

GENESIS



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CHAPTERS 1-11

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SYLLABUS

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Ten hours will be spent studying the first 11 chapters of the Book of Genesis. Topics that will be covered include creation, the fall, the worldwide flood, and the origin of nations. Particular emphasis will be placed on the many theological and historical realities that find their source in the opening pages of God's Word.

COURSE RATIONALE

This course is included in the curriculum of the Word of Life Bible Institute because Genesis 1-11 lays the foundation of a biblical worldview both historically as well as theologically and sets the stage for the founding of the nation of Israel. Of particular significance are the accounts of creation and subsequent catastrophe resulting from man's rebellion against his Creator.

COURSE OBJECTIVES

IN THE FINAL EXAM, STUDENTS WILL BE EXPECTED TO:

- « Know the outline of the first 11 chapters of Genesis.
- « Demonstrate a working knowledge of the details related to the events of creation, the fall of man into sin, the global flood, the origin of the nations of the world, and key persons in early human history.
- « Provide evidence of a "recent" supernatural creation in seven literal days.
- « Provide evidence of a worldwide flood and its critical impact in human history and experience.
- « Identify key theological and practical concepts which find their source in Genesis 1-11.
- « Confirm they have completed all reading assignments.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS & GRADING (100 POINTS TOTAL)

- « Read Genesis 1-11 twice before the first period of the final day of Genesis classes. Reading the text for the purposes of another course cannot be counted for this course. **(20 POINTS)**
- « Read "Genesis 1-11" in *Survey of the Pentateuch* (see Course Materials) before the final exam. **(30 POINTS)**
- « Take the final exam. **(50 POINTS)**

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