SOME useful tips and tools 🙂

1. Placement tests (testy poziomujące), examples below:

- **Written placement tests:**

https://internationalenglishtest.com/english-level-test/?gclid=Cj0KCQjwzdOlBhCNARIsAPMwjbygTbXaUiZdZ0hDLLip5bX8vwW3nfkUOVhJcUIiagHO7wzfK0VUfecaAm4DEALw_wcB

https://www.cambridgeenglish.org/test-your-english/

https://ngl.cengage.com/assets/downloads_b/marketing_downloads/1111031096/Outcomes%20Placement%20Test.pdf

https://test-english.com/level-test/

https://preply.com/en/language-tests/english

https://www.europa-school.co.uk/language-level-test/

- **Speaking placement tests:**

https://tesolau.com/course-resources/placement-test-speaking.pdf

http://shvidko172.narod.ru/olderfiles/1/Oral_Placement_Test.pdf

2. First meeting -short conversation/interview (about 10 min)

- Questions about personal information: family, interests and hobbies, place of living, free time, work/school, movies/books , favorite subject, etc. (depends on the age of your students)
- What would the students like to focus on, what are their weak/strong points? (speaking, writing, listening, grammar, vocabulary)

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- If it comes to 8 graders you check their level of English and then you plan more or less what you're gonna teach them and what they already know and most importantly **what they NEED to know** for the exam.

3. Preparing the lesson

Before each lesson you have to spend some time preparing (the lesson and yourself). Sometimes you will spend 30 min and other days it might be 2 hours (it all depends what you wanna do on the lesson and what materials are you gonna use (ready to use or prepared by you).

Websites with ready-to-use lesson plans 🙂
https://eslbrains.com/
https://www.linguahouse.com/

Websites with plenty of materials to use and create your own exercises:
https://www.liveworksheets.com/
https://wordwall.net/resource/28232306/angielski/which-do-you-prefer-this-or-that
https://test-english.com/
https://www.baamboozle.com/

You will have to modify ready-to-use lessons depending on your students' needs, interests and abilities.
You should definitely use multimedia like short videos or audio files/articles (preferably 3-5 min videos during the lesson. You can give them homework based on longer videos like 10 or 20 min with some vocabulary or grammar exercises based on it and questions based on the content [you can also use it as a discussion starter on your lesson - videos are great for that].

Some websites where you can find short videos:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCYsWPPZMhfI9EddYpPe6CYw

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https://www.youtube.com/@TopThink 

4. Homework

Giving homework is essential. Checking it as well. Homework helps to revise and consolidate the things you're teaching in your class. It shouldn't be too extensive but also not too easy or short and it should always be based on the material you're teaching (not new material). It also shouldn't bore to death ;)

5. Revision

At the beginning of each class spend a few minutes (3-5 max 10) revising vocabulary from the previous class. You can also revise grammar or whatever your previous class was based on. Revision can be in the form of a warm up.

You can prepare some fun games or just check vocabulary by asking questions with that vocabulary, for instance: What activities do you find cumbersome? (this way you're checking if the student remembers the words and warming them up:)

6. Tests and revision

Revising and testing is an important part of teaching. Well prepared tests can check the progress that the students have made, motivate and also work as a revision.

It depends on you and your student how often and what material you're gonna be testing. It can be every month or every week or every 2 lessons - just be flexible and always give your students heads up at least a few days before the test (preferably a week and make sure they know the material that's gonna be tested).

If it comes to big tests (for ex: term tests) students will have to have some time to prepare and revise (about 2 weeks) and it's good to have a revision before the test. Always tell them specifically what's gonna be on the test.

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The most effective way to learn how to teach is by teaching somebody:) Remember to be **flexible** and choose or modify the materials that are adjusted to your students' needs as much as possible.

For starters read and watch this:

Start with this:

https://www.speak-up.pl/aktualnosci/jak-zosta%C4%87-lektorem-angielskiego

then watch this :D

super dziewczyny, bardzo przydatne wskazówki dla początkujących

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SLddniBKrdo

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oiNKR1nSMt4

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NEpq03vxVMM

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=v3oaLIoaYlQ

i ten pan, którego znalazłam

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hlOGglXRmhs

i kilka innych bardziej pod kątem metodyki nauczania:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NICqtpSaCK0

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ektpfmPBqgw

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hCTO3mfCQmk

Świetny blog

https://bydianaboutenglish.com/porady-dla-lektora/

Poniżej strony, gdzie możesz zamieścić swoje ogłoszenie. Radziłabym na początek przygotować się solidnie z teorii, aby później spróbować sił udzielając korepetycji i starać się używać swojej wiedzy w praktyce. Zazwyczaj, żeby zostać nauczycielem/lektorem trzeba mieć co najmniej certyfikat potwierdzający znajomość języka i ukończony kurs metodyczny, jednak studenci lingwistycznych kierunków często udzielają korepetycji mając jedynie certyfikat albo i bez niego. Niestety na tym etapie, bez certyfikatów i szkoleń nie znajdziesz zatrudnienia w żadnej placówce.

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Polecam poczytać ogłoszenia innych osób na tych stronach i zobaczyć co w nich jest.

https://www.e-korepetycje.net/
https://www.korepetycje24.com/
poza tym **facebook** (są grupy typu korepetycje, szukam korepetycji, itp, platforma **gumtree** lub **olx** w kategorii korepetycje.

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