



# VANGUARD UNIVERSITY

Graduate Education Program

Offers 4 Courses for Educators

**KERN COUNTY AREA – FALL 2019**

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| 1. "BUILDING CURRICULUM TO MEET STATE STANDARDS"           | STARTS SEPT. 5 |
| 2. "BEAT THE CLOCK: MAKING THE MOST OF INSTRUCTIONAL TIME" | STARTS OCT. 3  |
| 3. "UNDERSTANDING STUDENT CRISES"                          | STARTS NOV. 7  |
| 4. "THE LIVING CLASSROOM"                                  | STARTS DEC. 2  |

**WHERE:** The Dante Association (Wi-Fi available)  
4415 Wilson Road  
Bakersfield, CA

**CREDIT:** These courses are being offered by  
the Graduate Education Department of  
Vanguard University, Costa Mesa, CA.  
Vanguard University is accredited by  
the Western Association of Schools & Colleges

**WHO:** These courses are designed for educators.  
With district approval, course credit may be  
used for pay increase and professional growth.

**TUITION:** \$318 for 3 semester units of graduate extension credit. Manual enrollment fees may apply.

**COURSE COORDINATOR:** JEAN SIMPSON, former Professor of Art Education, CSUN, former classroom teacher and supervising master teacher, LAUSD. Jean has authored five books, was a television arts and crafts teacher and was selected as "One of the Four Most Creative Women in America" by the Ladies' Home Journal magazine. Don't miss this dynamic instructor!

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**WHEN:** WEEKDAYS: September 5, 9, 10, 11 & 12, 2019  
4:00 – 8:00 PM

**WHAT:** EDUX 5120 A, B, C, or D  
Plus \$25 materials fee

**NOTE:** This course will consist of 45 hours of face-to-face contact hours, online learning, research & outside practicum.

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:** Participants will construct modules of materials for use in conjunction with curriculum units. The development of materials to support all aspects of instruction and assessment will be featured throughout the course. This class gives teachers the opportunity to prepare ancillaries such as task cards, games, bulletin boards, centers, social studies, language arts, and math materials for their classrooms.

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| 2. "BEAT THE CLOCK: MAKING THE MOST OF INSTRUCTIONAL TIME" | STARTS OCT. 3 |
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**WHEN:** WEEKDAYS: October 3, 7, 8, 9 & 10, 2019  
4:00 – 8:00 PM

**WHAT:** EDUX 5100 A, B, C, or D  
Plus \$25 materials fee

**NOTE:** This course will consist of 45 hours of face-to-face contact hours, online learning, research & outside practicum.

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:** Time is one of the most precious commodities of the classroom teacher. This course focuses on improving classroom management systems and tools to maximize instructional time. Participants will examine ways to minimize distractions, develop effective transition strategies and improve flow as students move from one task to another. Helping students maintain focus and develop good study skills will also be an outcome of this class.

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FOR COURSES IN BAKERSFIELD, SANTA CLARITA, LANCASTER, GLENDALE, VENTURA, PASADENA & SIMI VALLEY

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**3. “UNDERSTANDING STUDENT CRISES”**

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**WHEN:** **WEEKDAYS:** November 7, 11\*, 12, 13 & 14, 2019  
 4:00 – 8:00 PM

**WHAT:** EDUX 5430 A, B, C, or D  
 Plus \$25 materials fee

*NOTE: This course will consist of 45 hours of face-to-face contact hours, online learning, research & outside practicum.*

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:** This course examines the growing pressures and mounting problems contemporary students face every day. Obesity, self-esteem issues, drugs, violence, pregnancy, alcoholism, family instability and a host of other problems place tremendous stress on students. This course will provide teachers with information on all sides of the issues as well as a wealth of classroom activities and projects designed to deal with student crises

**4. “THE LIVING CLASSROOM”**

**STARTS DEC. 2**

**WHEN:** **WEEKDAYS:** Monday: December 2, 2019 and  
 Wednesday: January 15, 2020, 4:00 – 5:00 PM

**WHAT:** EDUX 5520 A, B, C, or D

*NOTE: This course will consist of 45 hours of face-to-face contact hours, online learning, research & outside practicum.*

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:** This course emphasizes visiting community resources and natural and historically significant locations that bring the classroom to life. Participants will tour educational sites that have genuine implications for student achievement and social understanding. These tours will have application to all study skills, portfolios and content across the curriculum. Rich resources for language arts, social science, multicultural studies, art and math will be encountered. Participants will evaluate in depth the implications of the tour for their grade level and cross section of ability levels before and after taking a tour.

	<b>PLAN AHEAD</b>	<b>SPRING 2020</b>
1.	January 9, 13, 14, 15 & 16	EDUX 5590
2.	February 6, 10, 11, 12 & 13	EDUX 5190
3.	March 5, 9, 10, 11 & 12	EDUX 5360
4.	April 2 & May 13	EDUX 5580
5.	May 7, 11, 12, 13 & 14	EDUX 5540
		Unlock the Treasure Chest of Learning
		Developing Quality Curriculum
		Sharing Teaching Treasures
		Uncovering Educational Opportunities
		The Art of Curriculum Design

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