

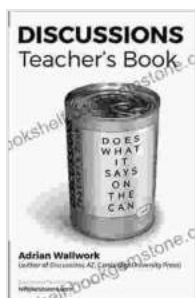
# Does What It Says On The Can: TEFL Discussions 11

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In this eleventh installment of our TEFL Discussions series, we'll be taking a look at some of the most common questions and concerns that TEFL teachers have. We'll cover topics such as:

- How to find a TEFL job
- What to expect in your first TEFL job
- How to deal with difficult students
- How to advance your TEFL career

If you're thinking about becoming a TEFL teacher, or if you're already a TEFL teacher and you're looking for some tips and advice, then this article is for you. Read on to learn more about the TEFL profession and how to make the most of your experience.



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## **How to Find a TEFL Job**

The first step to becoming a TEFL teacher is to find a job. There are a number of ways to do this, but the most common is to apply online through job boards or TEFL recruitment agencies.

When you're applying for TEFL jobs, it's important to tailor your resume and cover letter to each specific job. Make sure to highlight your skills and experience that are relevant to the job you're applying for. You should also be prepared to answer questions about your TEFL certification and experience in an interview.

Once you've found a TEFL job, you'll need to prepare for your first day of teaching. This includes packing your teaching materials, planning your lessons, and getting to know your students.

## **What to Expect in Your First TEFL Job**

Your first TEFL job will be a learning experience. You'll be teaching a new language to students from all over the world, and you'll need to adapt your teaching style to meet the needs of your students.

It's important to be patient and flexible in your first TEFL job. You'll make mistakes, but you'll also learn a lot. The more you teach, the better you'll become at it.

Here are a few tips for success in your first TEFL job:

- Be prepared. Plan your lessons carefully and make sure you have all the materials you need.
- Be patient. Teaching a new language takes time and effort.

- Be flexible. Adapt your teaching style to meet the needs of your students.
- Be positive. A positive attitude will make your students more engaged and motivated.
- Be yourself. Don't try to be someone you're not. Your students will appreciate your authenticity.

## **How to Deal with Difficult Students**

Every TEFL teacher will encounter difficult students at some point in their career. These students may be disruptive, unmotivated, or disrespectful. It's important to be prepared to deal with these students in a way that is both effective and professional.

Here are a few tips for dealing with difficult students:

- Stay calm and professional. Don't let the student's behavior get to you.
- Set clear expectations. Let the student know what is expected of them in your class.
- Be consistent. Enforce your expectations consistently and fairly.
- Be respectful. Treat the student with respect, even if they are being disrespectful to you.
- Seek support. If you're having trouble dealing with a difficult student, don't be afraid to seek support from your colleagues or supervisor.

## **How to Advance Your TEFL Career**

Once you've gained some experience as a TEFL teacher, you may start to think about advancing your career. There are a number of ways to do this, such as:

- Getting a higher TEFL certification
- Specializing in a particular area of TEFL, such as teaching business English or teaching young learners
- Becoming a TEFL teacher trainer
- Opening your own TEFL school

The best way to advance your TEFL career is to find something that you're passionate about and that you're good at. If you love teaching, and you're good at it, then you'll be successful in your TEFL career.

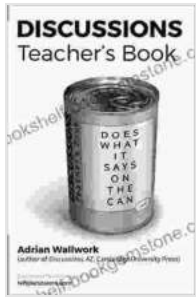
TEFL is a rewarding and challenging profession. If you're passionate about teaching and you're looking for a way to make a difference in the world, then TEFL could be the perfect career for you.

In this article, we've covered some of the most common questions and concerns that TEFL teachers have. We've also provided some tips and advice on how to find a TEFL job, what to expect in your first TEFL job, how to deal with difficult students, and how to advance your TEFL career.

If you're interested in learning more about TEFL, there are a number of resources available online. You can also find TEFL courses and certifications at many colleges and universities.

We hope this article has been helpful. Good luck in your TEFL career!

Image alt text: A photo of a TEFL teacher teaching a class of students.



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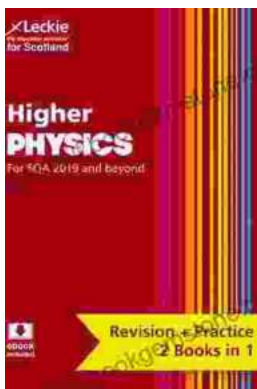
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