/1 written

	Response Percent	Response Count
language/oral level/written level	**99.6%**	233
language/oral level/written level	67.1%	157
language/oral level/written level	32.1%	75
language/oral level/written level	9.8%	23
language/oral level/written level	3.0%	7
	answered question	**234**
	skipped question	**46**

5. where do you work in Scotland? (City/town and region)	
	Response Count
	271
answered question	**271**
skipped question	**9**

6. Do you work as a tutor with ESOL learners (this could be paid or voluntary)? (remember tutor is used here to define anyone delivering ESOL)		
	Response Percent	**Response Count**
Yes	**93.5%**	259
No	6.5%	18
If yes, approximately how long have you been working in this capacity?		243
answered question		**277**
skipped question		**3**

7. Is/Are your post(s)? (you may select more that one option if appropriate)		
	Response Percent	**Response Count**
Full-time permanent	**30.3%**	81
Part-time permanent	16.9%	45
Full-time temporary	7.1%	19
Part-time temporary	20.2%	54
On a sessional basis	15.4%	41
On a voluntary basis	20.6%	55
answered question		**267**
skipped question		**13**

8. Which organisation(s) do you tutor for?	
	Response Count
	260
answered question	**260**
skipped question	**20**

9. On average, how many hours tutoring do you undertake each week?		
	Response Percent	Response Count
0-5	**42.3%**	110
6-10	16.5%	43
11-15	11.2%	29
16-20	11.5%	30
more than 20	18.5%	48
	answered question	**260**
	skipped question	**20**

10. How would you describe your role?		
	Response Percent	Response Count
main tutor	**72.8%**	190
support tutor/tutor assistant	11.1%	29
both	16.1%	42
	answered question	**261**
	skipped question	**19**

11. Where do you tutor? (please tick all that apply)		
	Response Percent	Response Count
In a learner's home	16.5%	43
In a community venue	**53.6%**	140
In the learners' workplace.	7.3%	19
In a Further Education (FE) college	37.9%	99
Other (please name)	22.2%	58
	answered question	**261**
	skipped question	**19**

12. If you have chosen 'community venue' in Q6, please describe venue(s). (More than one option may be selected)

	Response Percent	Response Count
Community learning centre	**51.7%**	75
Library	17.9%	26
Church hall	7.6%	11
School building	23.4%	34
Other (please specify)	17.2%	25
	answered question	**145**
	skipped question	**135**

13. Who do you tutor? (Please tick all that apply)

	Response Percent	Response Count
women-only groups/individuals	22.4%	59
men-only groups/individuals	6.5%	17
men and women in the same group/class	**66.5%**	175
young adults (16-18 years old)	26.2%	69
children (under 16)	20.5%	54
families as a group	1.9%	5
	answered question	**263**
	skipped question	**17**

14. Do you tutor

	Response Percent	Response Count
one-to-one?	40.8%	107
with small groups (4 learners or fewer)?	44.3%	116
with larger groups? (5 learners or more)	**69.1%**	181
	answered question	**262**
	skipped question	**18**

15. What is the status of your learners? (Please tick all that apply)

	Response Percent	Response Count
refugees and asylum seekers	40.0%	106
settled ethnic minorities	58.9%	156
migrant workers (from within the EU)	**60.8%**	161
language students from outside the EU (international)	33.6%	89
language students from within the EU	31.7%	84
Not sure of status of learners I work with	6.0%	16
Other (please describe)	16.6%	44
	answered question	**265**
	skipped question	**15**

16. What areas of English Language tutoring are you involved in? (Please tick all that apply)

	Response Percent	Response Count
Initial Assessment	56.5%	147
General English	**86.2%**	224
English for Work	45.8%	119
Engish for Citizenship	33.8%	88
ESOL Literacy	53.8%	140
ESOL for a specific subject (e.g. computing)	16.2%	42
External exam preparation (e.g. cambridge FCE, IELTS)	22.7%	59
Internal Assessment (e.g. SQA NQ ESOL Units)	45.8%	119
EAL	17.7%	46
Other (please describe)	6.2%	16
	answered question	**260**
	skipped question	**20**

17. If you tutor toward SQA NQ ESOL Units, are you the assessor?		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		**41.3%**	100
No		22.7%	55
Not Applicable		36.0%	87
	answered question		**242**
	skipped question		**38**

18. do you use any languages other than English while working with ESOL learners?		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		18.0%	46
No		**82.0%**	210
	If yes, please name languages used		47
	answered question		**256**
	skipped question		**24**

19. How much do you use this/these language(s) and for what purpose(s)?		Response Count
		49
	answered question	**49**
	skipped question	**231**

20. What is the highest academic qualification you hold?		Response Count
		249
	answered question	**249**
	skipped question	**31**

21. Do you have Higher English/'A'level English or equivalent?		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		**86.0%**	215
No		14.0%	35
	answered question		**250**
	skipped question		**30**

22. If English is not your first language, do you hold an English Language qualification?		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		12.7%	20
No		2.5%	4
Not Applicable		**84.7%**	133
If yes, please name qualification and give grade / level attained (e.g. Cambridge, SQA, IELTS).			18
	answered question		**157**
	skipped question		**123**

23. Do you have an ESOL/EFL-specific teaching qualification e.g CELTA?		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		**62.1%**	159
No		37.9%	97
If yes, please provide details. (Name of qualification; awarding body; year attained). E.g. CertTESOL; Trinity College London; 2004			158
	answered question		**256**
	skipped question		**24**

