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# British Council Partner Resources

June Edition

# Introduction

As a global organisation the British Council connects with 80 million people in 100 countries through activities including arts programmes, English language teaching and exams.

This June edition of our partner resources has a range of tools and channels to learn English, discover more about other cultures, and take part in virtual learning programmes. If you missed the May resources, [get in touch!](#)

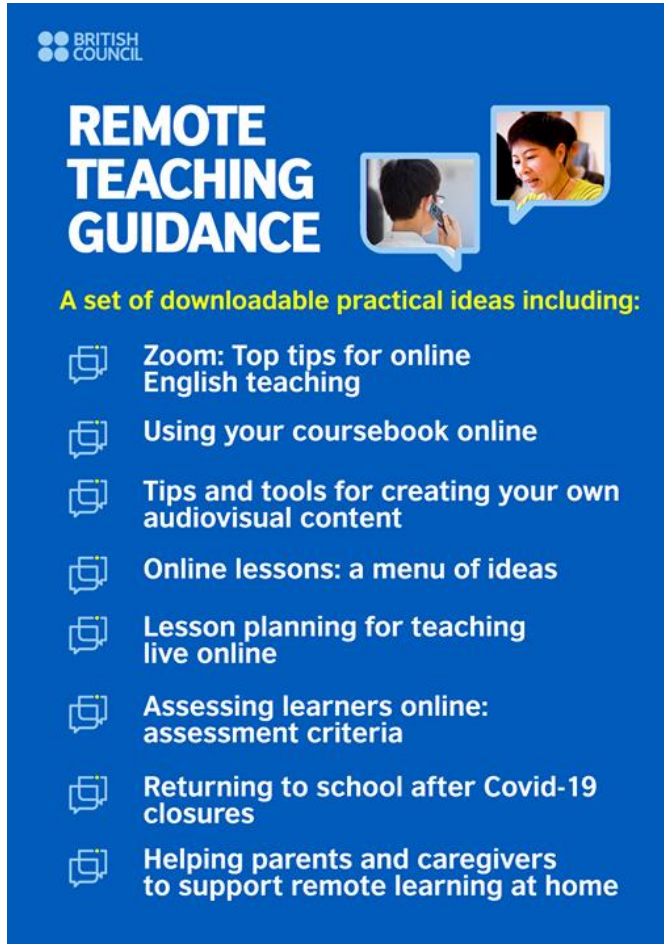
It is a great compliment to our [#DisfrutaEnCasa](#) page for language learners and culture enthusiasts. The page is split into 5 categories: Read, Watch, Listen, Learn and Discover.

Enjoy!

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# Support for Remote Teaching



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## REMOTE TEACHING GUIDANCE

A set of downloadable practical ideas including:

- Zoom: Top tips for online English teaching
- Using your coursebook online
- Tips and tools for creating your own audiovisual content
- Online lessons: a menu of ideas
- Lesson planning for teaching live online
- Assessing learners online: assessment criteria
- Returning to school after Covid-19 closures
- Helping parents and caregivers to support remote learning at home



Check out the Remote Teaching Guidance resources [here](#) or explore the *[Changing Englishes](#)* course that explores how English is used around the world.

# 100% Online CELTA Course

CELTA (Certificate in English Language Teaching to Adults) is an internationally recognised English teaching qualification.

The new 100% Online CELTA course will be run from 16<sup>th</sup> June to 17<sup>th</sup> July 2020 with an intensity of four days per week.

Click [here](#) for more information and prices.

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“CELTA is essential for anyone hoping to work for a reputable English language teaching institution, such as the British Council”

# Free Online Courses



To support learning and professional development the British Council has a range of free courses available on *Future Learn*.

Course	Start Date	Audience
<a href="#"><u>Ideas for a Better World</u></a>	25th May	Leaders / Future Leaders
<a href="#"><u>English for the Workplace</u></a>	1st June	English learners
<a href="#"><u>Understanding IELTS: Speaking</u></a>	1st June	English learners/teachers
<a href="#"><u>Understanding IELTS: Reading</u></a>	1st June	English learners/teachers
<a href="#"><u>Becoming a Better Teacher</u></a>	8th June	Teachers
<a href="#"><u>Teaching for Success: Learning and Learners</u></a>	15th June	Teachers
<a href="#"><u>English in Early Childhood</u></a>	22nd June	Parents/teachers

Courses are between 3 to 6 weeks long, require about 3 hours of study per week and include optional online live events.

