

Vanguard College Winter 2024 Textbook List

Students are required to have the correct edition of the textbook as listed to be adequately prepared for class. See your course page on Populi and the syllabi for any other requirements.
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Alphabetical by Course Name

Course Name	Required Textbook Title	Author	Year	ISBN	Publisher; Purchase Recommendation
Advanced Counselling	Strategic pastoral counselling	Benner, D.	2003	9780801026317	Baker Academic; Logos Bible Software or any major retailer
	Solving School Problems: Solution focused strategies for principals, teachers, and counsellors.	McConkey N.	2002	9780968947203	Kindle (2016)
Child and Adolescent Development	no textbooks required				
Church History	Turning Points: Decisive Moments in the History of Christianity (4th Ed.)	Mark Noll, David Komline, and Han-Luen Kantzer Komline.	2022	9781540964885	Baker Academic; Logos Bible Software or any major retailer
	Christian History: An Introduction	Alister McGrath	2015	9781118337806	Wiley-Blackwell; Kindle or any major retailer
Enculturation and Language Learning	no textbooks required				
Expository Presentation	NIV Bible Speaks Today Study Bible (NIV)	Martin Manser	2020	9781783596133	IVP; Logos Bible Software
	Preaching God's word: A hands-on approach to preparing, developing, and delivering the sermon (2nd Edition).	Carter, T. G., Duvall, J. S., & Hays, J. D.	2018	9780310536246	Zondervan; Logos Bible Software or Vanguard Bookstore
Faith, Worship, and Pop Culture	Culture making: Recovering our creative calling.	Crouch, A.	2008	9780830837557	InterVarsity Press; Logos Bible Software or Vanguard Bookstore
	You are what you love: The spiritual power of habit.	Smith, J. K. A.	2016	9781587433801	Brazos Press; Logos Bible Software or any major retailer
Finance Governance and Administration	Church administration: Creating efficiency for effective ministry.	Welch, R. H.	2011	9781433673771	B&H Publishing Group; Logos Bible Software or Kindle
Foundations of Family Ministry	Families at the center of faith formation	Kehrwald, L. Roberto, J., Roehikepartain, & G. Roehikepartain, J.	2016	9780982303184	Lifelong Faith Associates. (FREE PDF: lifelongfaith.com)
	Plan to Protect (Church Edition)	Melody Bissell	2022	9781486622771	Word Alive Press; purchase direct from plantoprotect.com
Gospels	Four portraits, one Jesus: A survey of Jesus and the Gospels (2nd ed.).	Strauss, M.	2020	9780310528678	Zondervan; Logos Bible Software
	Four gospels, one Jesus? A symbolic reading (3rd ed.).	Burridge, R.	2016	9780281070305	William B. Eerdmans; Vanguard Bookstore
Human Development	Human Development	The Human Development Teaching & Learning Group	2020		OA; free online: pdx.pressbooks.pub/humandevlopment/
Introduction to Youth Ministry	Purpose Driven Youth Ministry: 9 Essential Foundations for Healthy Growth	Doug Fields	2013	9780310694854	Zondervan; Logos Bible Software or any major retailer
Introductory Music Theory	Elementary rudiments of music, 2nd edition.	Wharram, B.	2010	9781554402830	The Frederick Harris Music Co.; any major music retailer
Isaiah	Christ-centered exposition: Exalting Jesus in Isaiah	Davis, Andrew M.	2017	9780805497380	Holman; Logos Bible Software or Vanguard Bookstore
Johannine Literature	NIV Bible Speaks Today Study Bible (NIV)	Martin Manser	2020	9781783596133	IVP; Logos Bible Software
	John and 1, 2, and 3 John. Cornerstone Biblical Commentary	Osborne, Grant R., and Philip Wesley Comfort.	2017	9780842383417	Tyndale; Logos Bible Software
