



VANGUARD UNIVERSITY

Graduate Education Program Offers 5 Courses for Educators BAKERSFIELD – SUMMER 2023



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| 1. "TECHNIQUES FOR MANAGING THE CLASSROOM" | STARTS THURS., MAY 4 |
| 2. "COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS" | STARTS THURS., JUNE 8 |
| 3. "THE LITERACY LADDER: CLIMBING TOWARDS COMPREHENSION" | STARTS THURS., JUNE 22 |
| 4. "WORKING WITH CHALLENGING STUDENTS" | STARTS THURS., JULY 6 |
| 5. "CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT AND DESIGN" | STARTS THURS., JULY 20 |

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: \$333 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. "TECHNIQUES FOR MANAGING THE CLASSROOM" | STARTS THURS., MAY 4 |
| WHEN: May 4 to June 8 | WHAT: EDUX 5400 A, B, C, OR D |
| ZOOM Meeting: Thursday, May 4 - 5:00 PM | Flexible Scheduling |
| COURSE DESCRIPTION: This course focuses on the mechanical aspect of setting up an effective learning environment for students. Through classroom discussion, presentations and review of research materials, participants will gain new ideas and confirm their own knowledge related to proper management of the classroom. | |

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| 2. "COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS" | STARTS THURS., JUNE 8 |
| WHEN: June 8 to June 22 | WHAT: EDUX 5150 A, B, C, OR D |
| ZOOM Meeting: Thursday, June 8 - 5:00 PM | Flexible Scheduling |
| COURSE DESCRIPTION: This course outlines a variety of community resources that will enhance learning across the curriculum, expand lessons and increase understanding and appreciation of the diverse cultural elements of our neighborhoods. Study tours will 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. | |

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3. "THE LITERACY LADDER: CLIMBING TOWARDS COMPREHENSION" STARTS THURS., JUNE 22

WHEN: June 22 to July 6

WHAT: EDUX 5410 A, B, C, OR D

ZOOM Meeting: Thursday, June 22 - 5:00 PM

Flexible Scheduling

COURSE DESCRIPTION: This course emphasizes the acquisition of methods and the development of lessons that teach reading comprehension. The use of different resources in media, interactive exercise, and standard-based examples will be demonstrated and illustrated for use in the classroom. In this course participants will be directed to the California State Standards as a starting point for lesson planning. Examples will be described and modeled as a guide to the development of each participant's personal lesson plans.

4. "WORKING WITH CHALLENGING STUDENTS: BULLIES AND VICTIMS" STARTS THURS., JULY 6

WHEN: July 6 to July 20

WHAT: EDUX 5450 A, B, C, OR D

ZOOM Meeting: Thursday, July 6 - 5:00 PM

Flexible Scheduling

COURSE DESCRIPTION: This course will offer participants the opportunity to collaborate with fellow teachers and administrators in order to better understand the negative impact of bullying behavior. During this course, participants will develop ways to work with bullies and victims, improve the self-image of both, and create ways to ensure that all students can learn in a safe and fear-free environment. As participants consider how bullying often obstructs the ability of students to progress both academically and socially, they will examine and collaborate on solutions to this serious issue in today's schools.

5. "CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT AND DESIGN" STARTS THURS., JULY 20

WHEN: July 20 to August 10

WHAT: EDUX 5180 A, B, C, OR D

ZOOM Meeting: Thursday, July 20 - 5:00 PM

Flexible Scheduling

COURSE DESCRIPTION: Developing a fun and exciting curriculum that meets the Content Standards can be challenging for any educator. This course focuses on designing curriculum that matches the standards with teacher-made materials students love to use. Participants will examine ways of documenting student performance in order to modify and redesign the curriculum to meet both content standards and the needs of the children in the classroom.

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