

Adventist Learning Community (ALC) Academic Courses - 2019

1. Preparing for College and Career

www.adventistlearningcommunity.com/collegeprep

Adventure into a comprehensive faith-based journey through personal management, career exploration and college-readiness skill development in this 9-module free online course preparing teens for life after high school. By completing this self-paced, teacher-facilitated course, high school students will be equipped with the knowledge, skills and attitudes to make wiser choices about their future, as God leads. Flexibly allows for use as a full semester or summer enrichment course, or as a supplemental resource for Adventist Academy teachers. An optional 0.5 credits available with a recording fee through Griggs International Academy.

2. Teaching Online in Higher Education

<https://www.adventistlearningcommunity.com/courses/1113>

Teaching Online in Higher Education provides a short 10-hour overview to various aspects of teaching online, including interaction, quality, designing your course to be uniquely Adventist, and more. Each of the 10 modules in this self-paced course includes three short videos, short readings, and interactive assignments. Additional resources are included at the end of each module, including suggested readings and assignments that can be used to expand the course into a full academic course. This course is worth 1 CEU.

3. Technology for 21st Century Learning

<https://www.adventistlearningcommunity.com/courses/1123>

This instructor-led, online course examines changes to the learning landscape, changes to the employment scene and resulting calls for schools to respond to these changes. The course explores proposals for the development of 21st century skills and how web-based technologies can be utilized to help schools engage today's learners and prepare them for a future that is characterized by change. This ALC Community Course is offered in the style and rigor of the Adventist Virtual Learning Network (AVLN) courses, with two discussion forums weekly, one for readings and one for application projects, and a final project. This course starts June 17 and runs through August 2. 1 graduate credit is available through Andrews University for a recording fee of \$150.

3. Integrating Technology in Service Learning

<https://www.adventistlearningcommunity.com/courses/1126>

This is an advanced course in integrating technology into the curriculum specifically through service learning. Participants will assess their school's available technology, their classroom's current service learning opportunities, and their local community needs. Using available technology and appropriate content and faith integration, participants will develop a service learning project that can be implemented in their own classrooms and/or shared with other educators. Attention will be given to the North American Division's Journey to Excellence, particularly goals 1, 2, and 10. This course also addresses the International Society for Technology in Education Standards for Educators. This ALC course is offered in the style and rigor of the Adventist Virtual Learning Network (AVLN) courses, with two discussion forums weekly, one for readings and one for application projects, and a final project. This course starts June 17 and runs through August 2. 1 graduate credit is available through Andrews University for a recording fee of \$150.