

EDCI 315 SDA Doctrines and Bible Methods – COURSE DESCRIPTION

An introduction to Christianity from a Seventh-day Adventist perspective, including instructional methods for teaching Bible. This course combines a study of Christian theology from a Seventh-day Adventist perspective with an introduction to the principles and skills related to effective religious (spiritual) instruction. Utilizing the framework of the Encounter curriculum, students will explore salvation, the Godhead, Sabbath, and death, among other topics. Strategies will be taught within the context of leading students into a personal relationship with God.

This class is organized by weeks with an Orientation Week prior to the beginning of the four-week intensive. The Orientation must be completed before you will be allowed to start the intensive. Please introduce yourself in D2L during the Orientation Week. The course will require 80-120 hours of study. Students are independent learners who must complete readings, videos, and assignments to meet personal and institutional deadlines. The content is arranged in four weeks of study. Tasks for each unit should be completed within the week allotted and the final task must be submitted by the last day of class.