



GLORY CITY ACADEMY

# STUDENT PROSPECTUS

FIRST YEAR, SECOND YEAR AND ONLINE



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John 14 :12-14

“Most assuredly, I say to you, he who believes in Me, the works that I do he will do also; and greater works than these he will do, because I go to My Father. And whatever you ask in My name, that I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If you ask anything in My name, I will do it.”

What a tremendous promise we have from the Lord. It is His desire that we would know and walk in His power (Eph 1:19). It is our heart to see believers from all walks of life equipped, inspired, and provoked to live lives of abundant fruitfulness.

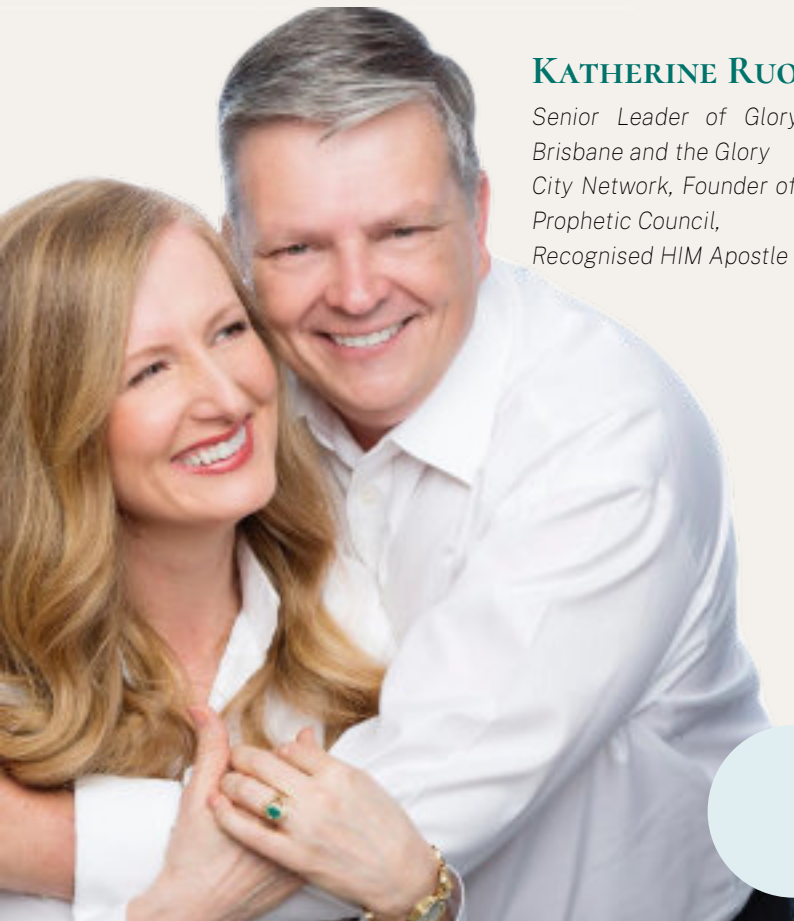
I have watched and seen student’s lives transformed as they have done a year at the Academy, and have rejoiced in seeing them find lifelong reformation in the way they think and live. We believe the Lord has called us as a church to have an Academy that gives people solid biblical training, combined with encounters and practical experience in moving in the gifts of the Spirit. In an atmosphere of

revival, a solid grasp on the truth of God’s Word is essential to ground us in the fundamentals of Christian living so that we encounter the Spirit of God as our source of strength.

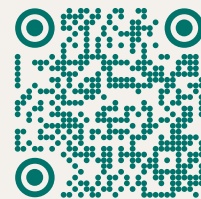
The building of a strong Academy that would equip believers to live and release the Kingdom in every sphere of society, has been a long-held desire of our hearts. The Glory City Academy has been birthed to see believers rooted and grounded in the love of God, solidly built on sound theology, and trained in practical application. It is my firm belief that the Academy will be a launch pad for explosive Kingdom growth in the days to come. We would love you to join us for this transformational journey!

**KATHERINE RUONALA**

Senior Leader of Glory City Church, Brisbane and the Glory City Network, Founder of the Australian Prophetic Council, Recognised HIM Apostle



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**OUR PRINCIPAL**  
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**OUR VISION & MISSION**

**VISION**

We are a global movement of sons and daughters of God who have discovered, and are living life in His fullness. We are committed to shaping nations and history through Christ. We are a Kingdom family who:

- Live in the love of the Father
- Walk in the ways of the Son
- Demonstrate the power and fellowship of the Holy Spirit

**MISSION**

The mission of the Glory City Academy is to equip the sons and daughters of God in a healthy, practical and experiential new covenant theology, and to build the reality of Christ into its students.

The outcome is an authentic and impacting walk with the Father, built upon the core values of identity, intimacy and the increase of the Kingdom.

Through identifying and releasing God’s 5-fold gifts to the Church, The Glory City Academy is empowering a generation in all realms of life. Our recognised leaders conduct doctrinal and practical streams, 5-fold intensives, connection groups, missions engagement and live-in retreats. As well as building a lifelong foundation for confidently interpreting the Scriptures in a relational, encounter focused context, your year at the Academy is focused on forming people who are:

- Established in their identity in Christ and driven by intimacy with God
- Saints who know the Father’s love and follow His voice
- Walking in an expression of righteousness and freedom from sin
- Agents of social and cultural change, and Kingdom increase
- Mighty in word and deed, by the power of the Holy Spirit
- Grounded in the Scriptures, and well acquainted with the truth
- Able to teach and lead
- Worshippers in spirit and truth
- Effectively and regularly sharing their faith with the world around them

The Glory City Academy is a uniquely immersive, educational experience that partners strong biblical teachings with Holy Spirit inspired encounters. Our students are activated to hear His voice, and move in His power. They are supported and equipped to walk out their salvation, to have impact in their worlds, and create deep, lifelong friendships along the way. Students leave having a deep intimacy with God, understanding their God-given identity and seeing the Kingdom increase in their worlds.

