

TEEC Is a distance learning college which provides theological education for Christians involved in lay and ordained ministries in all of the major denominations. Students from all denominations are welcome to study with us. Studying by extension enables you to study at home and in your own local church and community context.

Courses are provided at Award, Certificate, Diploma and Degree levels. Leaflets for the other programmes of study are available from TEEC. All of our courses are in line with the South African Government's recommendations regarding Outcomes Based Education and Training.

TEE College Certificate

The TEE Certificate of Competence in Theology is made up of eleven courses covering the Old and New Testaments, Church History, Doctrine and Practical Theology. The following subjects are compulsory:

- 201 OT
- 221 NT
- 241 Doctrine 1
- 276 Spirituality

Assessment usually includes both written submissions and practical work and varies from course to course. It may include written assignments (some with a practical component), projects and examinations.

We recommend that you take no more than two or three courses in the first year and that you begin with either 201 or 221 and a practical courses such as 276 Spirituality.

This programme is underwritten by the participating Churches of the TEE College Council and is not registered on the National Qualifications Framework.

Please contact the TEE College for the current fees.

how to register

Registration must be on the correct TEEC registration forms and must be accompanied by payment. Registration forms and information on how to pay will all be available from 1 September. You are advised to register as soon after 1 October as you can to ensure that there are no delays. This will also give you maximum time to work through the material before writing assignments.

Registrations open: 1 October
Closing date: 15 February
Outside South Africa: 31 January

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**Theological Education
by Extension College**

Provisionally registered with the Department of Education until 31st December 2010 as a Private Higher Education Institution under the Higher Education Act of 1997. Provisional Registration Certificate No. 2008/HE08/002).

201: Introduction to the Old Testament

This course is an introduction to the Old Testament which covers the history and background of the Bible and a basic survey of the books of the Old Testament. It should be taken before any other courses on single Old Testament books.

212: Amos

Book 1 offers a general introduction to the prophets. Book 2 is a study of Amos in his context and includes justice issues.

213: Genesis

This course introduces you to the context and significance of the book of Genesis. You will study the whole book of Genesis a section at a time.

214: Exodus

This course introduces you to the context and significance of the book of Exodus. You will study the whole book of Exodus a section at a time.

215: Psalms

This course is a study of each Psalm which looks at the theme and offers notes on individual verses and on the use of the Psalm.

221: Introduction to the New Testament

This course introduces you to Palestine in the time of Jesus, to biblical criticism and to the New Testament books.

232: 1 Corinthians

This course covers 1 Corinthians section by section offering an outline, notes and interpretation of each.

234: Romans

This course covers Romans section by section offering an outline, notes and interpretation of each.

235: Philippians

This course covers Philippians section by section offering an outline, notes and interpretation of each.

241: Christian Doctrine 1

This course is an introduction to what Christians believe about God, themselves and the world in which they live.

251: Early Church History

This course introduces you to the story of Christianity from the time of the New Testament to the year 500. It will help you to understand how the early Christians worshipped and what they believed.

253: South African Church History

This course introduces you to the story of Christianity in Southern Africa from 1652 to the present day. It covers the major missionary denominations and the African Independent Churches.

266: Christian Ethics

Ethics is the study of right and wrong and this course will help you to make moral decisions based on Christian principles and basic human justice.

272: Preaching

This course looks at the preparation, writing and delivery of sermons which are relevant to the real life situations of the congregation.

274: Introduction to Pastoral Care and Counselling

This course is an introduction to the listening skills required to help those in need. Please note that this course does not qualify you to become a professional counsellor.

276: Spirituality: Walking closer with Jesus

This course will help you to grow in your own experience of prayer by introducing you to a variety of ways of praying. You will also study the Holy Spirit, grace and the sacraments.

277: Christian Education

This course will equip you to offer Christian Education in a variety of contexts based on the needs of the audience and sound educational principles.

278: The Church's Response to AIDS

This course covers the causes and effects of AIDS and explores some of the theological questions around this issue. It is a practical course which will enable you to be involved in AIDS ministry.

281: Guide to Religions

This course begins with a discussion of what religion is and then introduces you to four Traditional Religions, five national religions and three international religions: Buddhism, Islam and Christianity.