VANGUARD UNIVERSITY
Graduate Education Program
Offers 5 Courses for Educators
KERN COUNTY AREA – SUMMER 2019

1. "SUCCESSFUL CLASSROOM ORGANIZATION" STARTS MAY 2
2. “CREATIVE EXPRESSION IN THE CLASSROOM” STARTS JUNE 6
3. “THE SUCCESSFUL CLASSROOM ENVIRONMENT” STARTS JULY 1
4. “COMMON CORE EFFECTIVE STRATEGIES” STARTS AUG. 1
5. "BUILDING CURRICULUM TO MEET STATE STANDARDS" STARTS SEPT. 5

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.

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!

1. "SUCCESSFUL CLASSROOM ORGANIZATION"

WHEN: WEEKDAYS: May 2, 6, 7, 8 & 9, 2019
4:00 – 8:00 PM

WHAT: EDUX 5380 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 provides the opportunity to explore organizational concepts. Individual and group projects supporting critical thinking and creative interaction will be covered, as well as the utilization of cooperative learning groups and partnerships. Outlines of the organizational structure will be presented covering ways groups may organize their materials, prepare their research, and detail the process of presenting their work to their fellow students. Finish year end teacher tasks.

2. “CREATIVE EXPRESSION IN THE CLASSROOM”

WHEN: WEEKDAYS: June 6, 10, 11, 12 & 13, 2019
4:00 – 8:00 PM

WHAT: EDUX 5170 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 is designed to cover a variety of strategies and solutions to integrate creativity and problem solving throughout the curriculum. Participants will explore multimedia approaches using a discovery/problem-solving model implementing perception, production and reflection. A broad range of "thinking activities" and authentic assessments will be showcased. These activities help identify and develop talents of students at all learning levels. Hands-on projects will be presented that will encourage pupils to move from "visual to verbal" and in the process, develop skills in mathematics and oral and written language.

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FOR COURSES IN BAKERSFIELD, SANTA CLARITA, LANCASTER, GLENDALE, VENTURA, PASADENA & SIMI VALLEY
Telephone JEAN SIMPSON 805-449-1429 or email jeansimpson2013@gmail.com
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3. “THE SUCCESSFUL CLASSROOM ENVIRONMENT” STARTS JULY 1
WHEN: WEEKDAYS: July 1, 8, 9, 10 & 11, 2019
WHAT: EDUX 5420 A, B, C, or D
4:00 – 8:00 PM
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 is designed to help educators create an optimal learning environment in their classrooms. Participants will explore various concepts, models and ideas for building an environment focused on improving on-task performance, class mood, student motivation and disciplinary strategies. In creating a stable and predictable classroom environment, children with attention deficiencies will benefit, and the overall atmosphere of the classroom will improve.

4. “COMMON CORE EFFECTIVE STRATEGIES” STARTS AUG. 1
WHEN: WEEKDAYS: August 1, 5, 6, 7 & 8, 2019
WHAT: EDUX 5760 A, B, C, or D
4:00 – 8:00 PM
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: In this course participants will learn how to translate the common core standards into practice. They also will work on strategies to accelerate student achievement. Participants will summarize and evaluate research on the course topic, actively engage in related activities, and establish future goals for their students and classrooms. This course combines educational theory and practical implementation of the Common Core State Standards.

5. “BUILDING CURRICULUM TO MEET STATE STANDARDS” STARTS SEPT. 5
WHEN: WEEKDAYS: September 5, 9, 10, 11 & 12, 2019
WHAT: EDUX 5120 A, B, C, or D
4:00 – 8:00 PM
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.

PLAN AHEAD FOR FALL 2019
1. EDUX 5100 “BEAT THE CLOCK: MAKING THE MOST OF INSTRUCTIONAL TIME” OCT. 3, 7, 8, 9, & 10
2. EDUX 5430 "UNDERSTANDING STUDENT CRISIS" NOV. 7, 11, 12, 13 & 14
3. EDUX 5520 "THE LIVING CLASSROOM" DEC. 2 & JAN. 15

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