

# VANGUARD UNIVERSITY

Graduate Education Program

# Offers 3 Courses for Educators VENTURA – SPRING 2024

#### 1. "SHARING TEACHING TREASURES"

2. "COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS"

3. "MAKING MEANINGFUL MATERIALS"

WHERE: DISTANCE LEARNING\*

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#### 1. "SHARING TEACHING TREASURES" WHEN: FEBRUARY 7 to MARCH 6 ZOOM Meeting: WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7 - 4:00 PM

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:** From across society and every corner of the internet, come plans for better educational programs, but where better to find the riches of successful programs than in the proven individual classrooms around us. This course will offer a treasure chest of outstanding contemporary and traditional teaching strategies that achieve student success across the curriculum. Programs that have application to every learning level and student background will be explored. The best tools of the trade will be shared from fellow educators. Don't miss this one! It will be packed with gems that will shine in your classroom tomorrow!

### 2. "COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS" WHEN: MARCH 6 to APRIL 17 ZOOM Meeting: WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6 - 4:00 PM

STARTS WED., MAR. 6 WHAT: EDUX 5150 A, B, C, OR D Flexible Scheduling

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:** This course will outline a variety of community resources that can enhance learning across the curriculum, expand lessons and increase understanding and appreciation of the diverse cultural elements of our neighborhoods. Study tours may be arranged to provide first-hand contact with historical sites, museums, multicultural art displays and other important locations. A wealth of community resources will be made available through curriculum outlines, classroom materials and informative presentations.

ENROLL ON-LINE AT WWW.COLLEGECREDITCONNECTION.COM, click on Face-To-Face tab.

FOR COURSES IN BAKERSFIELD, SANTA CLARITA, LANCASTER, GLENDALE/LA CRESCENTA, VENTURA, SIMI VALLEY, ORANGE COUNTY & DOWNEY/LONG BEACH

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STARTS WED., FEB. 7 WHAT: EDUX 5360 A, B, C, OR D Flexible Scheduling



**STARTS WED., FEB. 7** 

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**STARTS WED., MAY 1** 



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## 3. "MAKING MEANINGFUL MATERIALS" WHEN: MAY 1 to JUNE 5 ZOOM Meeting: WEDNESDAY, MAY 1 - 4:00 PM COURSE DESCRIPTION:

STARTS WED., MAY 1 WHAT: EDUX 5320 A, B, C, OR D Flexible Scheduling

This course is designed to enrich, enliven and bring energy to the curriculum with instructional materials that grab your attention and improve motivation in the classroom. Plan, prep, and construct educational materials and activities that provide reinforcement to students at all ability levels. Developmental activities that lend themselves to independent work time and cooperative learning groups will be constructed.

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