



# VANGUARD UNIVERSITY

Graduate Education Program

## Offers 3 Courses for Educators

VENTURA – SPRING 2022



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| 1. "MAKING MEANINGFUL MATERIALS "                 | STARTS WED., JAN 12 |
| 2. "WINNING STRATEGIES & MOTIVATIONAL TECHNIQUES" | STARTS WED., MAR 2  |
| 3. "CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT FOR EVERY TEACHER"       | STARTS WED., MAY 4  |

**WHERE:** DISTANCE LEARNING\*

**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 and 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 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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| 1. "MAKING MEANINGFUL MATERIALS " | STARTS WED., JAN 12 |
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**WHEN:** January 12 to March 2

**WHAT:** EDUX 5320 A, B, C, OR D

**ZOOM Meeting:** Wednesday, Jan. 12 - 4:00 PM

**Flexible Scheduling**

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:** 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. Participants will construct games, learning centers and activities that provide reinforcement to students at all ability levels. Course participants will create developmental activities that lend themselves to independent work time and cooperative learning groups.

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| 2. "WINNING STRATEGIES & MOTIVATIONAL TECHNIQUES" | STARTS WED., MAR 2 |
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**WHEN:** March 2 to May 4

**WHAT:** EDUX 5610 A, B, C, OR D

**ZOOM Meeting:** Wednesday, March 2 - 4:00 PM

**Flexible Scheduling**

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:** This course is designed to aid teachers in the process of developing effective strategies and proven techniques conducive to improving student self-esteem, classroom participation, and learning retention. Activities that extend children's knowledge beyond the basic curriculum and provide thoughtful approaches to content will be presented. Program suggestions will be explored that can be used with students at all learning levels. A study tour may also be incorporated in the class to broaden students' horizons and increase their ability to make connections across the curriculum.

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FOR COURSES IN BAKERSFIELD, SANTA CLARITA, LANCASTER, GLENDALE/LA CRESCENTA, VENTURA, SIMI VALLEY, ORANGE COUNTY & DOWNEY/LONG BEACH  
Telephone JEAN SIMPSON 805-449-1429 or email [jeansimpson2013@gmail.com](mailto:jeansimpson2013@gmail.com)

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| 3. "CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT FOR EVERY TEACHER" | STARTS WED., MAY 4 |
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**WHEN:** May 4 to June 8

**WHAT:** EDUX 5470 A, B, C, OR D

**ZOOM Meeting:** Wednesday, May 4 - 4:00 PM

**Flexible Scheduling**

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:** This course is designed to assist educators in developing successful strategies that instill a calm and orderly learning environment. Participants will learn tips to improve classroom discipline through individual and group motivation techniques. Educators will establish ways to work with the needs of each child by encouraging productive student behavior through effective organizational practices, rewards and learning. This course will cover preventative discipline practices and practical management methods that are essential to establishing and maintaining classroom control.

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