# OUR PILLARS & CORE VALUES

## INTIMACY

We intimately know God as His redeemed sons and daughters, and we are recognised in the world by our love for one another. God created humanity from the superabundance of His love for the purpose of relationship with Him and with each other. All that we do in the Christian life should be a love response to knowing the Father. God did not create humanity to fix a problem, or fill a void, but to have a family. Therefore, intimacy with Him is our highest value and calling.

## IDENTITY

Jesus is the truth about God and the truth about us.

This is our core identity statement. When we understand the nature of God through Christ and rightly define ourselves by His righteousness, we will live fruitful and healthy Christian lives, walking with the Father.

## INCREASE

Being born again is the beginning of an ever-increasing, relational opportunity to know God, and make Him known, through the Word and the Spirit. We believe that as we grow in intimacy with God and in the understanding of our identity in Christ, the Kingdom of God will increase on the earth. The increase of the Kingdom of God is our family business. When Jesus spoke of the Kingdom of God, He often described its increase on the earth from the time of His resurrection to the time of His return.

*This looks like*

Presence

The priority and pursuit of His Presence through personal and corporate worship, prayer and encounter. (John 4:24, Ephesians 5:18)

Life with Holy Spirit

Developing healthy daily habits of fellowshiping with the Holy Spirit through the Scriptures and in prayer. (2 Corinthians 13:14, John 14:26)

Connection

With God as our highest personal aim, and with each other in our church, families, children and our friendships. (John 17:3, John 13:35)

*This looks like*

Righteousness

Knowing who we are as the righteousness of God in Christ Jesus and seeing this truth impact the world around us. (2 Corinthians 5:21, 1 John 4:17)

The Goodness of God

Knowing the goodness and the love of God revealed in Christ. (Colossians 1:15, 1 John 1:5)

Signs, Wonders and Miracles

We prioritise growing in demonstrating the Kingdom and God's love through the gifts of the Spirit, divine healing and a miraculous, revival culture. (John 14:12, Mark 16:17-18)

*This looks like*

Equipping the Saints

We seek to equip the saints to impact every sphere of society with the light of Christ, by raising up and releasing the five-fold graces, to help form healthy saints, healthy marriages and healthy families. (Ephesians 4:11-16, 1 John 2:6)

Apostolic and Prophetic Culture

We seek to grow in hearing His voice, releasing His words and cultivating an apostolic culture that empowers, releases, and outworks His purposes. (1 Corinthians 14:1, 1 Corinthians 12:28-31)

Evangelism and Discipleship

Healthy families raise healthy children! We seek to reach the lost and disciple them in a healthy family culture through outreach, missions and media. (Matthew 28:18-20, Matthew 9:37-38, Acts 6:7)

**We make it all about Jesus**

**We come ready to connect**

**We respect our house**

**We are people of honour**

**We are known for our kindness**

**We are brave communicators**

**We do all things with excellence**

**We are on time because we value each other and ourselves**

**We embrace thoughtful feedback because we are here to grow**

**We are extravagant and diligent in our serving**

**We are people of faith**

**We leave no man behind**

**THE  
HEART  
OF GLORY CITY ACADEMY**



# STUDY OPTIONS

Across our multiple years we offer many different study options that cater to students with different commitment and location capabilities. Our courses include:

## 1

### FULL TIME ACCREDITED (DIPLOMA OF LEADERSHIP)

Attending in person, students commence on a full time tertiary level study commitment. After completing the year and passing all the associated assessments, students graduate with a Diploma Of Leadership. This course is available to all eligible Australian Students and qualifies for Fee Help / Study Assist. The Full time accredited course is currently not available for international students. Successful completion is

required to progress to accredited second year study and bachelor level in the third year.

This course is a great opportunity for those wishing to be equipped for revival practically as well as receive a recognised certificate of study.

*Diploma of Leadership is Accredited by PlanetShakers College Online and the Sydney College of Divinity*

## 4

### ONLINE AUDIT

Within the online audited course, students participate in all of the elements of the In person audit course (with the exception worship, connection groups and multiply) but receive the relative flexibility to self manage their schedule. Students also complete a scaled back assessment load and at the completion of the year graduate with a Certificate of Completion. Like the online audited option, Online students

are invited to join the in person students in attendance at retreats and on missions as well as at graduation at their own cost. Course costs are the total responsibility of the student.

This is a great option for students who need flexibility in their study but still wish to be equipped for revival, practically

## 2

### FULL TIME AUDITED

Within the Glory City Academy Full time Audited Course students engage in all the same classes, content, and college activities as our accredited students, however the assessment schedule is scaled back. Students graduate the course with a Certificate of Completion and become eligible to participate in our second year, audited course. The course is ineligible for Fee Help/Study Assist, and participants are required to pay for

participation in the course. We have early registration discounts and payment plans available to make this achievable. The course is available to Australian and international students.

This course is perfect for those seeking to deepen their faith, be equipped for revival but without the pressure of tertiary grade assessments.

## 5

### ONLINE SHORT COURSE

Our Online short course program is a program by which students elect single courses to engage in on an audited level. Students can elect the number of courses they wish to complete at their own pace. The short course option is ideal for those seeking to receive training in specific areas of study. The courses are affordable and

assessment is optional These course are available to Australian and International Students.

The Glory City Academy Short Courses are ideal for those who wish to enhance their knowledge and learning in specific areas while maintaining the flexibility to manage their own study load.