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# Going Global 2020

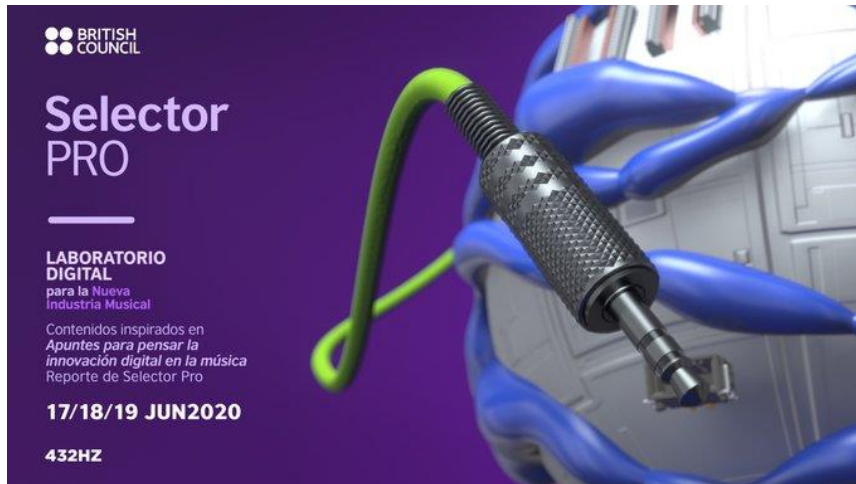
Going Global is a conference for leaders in international education to debate the future of further and higher education.

Participate throughout June via the free online events including topics of sustainability, inclusion & leadership.

More on [this link](#)



# Selector Pro Digital Laboratory



See more information about our work in *Music* and the Selector Pro event that took place in *Medellín* in February 2020.

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The Selector Pro is a global initiative that supports the development of skills and abilities in the contemporary music industry.

From the 17<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> June the *Digital Laboratory* will look at new trends in digital innovation in the music sector.

Register for free on [this link](#) or listen to our weekly radio show [here](#).



# Read these with a cup of tea (or coffee!)



The ELTons celebrate innovation in the ELT sector. Check out this year's nominees [here](#).



These women are making their mark on the UK and on their community!  
Join #OutstandingWomen and read their stories.

The [Outstanding Women](#) series celebrates women from the Americas who have studied in the UK.



Learn more about the role of language assessment as a cultural relations activity [here](#).



TikTok – read about how the platform could be a journalist's new best friend [here](#).

# Video content for the “Culture Vultures”



Enjoy world-class British theatre online for free each week with [National Theatre At Home](#).



The [English National Ballet](#) has live streams each Wednesday and online classes for teenagers AND families!



Watch how sounds from the UK and Colombian jazz scene fuse together as part of [#MestizoMusic](#)



[Hay Festival Programme for Schools](#) has over 70 online videos with authors including [teaching materials](#)

# New Aptis Webinars



Check out the *All About Aptis* webinar series for students!

Webinar topic	Date	Time *	Registration link
<b>Aptis General</b>			
All about Aptis General: Reading and Writing	02-Jun	10:00	<a href="#">Register here</a>
All about Aptis General: Speaking and Listening	10-Jun	10:00	<a href="#">Register here</a>
<b>Aptis for Teachers</b>			
All about Aptis for Teachers: Reading and Writing	03-Jun	10:00	<a href="#">Register here</a>
All about Aptis for Teachers: Speaking and Listening	11-Jun	10:00	<a href="#">Register here</a>
<b>Aptis Advanced</b>			
All about Aptis Advanced: Reading and Writing	09-Jun	10:00	<a href="#">Register here</a>
All about Aptis Advanced: Listening and Speaking	16-Jun	10:00	<a href="#">Register here</a>
<b>Special webinars</b>			
Aiming for B2 in Aptis	17-Jun	10:00	<a href="#">Register here</a>
Aiming for C1 in Aptis	23-Jun	10:00	<a href="#">Register here</a>

\* Time in Colombia

# June IELTS Webinars



**BRITISH COUNCIL IELTS™**

### IELTS Webinars Schedule

**2<sup>nd</sup> June - 30<sup>th</sup> June** | The first session will be available at 9:30 AM UK time.  
The same session will be repeated at 3:00 PM UK time.

<b>INTRODUCTION TO IELTS</b> General Training or Academic? Paper-based or computer-delivered?	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> June</b>
<b>IELTS STUDY PLAN:</b> Writing	<b>4<sup>th</sup> June</b>
<b>WRITING TASK 2:</b> Opinion and argument essays	<b>9<sup>th</sup> June</b>
<b>IELTS STUDY PLAN:</b> Reading	<b>11<sup>th</sup> June</b>
<b>ACADEMIC READING</b> Overview and strategies and difficult question types	<b>16<sup>th</sup> June</b>
<b>IELTS STUDY PLAN:</b> Listening	<b>18<sup>th</sup> June</b>
<b>LISTENING</b> Overview and strategies	<b>23<sup>rd</sup> June</b>
<b>IELTS STUDY PLAN:</b> Speaking	<b>25<sup>th</sup> June</b>
<b>SPEAKING</b> Overview and strategies	<b>30<sup>th</sup> June</b>

These free webinars are perfect for students and teachers who want to learn more about IELTS!



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