

DETAILS FOR BIBLICAL FOUNDATIONS OF EDUCATION

EDU400A

Quick Info

- Currently offered by Alphacrucis/National Institute: Yes
- Course code: EDU400a
- Credit points: 10
- Subject coordinator: Jacqui Stok, MEd, MDiv
- Lecturers:

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Prerequisites

None

Awards offering *Biblical Foundations of Education*

This unit is offered as a part of the following awards:

- Master of Education
- Master of Education (Leadership)
- Graduate Certificate in Education
- Graduate Certificate of Education (Leadership)

Unit Content

Outcomes

Students will be able to

1. Explain the difference between various understandings of theology and an approach to the Bible that sees it as a unified narrative, considering the potential influence each may have on education.
2. Summarise some of the difficulties with different methods of Biblical interpretation and approaches to hermeneutics, including concerns regarding epistemological approaches to the Bible as the written word of God.
3. Consider the themes of Scripture and their pertinence to schooling.
4. Compare and contrast the literature genres of specific books, and see the history of the Old and New Testament Scriptures in terms of the larger plans and purposes of God—with specific reference to education;
5. Evaluate the implications of a biblically grounded metanarrative for life and educational practice.

Subject Content

1. The authority of the Bible
2. Genesis 1-11
3. Covenant & Kingdom

Exodus

4. Kings, Temples, Priests, & Prophets
5. Gospel
6. Church
7. Wisdom and life

This course may be offered in the following formats

NICE@School by arrangement

- Distance/ Global Online scheduled class gathering
- Face to face intensive days with online support

Or combination of

- Face-to-Face
- Intensive (5 days of classes/7 hours per day followed by 85 hours reading, writing and assignments)
- Extensive (5 days spread over the semester)

Subject available each semester. If you wish to enquire about this subject please contact admin@nice.edu.au

Assessment Methods

- Forum posts and class engagement (intensives or zoom class) (10%)
- Essay (40%)
- Essay (50%)

Prescribed Text

No prescribed text