## 3

### ONLINE ACCREDITED (DIPLOMA OF LEADERSHIP)

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EVENT	DATES	WEEKS
Enrolments Close	28 <sup>th</sup> January	
Orientation Week	5 <sup>th</sup> - 7 <sup>th</sup> February	3 Days
Retreat 1	12 <sup>th</sup> - 16 <sup>th</sup> February	1 Week
Term 1	19 <sup>th</sup> February - 27 <sup>th</sup> March	5 Weeks
Easter Break	28 <sup>th</sup> March - 14 <sup>th</sup> April	3 Weeks
Term 2	15 <sup>th</sup> April - 12 <sup>th</sup> June	9 Weeks
Mission Trips	13 <sup>th</sup> June - 23 <sup>rd</sup> June	1 ½ Weeks
Semester Break	24 <sup>th</sup> June - 7 <sup>th</sup> July	2 Weeks
Term 3	8 <sup>th</sup> July - 11 <sup>th</sup> September	10 Weeks
School Holidays	12 <sup>th</sup> - 29 <sup>th</sup> September	2 Weeks
Term 4	30 <sup>th</sup> September - 13 <sup>th</sup> November	7 Weeks
Retreat 2	18 <sup>th</sup> - 22 <sup>th</sup> November	1 Week
Graduation	25 <sup>th</sup> November	

**BREAKDOWN**

- + 3 day orientation
- + 31 weeks of course content
- + 2 weeks of retreats
- + 1 ½ weeks of mission trips

**LOCATION**

All classes will be held at Glory City Church, Brisbane.

**TIME**

Glory City Academy will run from Monday to Wednesday each week from 9:30am - 4:15pm.

**ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2024**

**SCHOOL FEES**

**FIRST YEAR FEES**

Full Time Accredited	\$11,840	Fee Help / Study Assist Available
Full Time Audited	\$5,500*	
Full Time Accredited Online	\$11,840	Fee Help / Study Assist Available
Full Time Audited Online	\$4,000*	
Short Courses	\$250 per subject	

\* Figure does not include mission trips

**SECOND YEAR FEES**

Full Time Accredited	\$14,080	Fee Help / Study Assist Available
Full Time Audited	\$4,500*	
Full Time Accredited Online	\$14,080	Fee Help / Study Assist Available
Full Time Audited Online	\$4,000*	

\* Figure does not include mission trips

**INTERNSHIP FEES**

Full Time In Person	No Cost Associated*
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**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

- Student Fees cover:
  - Student book packs, journals, text books, curriculum material, t-shirt and orientation material.
  - A year of world class teaching, training, and growth and leadership in person and online.
  - Retreats, connection days and orientation week activities.
- Audit Couple discounted rates are available rates upon enquiry.
- Instalment and payment plans available for Audit Students.
- Mid year missions trips include a variety of local and abroad options and generally vary from \$500 - \$3500 depending on availability.

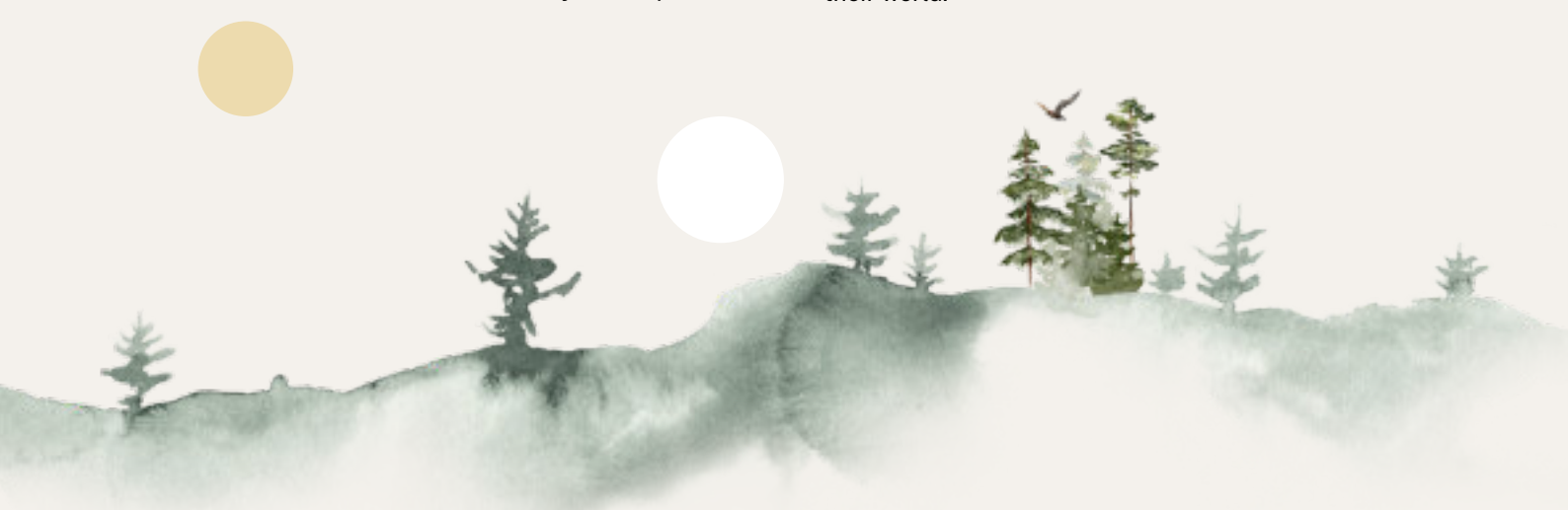


# FIRST YEAR

## OVERVIEW

The first year at the Glory City Academy focuses on establishing foundational theological truths and partnering these with the power and multiple expressions of the Holy Spirit. The Glory City Academy seeks to consistently facilitate life-changing transformation in individual students. They will learn to practically apply the truth of the Word to their lives, and walk in the freedom and maturity Christ paid for

them to lay hold of. We seek to see students who are firmly established in the Word, and empowered by the Holy Spirit to step confidently and boldly into the plans and purposes He has for their lives. Students complete the first year at the Academy having a deepened intimacy with God, a greater understanding of their God-given identity, and see the Kingdom increase in their world.



