

diploma in youth ministry

- An in depth course covering youth ministry theory and practice, equipping you for professional youth ministry service.
- A course that allows you to keep serving in your church while you study – all papers can be done by distance.
- A course written by an experienced practitioner.
- “A course that is affordable—costs compare very favourably with other tertiary institutions.
- A course with a strong youth ministry component that can be done to supplement training offered through other Bible colleges.
 - Regular personal contact by the course writer who acts in a mentoring role.
- An ideal training programme for youth interns that gives them the depth and practical insights they need.

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The Diploma in Youth Ministry can be gained by completing eight youth ministry papers offered by YouthTRAIN. An Advanced Diploma is awarded at the completion of four more advanced papers.

COST

The full cost of each papers is NZ\$100. If a student pays for all eight at once the total for all eight papers is just NZ\$600. Postage is free within New Zealand and NZ\$7.50 per paper for overseas enrolments. Alternatively, you can forgo this cost if we email you the material.

The cost of the additional four Advanced Diploma papers is again NZ\$100 each with the twelfth paper being a research paper and costing just NZ\$25 as there is no manual supplied. A student can enrol in all four papers at once for just NZ\$250.

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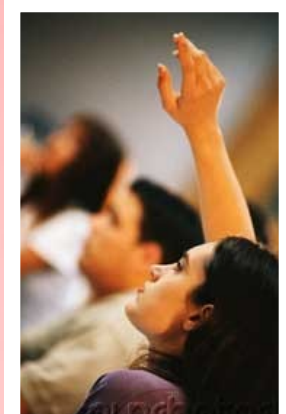
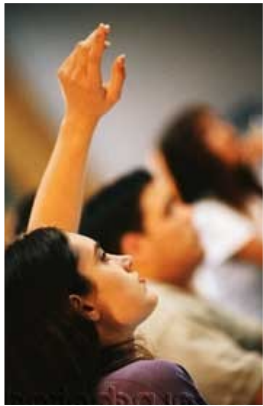
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Curriculum

PRINCIPLES OF CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP

Analyse the dynamics and responsibilities of Christian leadership, with particular reference to call, motivation, requirements, responsibilities, skills, style and trials.

MANAGEMENT AND MINISTRY

Develop an understanding of the dynamics and requirements of management in ministry with particular reference to time and financial management, marketing, planning, delegation, motivation, decision making, conflict resolution, change management and discipline.

YOUTH MINISTRY DESIGN

Develop a Biblical and appropriate youth ministry design with particular reference to philosophy, purpose, models of ministry, implementation, and integration with the wider church.

YOUTH MINISTRY PROGRAMMING

Learn principles and practices of effective youth programming with particular reference to Bible study, prayer, worship, camping, evangelism, and mission.

ADOLESCENCE

Learn developmental characteristics of adolescence such as physical, sexual, emotional, social, intellectual, moral and spiritual. Understand the impact of factors affecting behaviour such as personality, environment & the family.

ADOLESCENT PASTORAL CARE

Learn principles and practices of pastoral care to adolescents with particular reference to personal qualities, listening skills, building helping relationships, common pastoral care issues, handling crises, confidentiality and referral.

YOUTH CULTURE

Explore cultural characteristics and trends affecting young people with particular reference to worldview, beliefs, values and behaviour. Use these insights to develop strategies to disciple young people.

COMMUNICATION

Learn principles and practices of effective communication through preaching, training and small group leadership. Understand the principles of teaching, learning, preparation, presentation, group dynamics and learning styles.

ADVANCED DIPLOMA IN YOUTH MINISTRY

ADVANCED PASTORAL CARE OF ADOLESCENTS I

Explore a range of common adolescent physiological and emotional issues, and learn effective pastoral care strategies for dealing with them.

ADVANCED PASTORAL CARE OF ADOLESCENTS II

Explore a range of common adolescent social and spiritual issues, and learn effective pastoral care strategies for dealing with them.

YOUTH MINISTRY PHILOSOPHY

Develop your own philosophical approach to youth ministry through the thorough examination of six distinct frameworks: theology, ecclesiology, developmental factors, culture, history and sociology.

YOUTH MINISTRY PRACTICE

Research a chosen aspect of youth ministry practice and develop guidelines and recommendations justified by research findings.

