

Online Adult English as a Second Language (ESL) Teacher

CLUES was founded in 1981 with a vision for improving the quality of life of the Latino population in Minnesota. Today, CLUES is Minnesota's largest Latino-led non-profit organization and serves the community in three distinct areas: community wellness, community leadership, and community prosperity. Our services focus on the Latino family; however, our experience enables us to serve individuals and families from all walks of life.

CLUES' Mission: Our work is to ensure the advancement of social and economic equity and wellbeing for Latinos in Minnesota.

Purpose of Position: Volunteer teachers in our ESL classrooms assist adult learners in acquiring the English language and life-skills necessary to overcome the obstacles in their everyday lives.

Position Type: Unpaid Volunteer or Internship

Schedule: Monday through Friday 10:00 am - 12:00 pm & 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Location: Online using Zoom

Responsibilities*:

- Teach/co-teach at least one daytime or evening class per week for the entire term.
- Use the CLUES curriculum and other provided resources to present engaging lessons for each class.
- Communicate regularly and in a timely manner with the program coordinator regarding scheduling, concerns related to learners' progress, or classroom behaviors.
- Log lesson reports on the volunteer website after each class.

Qualifications:

- Excellent interpersonal, verbal, and written communication skills in English.
- Ability to teach the English language and basic life skills to adult learners.
- Be responsible, punctual, encouraging, flexible and friendly when working with students and CLUES staff.
- Be open and respectful to diverse life experiences, values and backgrounds.
- Previous teaching and/or tutoring experience is preferred but not required.

Requirements & Training:

- Access to a computer and stable Wi-Fi.
- Submit a Volunteer Application and Volunteer Waiver and Release form.
- Interview with a member of CLUES' adult education team.
- Observe a minimum of one adult ESL class prior to teaching.
- Attend CLUES' New Teacher Orientation.
- Complete volunteer training as required by the Minnesota Department of Education.

^{*}CLUES reserves the right to terminate an internship or volunteer commitment if behavior is not in compliance with CLUES policies.