## 1<sup>ST</sup> YEAR COURSE SNAPSHOT AND OVERVIEW

	Accredited Course	Audited Course	Online Accredited	Online Audit	Online Short Course
<b>Course Duration</b>	5 <sup>th</sup> Feb-25 <sup>th</sup> Nov	5 <sup>th</sup> Feb-25 <sup>th</sup> Nov	19 <sup>th</sup> Feb-13 <sup>th</sup> Nov	19 <sup>th</sup> Feb-13 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Semester 1 & Semester 2
<b>Qualification</b>	Diploma of Leadership	Certificate of Completion	Diploma of Leadership	Certificate of Completion	Certificate of Completion
<b>Course Cost</b>	\$11,840	\$5,500	\$11,840	\$4,000	\$250 per subject
<b>Course Components</b>	Full Academy Course	Full Academy Course (Excludes Worship, Connection Groups and Evangelism)	Full Academy Course	Full Academy Course (Excludes Worship, Connection Groups and Evangelism)	All subject Available (Excludes Worship, Connection Groups and Evangelism)
<b>Fee Help / Study Assist</b>	Yes	No	Yes	No	No
<b>Australian Student Eligibility</b>	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
<b>International Student Eligibility</b>	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
<b>Assessment Level</b>	Tertiary Level	Basic Level	Tertiary Level	Basic Level	Assessments Optional
<b>Retreat &amp; Mission Attendance</b>	Yes	Yes	Optional with Additional Cost	Optional with Additional Cost	No
<b>In Person Attendance</b>	Yes	Yes	No	No	No
<b>Online Accessibility</b>	Yes via Student Portal	Yes via Student Portal	Yes via Student Portal	Yes via Student Portal	Yes via Student Portal



**FIRST YEAR WEEKLY TIMETABLE**

TIME	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
9:30-10:45	Worship	Combined Connection Group	Connection Group <i>(with First Year cohort)</i>
10:45-11:00	Morning Tea		
11:00-12:15	Intro To Christian Doctrine <i>(Semester 1)</i> Old Testament Survey <i>(Semester 2)</i>	New Testament Survey <i>(Semester 1)</i> Hebrews <i>(Semester 2)</i>	Person and Work of the Holy Spirit <i>(Semester 1)</i> Purpose of the Prophetic <i>(Semester 2)</i>
12:15-13:15	Lunch		
13:15-14:30	Transformational Leadership <i>(Semester 1)</i> Life with the Spirit <i>(Semester 2)</i>	Guest Lecturers	Multiply <i>(Semester 1)</i> Intro to Christian Leadership <i>(Semester 2)</i>
14:30-14:45	Afternoon Tea		
14:45-16:00	Foundations of Prayer and Intercession <i>(Semester 1)</i> Community Impact <i>(Semester 2)</i>	Kingdom Worldview <i>(Semester 1)</i> Supervised Ministry 1 <i>(Semester 2)</i>	Multiply Activations <i>(Semester 1)</i> Basics of Pastoral Preaching <i>(Semester 2)</i>
16:00-16:15		Announcements	

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# FIRST YEAR COMPONENTS



**WORSHIP**

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**COMBINED CONNECTION GROUPS**

Connection groups for an inclusive setting for students to develop and nurture healthy relationships with one another. These small groups establish the initial support and care structure for students as they journey through their time at the Glory City Academy. Managed and guided by students, these groups serve as a precious space for the application of relational, pastoral and leadership skills, contributing to student growth and development.

**TRANSFORMATIONAL LEADERSHIP**

Through Transformational Leadership, students are empowered with a comprehensive set of teachings aimed at fostering spiritual, personal and emotional growth positioning them for further growth in leadership and influence in their worlds. The students will develop skills that will promote health in all aspects of their lives-physically, emotionally, mentally, and spiritually contributing to their overall well being.

**GUEST LECTURERS**

A space where guests of the Academy are given the opportunity to share and minister to the student body as a whole. Through these invited guests, students receive teaching and ministry from individuals with vast experience, adding dynamically to their spiritual growth and development.

**INTRODUCTION TO CHRISTIAN DOCTRINE**

This fundamental theological unit establishes a strong foundation for the spiritual and personal growth of our students. Through the examination of scripture, students strengthen their faith through their deepened understanding of key theological concepts such as the atonement, Christ's death and resurrection, righteousness, healing, the supernatural and much more.

**FOUNDATIONS OF PRAYER AND INTERCESSION**

Foundations of Prayer and Intercession seeks to develop and deepen the intimate relationship with the Holy Spirit through the practice and discipline of prayer. It seeks to establish the practice and discipline of prayer corporately, and individually, as a basis for transformation in the lives of the students.





### SURVEY OF THE OLD AND NEW TESTAMENT

Through the examination of the Old and New Testaments, students are equipped with tools and strategies to read and interpret the scriptures in a relevant manner. Taken across the whole year, this course creates lifelong students of the word who are competent in understanding the scriptures and applying its lessons to their lives, in partnership with the Holy Spirit. Students emerge as ones who understand the integrity, authority and power of the bible, equipped with sound and repeatable strategies for scriptural interpretation.

### PERSON AND WORK OF THE HOLY SPIRIT.

In this unit students engage in the study of the person of the Holy Spirit and His multiple expressions, as well as the centrality of the work of the Spirit in the lives of contemporary charismatic believers. Students examine the diverse manifestations of the Spirit from a biblical perspective and partner these perspectives with practical applications.

### COMMUNITY IMPACT

Further to our Multiply unity, Community Impact imparts practical skills to actively influence the local community be it in a spiritually or socially responsible way. The subject imparts theoretical lessons, paired with practical activations and partnerships with various community organisations or student led initiatives. Students learn to serve the community out of love for humanity and to be a simple blessing upon the earth.

