

Certificate in Preschool Mother Tongue Language Teaching - Malay (CPMTLT-M)

Modules	Synopsis
Grammar for Effective Communication in Malay	<p>This module reinforces in students their core skills of listening, speaking, reading and writing in Malay. They will also learn the technicalities of the language like Malay word classification and formation of words, grammar, syntax, phonology and semantic, enabling them to speak effectively. The module will also introduce students to the different styles of writing, allowing them to communicate effectively with parents and other stakeholders.</p>
Introduction to Malay Literature for Young Children	<p>In this module, students will learn the types and genre of Malay literature, development of Malay Literature and be introduced to the prominent Malay authors. Students will also be introduced to classic and modern Malay literature for children, giving them the opportunity to explore and evaluate classical and contemporary literature materials in Malay designed for children. Students will explore the differences and similarities of those texts. Students will be introduced to visual literacy and will be learning how it can be used to support children's learning. Through this module, students will also learn about the Malay community, where students will be encouraged to integrate their learning to create suitable learning opportunities for children to use the language.</p>
Teaching Malay through the Arts for Young Children	<p>This module will introduce students to the use of art, music and drama with young children to develop interest, reinforce and extend their learning of Malay language, culture and heritage. Traditional and folk art such as batik painting and weaving, songs and rhymes, dance such as the Zapin and Inang will be included to instill creative expressions. Folklore and stories unique to the Malay community, suitable for young children will be introduced through drama and the use of props to develop confidence and appropriate communication skills.</p>

<p>Developing Malay Language Literacy for Young Children</p>	<p>This module introduces students to the components of language and literacy skills: listening, speaking, reading, and pre-writing, in the learning of the Malay language. Students will be taught to scaffold children's learning in a fun and interactive manner including the use of play, show-and-tell, word games and singing. Reading strategies for young children such as the Shared Book Approach, PEER and CROWD and Sight Words. as well as different types of pre-writing skills activities will be introduced. Taking reference from the NEL Framework for Mother Tongue Languages, the creative use of local folklore, audio, visual and tactile materials are to support literacy for young children.</p>
<p>Practicum - Malay Language</p>	<p>This practicum is for students to apply their knowledge and skill gleaned from the modules of CPMTLT-M that relate to Malay Language learning, for children from three plus to six years of age, in early childhood settings. The focus is on instilling a love for learning the Malay Language by creating a fun and yet purposeful learning environment for play, as well as small group and large group activities. Students will also plan a series of structured and unstructured sequential learning experiences and engage in reflective writing on their roles and interactions with children.</p>