24. Do you hold a non-EFL/ESOL teaching qualification(e.g.PGCE)?		Response Percent	Response Count
yes		38.7%	99
No		**61.3%**	157
If yes, please provide details. (Name of qualification; awarding body; year attained). E.g. PGCE; University of Strathclyde; 1995			104
	answered question		**256**
	skipped question		**24**

25. If you have no EFL/ESOL specific qualifications, please describe any ESOL training you have received.		Response Count
		82
	answered question	**82**
	skipped question	**198**

26. What aspects of ESOLdelivery were included in the above training?(Please tick all that apply)

	Response Percent	Response Count
Working one-to-one	53.5%	84
Cultural awareness	77.1%	121
Working with asylum seekers and refugees	29.3%	46
Teaching techniques	**89.8%**	141
How English works (language awareness	75.2%	118
Phonology (pronunciation issues)	70.1%	110
Developing skills (reading/writing/listening/speaking)	83.4%	131
ESOL literacy	49.0%	77
Citizenship	12.1%	19
Other (please describe)	14.6%	23
	answered question	**157**
	skipped question	**123**

27. Is there ongoing ESOL support/training from the organisation you work with?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	**67.1%**	153
No	32.9%	75
	if yes, please provide details:	144
	answered question	**228**
	skipped question	**52**

28. Do you think there is a need for a PDA in ESOL Tutoring?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	**78.1%**	185
No	1.7%	4
Don't know/unsure	20.3%	48
	Please comment	134
	answered question	**237**
	skipped question	**43**

29. How much demand do you think there will be for this qualification?

	a lot	some	not much	none at all	not sure/don't know	Rating Average	Response Count
Potential demand	**41.0% (98)**	38.5% (92)	2.1% (5)	0.0% (0)	18.4% (44)	2.16	239
						answered question	**239**
						skipped question	**41**

30. SQA hope to develop this PDA at a level (e.g.SCQF 6) which would facilitate progression to a CELTA/CertTESOL. Do you think this is appropriate?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	**66.1%**	156
No	5.1%	12
Don't know/unsure	28.8%	68
Please explain your answer		114
answered question		**236**
skipped question		**44**

31. Would you consider undertaking an accredited ESOL tutoring course leading to this qualification?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	37.9%	89
No	**42.6%**	100
Don't know/unsure	19.6%	46
Please explain your answer		150
answered question		**235**
skipped question		**45**

32. What components of ESOL Tutoring do you think should be included in the PDA in ESOL Tutoring Please tick what you consider to be the 5 most important elements.

	Response Percent	Response Count
How English works(language awareness)	72.3%	172
Phonology(pronunciation issues	50.0%	119
ESOL literacy and numeracy	53.8%	128
Lesson planning	63.9%	152
Teaching methods and techniques	**84.0%**	200
Observation of experienced tutors/teachers	64.7%	154
Observed tutoring/teaching practice	48.7%	116
Cultural awareness	44.5%	106
Working with low level ESOL learners	51.7%	123
Working with asylum seekers and refugees working with Migrant workers	28.2%	67
Working as a classroom assistant/support tutor	27.3%	65
Initial assessment and needs analysis]	51.3%	122
Individual learning plans	30.7%	73
Choosing and adapting appropriate materials	65.1%	155
ESOL qualifications (e.g.SQA NQ Units)	38.7%	92
Citizenship	25.6%	61
Other (please describe)	13.0%	31
	answered question	**238**
	skipped question	**42**

33. What further ESOL teaching qualifications do you think SQA should develop?

	Response Count
	89
answered question	**89**
skipped question	**191**

34. Do you plan to continue ESOL tutoring?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	**89.7%**	208
No	0.9%	2
Don't know/unsure	9.5%	22
If no, why not?		16
answered question		**232**
skipped question		**48**

35. If you are a volunteer, do you plan to find paid employment as and EFL/ESOL tutor?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	16.7%	23
No	13.0%	18
Don't know	10.9%	15
N/A	**59.4%**	82
If yes do you want to work part-time or full-time?		24
answered question		**138**
skipped question		**142**

36. Do you have plans to work in another part of the UK (e.g. England) as an EFL/ESOL tutor?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	2.6%	6
No	**78.4%**	178
Don't know/unsure	18.9%	43
answered question		**227**
skipped question		**53**

37. Do you have plans to work outside the UK as an ESOL/EFL tutor?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	15.6%	36
No	**58.0%**	134
Don't know/unsure	26.4%	61
answered question		**231**
skipped question		**49**

38. Comments box: Please add any other comments regarding the PDA in ESOL Tutoring	
	Response Count
	28
answered question	**28**
skipped question	**252**

39. If you would like to be invited to join a focus group or wish to be kept updated about this project, you may provide personal details here. This information will only be used for the purpose stated and will not be disclosed to any other parties		
	Response Percent	**Response Count**
Name:	**100.0%**	127
Organisation (optional):	66.1%	84
Address 1:	98.4%	125
Address 2:	48.8%	62
City/Town:	97.6%	124
Postal Code:	93.7%	119
answered question		**127**
skipped question		**153**

40. contact phone number(optional)	
	Response Count
	89
answered question	**89**
skipped question	**191**

41. I would like to be invited to a focus group/workshop regarding the PDA in ESOL Tutoring.		
	Response Percent	**Response Count**
Yes	**60.4%**	96
No	39.6%	63
If yes, please provide an email address		97
answered question		**159**
skipped question		**121**