### KINGDOM WORLDVIEW

Kingdom Worldview shapes and encourages students' beliefs around the concepts of revival, and the outpouring of the Spirit of God on the earth. This subject addresses the biblical authority and how this impacts our worldview, the increasing Kingdom, the centrality of the church to God's plan for the world, as well as signs, wonders and miracles and healing.

### MULTIPLY AND MULTIPLY ACTIVATIONS.

In the "Multiply" evangelism unit, students are equipped with the knowledge and skills to collaborate with the Holy Spirit and harness their individual spiritual gifts, enabling them to proficiently convey the Gospel of Jesus to diverse audiences, be it family, friends, or strangers. These skills are refined and put into practice through weekly outreach into the local community through our multiply activations unit.

### LIFE WITH THE SPIRIT

Life with the Spirit establishes a value for the Spirit and the Presence of God in the lives of the students. Life with the Spirit is a practical unit where students learn to navigate the Anointing, and differentiate the voice of the Father from with their internal voice. This produces students who value the Presence of the Lord and develop a deep life with the Spirit.



### HEBREWS

This unit is an insightful and practical look in to the writings contained within the book of Hebrews. Through their recent learnings students put into practice the biblical studies principals they have been equipped with in the intention of strengthening their interpretations skills through practical application and at the same time reinforcing the foundations of their theology. Hebrews is a hugely beneficial subject that equips students with the tool and passion for a lifetime of fruitful scriptural interpretation.

### THE PURPOSE OF THE PROPHETIC

Building on Semester 1, students will study the work and movement of the Holy Spirit expressed through the gift of prophecy. They will learn how the prophetic operates and its roll in the earth today. Students will participate in activations that will increase their confidence and ability in hearing the voice of God as they grow as a prophetic community.

### BASICS OF PASTORAL PREACHING AND COMMUNICATIONS

This unit up skills the Student in all aspects of communications, particularly those needed for work within the ministry and pastoral environments. Students are taught to become more aware of how they present themselves and, most importantly, how to interact with the people around them. Students will learn that the mechanics of fruitful communication greatly changes how they view the world and relationships. They also will gain a well-rounded knowledge of communication skills to effectively steer the Church and others toward God's purpose, design, and mission both personally and publically.

### SUPERVISED MINISTRY

Practical Ministry Training is a subject that equips students with the basic skills and knowledge needed to function in ministry. This includes training in skills such as, praying for the sick, ministering deliverance, having healthy pastoral conversations, baptisms, responding to altar calls and new salvations. This subject also covers practical skills such as leading and guiding a home group, using a microphone and basic use of a sound system. Furthermore students participate in the work of the ministry in an area of their choosing, resulting in hands-on, practical experience.

### INTRODUCTION TO CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP

Developing on the skills and knowledge learnt in Transformational Leadership students now pursue knowledge in developing good leadership that will serve them in their life in ministry, as well as in their place of influence. Students explore the foundations of leadership building practical skills that will serve them well in the modern day context.





# APPLICATION & INTERVIEW PROCESS

**The Academy has a detailed application process to ensure students make a well informed decision regarding their enrollment and subsequent attendance at the Academy.**

Application forms are to be completed online and can be found at [glorycityacademy.com](http://glorycityacademy.com)

Applications will officially close at **12pm(AEST) on Sunday the 28<sup>th</sup> of January**

Intake numbers are limited so students are encouraged to apply as soon as possible to secure a space. International students should submit their applications allowing enough time for visa processing and wait times.

## APPLICATION FEE

The Academy has a non-refundable \$20 application fee, payable on submission, to assist with our intake administration overheads, as well as to help avoid indecisive applications.

## IF APPLYING, PLEASE:

- Download the Zoom application onto your phone or computer in preparation for the interview.
- Do a test Zoom call with a friend to troubleshoot any audio or visual settings issues.
- Ensure you are available for this requested interview time by negotiating your current commitments.

**Please apply prayerfully and thoughtfully. We desire that each student is following the Lord's leading when they join our Academy. If you require further information about applying for the Academy please email: [info@glorycityacademy.com](mailto:info@glorycityacademy.com)**

## APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

Prospective students will be required to submit the following:

- 1 Application Form and the application fee.
- 1 pastoral reference from their current church.

## INTERVIEWS

- Prospective students will be interviewed by a leader or representative of the Academy.
- This interview will take place using Zoom, an online video conferencing platform.
- Students will receive an email with an invitation with the details of the Zoom interview link, time, date and the name of the person interviewing them.

## CONFIRMATION

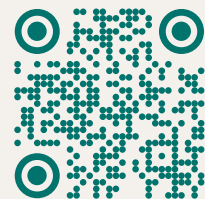
- Applicants will be sent a formal letter confirming their outcome within two weeks of their interview or no later than **Friday 12th January, in their year of intended study.**

## ACCEPTANCE

Upon acceptance, students will receive the following to help prepare for the year ahead:

- Student Handbook, outlining the entire year ahead
- Book packs
- Student requirements
- Academy Policies & Procedures
- O-Week and Retreat details
- Accommodation advice

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Additional application steps are required for Accredited Courses.

# SECOND YEAR

## OVERVIEW

The second year at the Glory City Academy is designed to guide students on a journey of discovering who they were made to be while simultaneously providing

opportunities for them to grow and develop ministry and leadership skills.

