

# VANGUARD UNIVERSITY



Graduate Education Program

#### **Offers 4 Courses for Educators**

#### **BAKERSFIELD – FALL 2021**

- 1. "BUILDING CURRICULUM TO MEET STATE STANDARDS"
- 2. "NEW APPROACHES TO IMPROVING LITERACY"

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3. "EDUCATION FOR THE FUTURE"

WHERE: DISTANCE LEARNING\*

WHO:

4. "MULTICULTURAL DIVERSITY: THE MELTING POT OF MANY"

STARTS THURS., SEPT 9 STARTS THURS., OCT 7 STARTS THURS., NOV 11 STARTS THURS., DEC 2

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#### 1. "BUILDING CURRICULUM TO MEET STATE STANDARDS"

WHEN: September 9 to October 7

## ZOOM Meeting: Thursday, Sept 9 - 5:00 PM

#### STARTS THURS., SEPT 9 WHAT: EDUX 5120 A, B, C, OR D Flexible Scheduling

**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 plan and prepare ancillaries such as task cards, games, bulletin boards, centers, social studies, language arts, and math materials for their classrooms.

#### 2. "NEW APPROACHES TO IMPROVING LITERACY" WHEN: October 7 to November 11

ZOOM Meeting: Thursday, Oct 7 - 5:00 PM

STARTS THURS., OCT 7 WHAT: EDUX 5690 A, B, C, OR D Flexible Scheduling

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:** This course focuses on the latest approaches to language arts and provides participants the opportunity to find ways to of improving instruction in reading literacy, writing, speaking, listening and building academic vocabulary. Participants will be given a number of current models for utilizing reading literacy in a Content Standards program along with lesson plans for adapting the program to students of all abilities. Activities for individual self-selected reading will be covered. Every participant will take away a wealth of activities and ideas for immediate use in their classrooms.

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ZOOM Meeting: Thursday, Nov 11 - 5:00 PM

**Flexible Scheduling COURSE DESCRIPTION:** This course will cover the most recent innovations in the teaching and learning process. Participants will examine strategies in the areas of discipline, classroom management, group dynamics, and centers that have content implications across the curriculum. Techniques for building selfimage, improving study skills and getting the most out of every student are incorporated in this course. This class will give you a glimpse into the very best in teaching/learning programs.

#### 4. "MULTICULTURAL DIVERSITY: THE MELTING POT OF MANY" WHEN: December 2 to January 13 WHAT: EDUX 5350 A, B, C, OR D ZOOM Meeting: Thursday, Dec 2 - 5:00 PM Flexible Scheduling

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:** This course is designed for the sensitive educator wanting to gain understanding of the ever-changing cultural diversity of the students in today's schools. Participants will explore the ethnic and cultural groups in the community environments in which their pupils live. The fusion of cross-cultural customs and values will be presented. Study tours to culturally enriching sites will be taken to give in-depth understanding of the varied language ability, cultural heritage and historical backgrounds of our students. A broad range of cultural similarities and differences will be covered. Counts as a Spring 2022 course.

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