

ADVANCE Ministry Preparation
Sponsored by Gateway Seminary
Bible Teaching Workshop – 1.5 hours
Spring 2022
Tuesdays and 7:30pm to 9:00pm

Online (ZOOM)
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COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course includes a study of the principles and methods of preparation, delivery, and evaluation for transformational Bible teaching. The course content includes a discussion of appropriate handling of the text and effective application of biblical principles. Attention will be given to learning styles and appropriate teaching methodology.

COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES

At the conclusion of the course, the student will be able to demonstrate competence in the following practical skills for leading Bible Study or teaching Bible:

- Curriculum: The student will be able to create a Lesson Plan for Bible Study from a scripture passage and evaluate curriculum created by others.
- Teaching: The student will be able to teach the created lesson plan; throughout the course, the student will write, teach, and self-evaluate transformational Bible study lesson plans.
- Needs of Class: The student will be able to identify the needs of individuals in his or her Bible Study group.

ASSIGNMENTS:

1. Observation of Teaching

- Attend a Bible study group in your life group that you are not teaching or facilitating.
- Report: In a 1000 word, evaluate the lesson based on the Lesson Plan: Were all 4 learning styles addressed within the presentation? If not, suggest what/how you would change the lesson to address the missing quadrant(s).

2. Teaching Lab: Written Lesson

- Prepare a Bible Lesson on a topic of your choice synthesizing all the knowledge and skills developed throughout the course.

- The written **Lesson Plan**** should be clear and complete so that another person could pick up your printed copy and effectively teach from the plan.
- Teach a lesson to the class in 20 minutes. A written Lesson Plan must be submitted prior to the presentation.

** A **Lesson Plan Template** will be provided at the first day of the Class.

GRADING SCALE:

- Attendance: 10%
- Quiz 10%
- Report on Observation of Teaching: 30%
- Lesson Plan: 20%
- Oral Presentation: 30%

A 94-100 B+ 87-89 C+ 77-79 D 65-69
A- 90-93 B 83-86 C 73-76 F 0-64
B- 80-82 C- 70-72

Wk	Date	In Class	Assignment Due
1	4/5	Basic Hermeneutics	
2	4/12	Understanding Learning Styles & Teaching Methods	Quiz on Hermeneutics
3	4/19	Student Presentation	Submit Lesson Plan prior to Presentation
4	4/26	Student Presentation	Submit Report

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Warren, Rick. *Bible Study Methods: Twelve Ways You Can Unlock God's Word*. Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2006.