The Academy's second year seeks to build on the learnings of the first year and is focused on forming people who are:

- Confident in the giftings God has given them
- Positioned to grow in knowledge and practical skills in the area of their giftings
- Servant-hearted whilst growing in leadership
- Understand and effectively engage in church ministry, societal influence and missions
- Burdened with a desire to see the Kingdom of God increase
- Able to confidently teach and lead others
- Humble to receive instruction and direction



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9:30-10:45	Worship	Combined Connection Groups	Connection Groups <i>(with Second Year cohort)</i>
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12:15-13:15		Lunch	
13:15-14:30	Applied Prayer and Intercession <i>(Semester 1)</i> Revival History <i>(Semester 2)</i>	Guest Lecturers	Prophetic Practice <i>(Semester 1)</i> Prophetic Equipping <i>(Semester 2)</i>
14:30-14:45		Afternoon Tea	
14:45-16:00	Nehemiah - Leadership Development <i>(Semester 1)</i> Community Impact <i>(Semester 2)</i>	Preaching and Communications Techniques and Application <i>(Semester 1)</i> Ministry Establishment and Governance / Ministry Project <i>(Semester 2)</i>	Multiply Activations <i>(Semester 1)</i> Societal Influence <i>(Semester 2)</i>
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## REVIVAL HISTORY

Revival History is an inspiring look into the history of the Church with the goal of providing students with perspective and practical lessons that will encourage them in their personal walks with the Lord.

## GUEST LECTURERS

A space where guests of the Academy are given the opportunity to share and minister to the student body as a whole. Through these invited guests, students receive teaching and ministry from individuals with vast experience, adding dynamically to their spiritual growth and development.

## MINISTRY ESTABLISHMENT AND GOVERNANCE

Ministry Establishment and Governance covers the practical aspects of ministry and business establishment. This course provides an introduction to the complexities of starting a ministry or business, and positioning it well for success. This course runs parallel with the Ministry Project subject where students identify an area of interest and begin to practically see this dream or vision come to life.

## APPLIED PRAYER AND INTERCESSION

Building on the concepts and practice learnt in the first year, Applied Prayer and Intercession seeks to further cultivate and enhance a profound connection with the Holy Spirit by immersing students in the practice and discipline of prayer. Students are equipped further with tools and strategies that will enhance their prayer lives while putting these tools into practice on a regular basis. Prayer and Intercession are further solidified as a foundation in the lives of our students.





### NEHEMIAH - LEADERSHIP PRINCIPALS

This subject is an insightful look into the Old Testament book of Nehemiah from a leadership perspective. Using biblical principles and scriptural interpretation techniques, the students learn to

### PASTORAL CARE - PRACTICE AND APPLICATION

This course provides an overview of the various care ministries for the local church and the procedures for implementing and growing these ministries. Emphasis will be on collaborative learning experiences so that students can learn ways to care effectively for church members and the community.

### MULTIPLY ACTIVATIONS

Multiply Activations is the practical application of the theoretical concepts learned in Multiply. This is a practical space where people actively practice evangelism, praying for the sick, and the prophetic. Multiply Activations are facilitated by the 2nd year students and provide a valuable space to implement pastoral and leadership skills. Students will learn how to move with the Holy Spirit and flow in their gifting while effectively sharing the Gospel of Jesus with strangers.

### GLOBAL MISSIONS

Global Missions provides insight into the importance of missions, and more importantly having a missional outlook. Students will be educated on the concepts and techniques needed to successfully impact society and communities both locally and globally. Students will understand the Father's heart for global missions, thus developing a missional outlook for life.

### PREACHING AND COMMUNICATION TECHNIQUES AND APPLICATION

Developing on the tools and techniques learnt in First Year at the Academy, this subject seeks to develop the public speaking skills of the students. Learning the intricacies of sermon preparation and development,

### PROPHETIC PRACTICE

Prophetic Practice focuses on the maturation of the prophetic gift within each student. Building on the basics of the gift of prophecy, students will outwork what they have learned in the first year stream and learn how to grow in spiritual authority as a prophetic community. Students will also dive deeper into the mysteries of the Spirit and further discover how the Spirit realm operates.

### LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT AND STRATEGY

Leadership Development and Strategy is a course that crystallises key leadership skills and knowledge in the minds of students. The leadership techniques and skills taught in this subject build upon all the leadership principals taught thus far at the Academy.



### HEBREWS

This unit is an insightful and practical look in to the writings contained within the book of Hebrews. Through their recent learnings students put into practice the biblical studies principals they have been equipped with in the intention of strengthening their interpretations skills through practical application and at the same time reinforcing the foundations of their theology. Hebrews is a hugely beneficial subject that

### PRISON EPISTLES

The Prison Epistles (Ephesians, Philipians, Colossians and Philemon) are rich New Testament books that are dense with revelation that impact the believers walk of faith. Students receive an impartation through teaching these revelations and are invited into a deeper understanding of these portions of the biblical text. Students are encouraged to take what is taught and apply it to their daily lives.

### SOCIETAL INFLUENCE

How can we defend our faith in a post-modern, post-Christian world? This is what Societal Influence exists to discuss and answer. This stream engages the heart of the Gospel for answers to the criticisms and challenges that Christianity faces today.

