International TA Program
Certification of International Teaching Assistants

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<td>TOEFL iBT Speaking: 26+ SPEAK: 50+</td>
<td>Certified</td>
<td>1-8</td>
<td>No further action. Students may enroll in a class and attend workshops.</td>
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<td>TOEFL iBT Speaking: 23-24 SPEAK: 45</td>
<td>Able to teach at levels 1&amp;2 with no further requirement. Able to teach at levels 3&amp;4 if also enrolled in an English class.</td>
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<td>Students are recommended to enroll in an English class. Students must enroll in EAP4831 or EAP4832 in the same semester they are appointed to teach at levels 3 and 4.</td>
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<td>TOEFL iBT Speaking: &lt;22 SPEAK: &lt;40</td>
<td>Unable to teach</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>Students are recommended to enroll in an English class if they want to become TAs.</td>
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TAs teaching their native language: International graduate students who teach their native language must score at least 45 on SPEAK or 23-24 on the speaking section of TOEFL in order to be able to teach.

Alternative Certification: Students who score a 45 on SPEAK and enroll in EAP4831 can be certified if they get a 90 or better in the class.

Levels of Instruction for Teaching Assistants:

1. Grader
2. Proctor for Computerized Exams and Laboratories
3. Lab section
4. Recitation/discussion section
5. Lower-level course
6. Liberal studies course
7. Upper-level non-major non-liberal studies course
8. Upper-level major course

Course level types 5-8 presume the teaching assistant is providing the primary instruction in the course.