### MINISTRY PROJECT

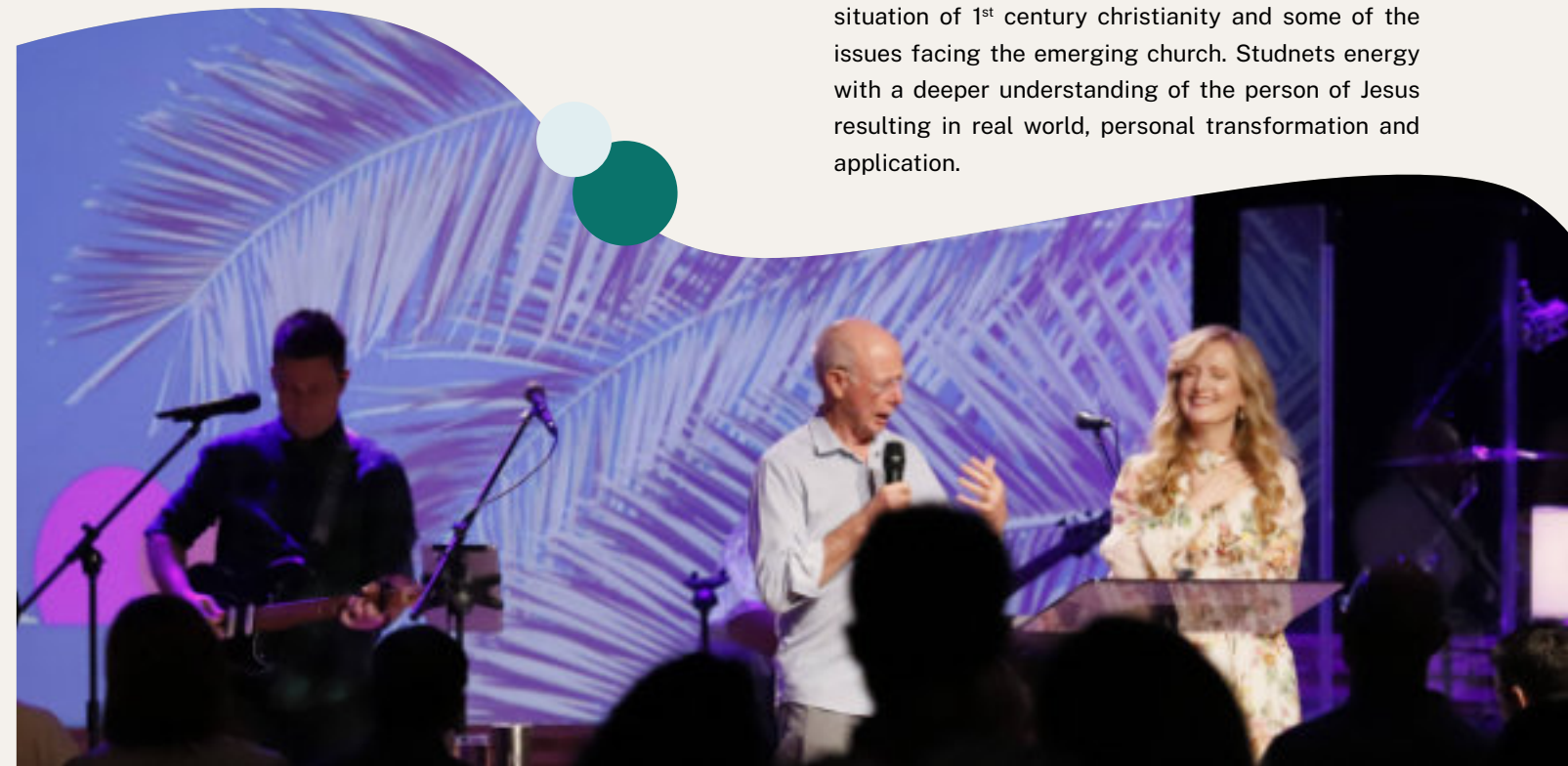
The Ministry Project stream is the practical application of lessons learned in Ministry Establishment and Governance and other leadership-based subjects. Working together, students will dream, conceptualise and begin working on the development of a ministry project. This subject will see the creation of concepts and ideas, ministries and businesses that will continue beyond life at the Academy.

### PROPHETIC EQUIPPING

In the pursuit of love, students will participate in the practice of prophecy to see the Body of Christ built up. They will learn and actively engage in the role of prophecy in the area of leadership development, ministry implementation and the equipping of the saints. They will also continue to build and function as a prophetic community growing in authority, love and powers.

### ROMANS

Using techniques learned in the First Year, students engage in an experiential study of Romans Undergirded with scriptural exposition giving students a deeper understanding into the historical situation of 1<sup>st</sup> century christianity and some of the issues facing the emerging church. Students energy with a deeper understanding of the person of Jesus resulting in real world, personal transformation and application.





# INTERNSHIP

## INTERNSHIP VISION

The internship seeks to provide meaningful and developmental ministry experiences, designed to build self-directed, Spirit-led, and highly capable leaders who embrace God’s call to advance His Kingdom.

## ANTICIPATED OUTCOMES

The following two anticipated outcomes reflect the desire for the Internship program to provide a mutually beneficial experience for the Intern and the Intern Leader.

### Outcome One: Intern Growth and Development

Internships allow interns to further their growth through serving both in areas of personal interest and areas of identified need. Interns will gain exposure to a number of leadership opportunities as well as gaining invaluable interpersonal and self-management skills.

At the conclusion of the internship, it is anticipated that interns will be prepared spiritually, emotionally, and skillfully, to lead in a variety of contexts. They will be humble, teachable, and have an exceptional work ethic. Their vision and goals will be set on Kingdom advancement over personal ministry milestones.

Whilst knowing who they are and what they are called to, interns will be willing to start low and serve hard. They will be self motivated and demonstrate the ability to overcome setbacks and hurdles through personal time in prayer and an unshakable grounding of faith in God.

### Outcome Two: Leadership Development Pathway

Internships provide a unique opportunity for Intern Leaders to develop skills in training, equipping and releasing. Leading interns also promotes a growth mindset where leaders are seeking to multiply their skills and knowledge.

Core values and culture are firmly established through the completion of the Academy's first and second years before being refined through real life scenarios and environments. This provides a three-year process for identifying and empowering emerging leaders. Over this test of time, their consistency of character and integrity should be made clearly evident, thus allowing for informed decisions to be made about identifying potential leaders.

## INTERNSHIP WEEKLY TIMETABLE

TIME	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
9:30-10:45	Worship	Combine Connection Groups	Connection Groups <i>(with Intern cohort)</i>
10:45-11:00		Morning Tea	
11:00-12:15	Academy Shared Tasks	Supervisor Tasks	Supervisor Tasks
12:15-13:15		Lunch	
13:15-14:30	Academy Shared Tasks	Guest Lecturers	Intern Leadership Stream
14:30-14:45		Afternoon Tea	
14:45-16:00	Academy Shared Tasks	Supervisor Tasks	Supervisor Tasks
16:00-16:15		Announcements	

*\* Weekly Timetable is subject to change*

**NB: An additional requirement for all students is attendance at a weekly church service.**

**Students whose home church is Glory City Church will be required to serve in various areas.**

# ONLINE

## WHY ONLINE?

As a way of impacting as many lives as possible, we will be offering a number of 6 and 12 month courses available online. These courses are a great way of gleaning from the teaching at the Academy if you are not able to join us in person.

## MORE INFO

If you would like to find out more information, please visit our website [glorycityacademy.com/](http://glorycityacademy.com/) online or scan the QR code below.



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## IN-PERSON VS ONLINE

Whilst we highly recommend the in-person experience, our online courses are also an opportunity to get equipped and grow in your relationship with God. We will be covering the subjects from First Year and you will be able to do as many or as few as you like. These self-paced courses will be livestreamed and will be available on demand after the livestream has finished for each session.



## ADDITIONAL FIRST AND SECOND YEAR

# COMPONENTS

### ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS

#### Accredited Course Academic Requirements

The accredited course assessment requirements are similar to the requirements of tertiary education. Students will be required to demonstrate competence and understanding surrounding the subject topics through the submission of assessments for each subject. Examples of these assessments include essay writing, book reviews and reflections, presentations etc.

There are four accredited units that contribute to the qualification per semester. These accredited units have between 3-4 pieces of assessment that students are required to complete. Students should be expecting to write the equivalent of 4000 words in assessment per accredited unit. Accredited course students should be prepared to schedule time outside of class to prepare and complete these required assessment pieces.

#### Audit Course Academic Requirements

Preparation and completion of assessments is not a

### SERVICE IN A LOCAL CHURCH

Serving in church is important to us. It is an expectation and for some units a requirement that Academy Students are serving weekly in their local church and community. We encourage you to serve in

### ACADEMY RETREATS

#### Retreat One

We begin our year with a one week camp. This intensive will provide opportunities to develop connection between students and lecturers, as well as incorporating times of teaching, encounter and worship. Its purpose is also to build a shared theological foundation and begin to develop the culture and heart posture for the year ahead.

significant part of the Audit Course. Students complete some basic assessment including book reviews, weekly reflection homework as well as a reflection essay. These assessments are for the purpose of reinforcing learning and growth in the lives of the students and not to measure competence or depth of knowledge.

#### Short Course Academic Requirements

Short course academic requirements are similar to those outlined in the audit course requirements. Assessments for short courses are optional but highly recommended

#### Additional Academic Requirement Information

Upon acceptance into the Academy, students will receive a copy of the Academy Academic Guidelines which outline and give guidance on how to approach the assessment pieces. Our lectures and interns are also always available to assist students with their relevant assessment ensuring that these activities add value to the student experience!

your local church. If you are relocating to Brisbane and making Glory City Church your home church during your time at the Academy, there will be many opportunities to connect and serve in our community.

#### Retreat Two

This retreat is held at the end of the year for one week. This is a time of celebration and sharing what God has done, and it's also a chance to commission the students for the next season they will move into. Our end of year retreat is always a highlight for students and leaders alike as we reflect and share testimonies of everything God has done throughout the year.

### MISSION TRIPS

Building upon the foundational pillar of Increase, Academy mission trips are one valuable expression of active evangelism and community impact. During these trips, students form amazing bonds, spread the Gospel, actively love, and get to put into practice the amazing growth and equipping they are receiving throughout the Academy year.

Each year, several options are usually available for students to choose from and most trips are held

### PASTORAL CULTURE AND SUPPORT

We place a high value on supporting students pastorally throughout their time at the Academy.

*We passionately believe in developing a pastoral culture where our students are equipped to support and encourage one another.*

With an incredible pastoral team, students will have access to various levels of support. From time to time, some students may require some pastoral support to help them process circumstances in their personal lives or things that come up at the Academy. As an initial point of contact, students will have their Connection Group Facilitators who are mentored

### INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS AND VISAS

International students are welcome to apply for the Academy. Students coming from overseas will need to apply and qualify for an appropriate visa to enter and remain in Australia. Visa information can be found on The Australian Government website at:

during the June/July mid-year break. They are generally 1-2 weeks long, range from \$500-\$3500, and are either local, national, or international.

Students are responsible for all costs of the mission trips and are encouraged to save prior to commencement, as we have very specific fundraising policies (discussed during orientation week) in order to respect our community. Payments are due late April to early May depending on the nature of the trip.

directly by our Pastoral Team to assist students with areas of concern.

If the pastoral concern requires a higher level of support, our Academy Pastoral Team is available to provide one-on-one sessions with students.

These sessions are offered to all students, however, the number of sessions a student has is determined by the level of time the Pastoral Team assesses is necessary on a case by case basis. If the student requires ongoing counselling beyond what the Academy has included as part of its pastoral support, this can be organised for the student in their own time and at their expense.

<https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/visas/getting-a-visa/visa-listing>

*Please note that the Academy is not currently an accredited course and therefore Student Visas are not an option.*

# REGISTRATION PROCESS



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## REGISTRATIONS OPEN NOW

**To register visit [www.glorycityacademy.com](http://www.glorycityacademy.com), select the registration type, and fill out the online registration and application payment form.**

*NOTE: If you are applying as a ministry school wishing to adopt the Academy part time curriculum, please email us directly at [info@glorycityacademy.com](mailto:info@glorycityacademy.com) and our team will make contact and discuss options with you.*

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