	James, 1-2 Peter, Jude, Revelation. Cornerstone Biblical Commentary	Osborne, Grant R., and M. Robert Mulholland Jr.	2011	9780842383462	Tyndale; Logos Bible Software
Luke/Acts	NIV Bible Speaks Today Study Bible (NIV)	Martin Manser	2020	9781783596133	IVP; Logos Bible Software
	Fiery Holy Spirit: The Spirit's Relationship with Judgment in Luke-Acts. Journal of Pentecostal Theology Supplement Series.	Kienzler, Jonathan.	2015	9781905679256	Brill; Vanguard College Bookstore
Ministry Foundations for Care & Counselling	Emotionally healthy spirituality.	Scazzero, P.	2006	9780310348498	Zondervan; Kindle (2017) or any major retailer
Old Testament Historical Literature	Interpreting the Historical Books: An Exegetical Handbook	Robert B. Chisholm, Jr.	2006	9780825427640	Kregel Academic; Logos Bible Software or any major retailer
Pastoral Life	Building Below The Waterline: Shoring Up the Foundations of Leadership	Gordon Macdonald	2011	9781619700598	Hendrickson; Logos Bible Software or any major retailer
Pastoral Worship Leadership	The special service worship architect: Blueprints for weddings, funerals, baptism, Holy Communion, and other Occasions.	Cherry, C. M.	2013	97808010408951	Baker Academic; Logos Bible Software or any major retailer
	The dangerous act of: Loving your neighbour.	Labberton, M.	2010	9780830838400	IVP Books; Logos Bible Software or any major retailer
	Music for others: Care, justice and relational ethics in Christian music.	Myrick, N.	2021	9780197550632	Oxford University Press; Kindle or any major retailer
Pentateuch	From Paradise to the Promised Land: An Introduction to the Pentateuch, Fourth Edition	T. Desmond Alexander	2022	9780801039980	Baker Academic; Logos Bible Software or any major retailer
Practicum: Intercultural Ministry - Year 3 Winter	no textbooks required				
Practicum: Pastoral Care and Counselling Ministry - Year 3	no textbooks required				
Practicum: Pastoral Ministry - Year 3 Winter	Hero Maker: Five Essential Practices for Leaders to Multiply Leaders	Dave Ferguson & Warren Bird	2018	9780310588931	Zondervan; Logos Bible Software; any major retailer
Practicum: Relationships (Year 1) Winter	Life together	Bonhoeffer, D.	2009	9780060608521	HarperOne; Kindle or any major retailer
Practicum: Volunteers (Year 2) Winter	no textbooks required				
Practicum: Worship Arts Ministry - Year 3 Winter	no textbooks required				
Practicum: Youth Ministry - Year 3 Winter	Youth ministry management tools 2.0: Everything you need to know to successfully manage your ministry	Mike Work & Ginny Olson	2014	9780310516859	Zondervan; Logos Bible Software
Psalms	The message of the Psalms: A theological commentary.	Brueggemann, W.	1984	9780806621203	Ausborg; Logos Bible Software or any major retailer
	Open and unafraid: The Psalms as a guide to life.	Taylor, W. D. O.	2020	9781400210510	Nelson Books; Logos Bible Software or any major retailer
Romans	Romans: The NIV Application Commentary.	Moo, D.J.	2000	9780310494003	Zondervan Publishing House; Logos Bible Software
Senior Theology: Mission of God	The mission of God's people: A biblical theology of the church's mission.	Wright, C. J. H.	2010	9780310291121	Zondervan; Logos Bible Software or Vanguard Bookstore
	Four Views on the Church's Mission.	Frankle, J. R., Leeman, J., Leithart, P. J., Wright, C. J. H.	2017	9780310522737	Zondervan Academic; Vanguard Bookstore
SIS: Children's & Family Ministries	Bridging theory and practice in children's spirituality.	Larson, M., & Keeley, R. (Eds.).	2020	9780310104919	Zondervan; Kindle or any major retailer
	Will our children have faith? (3rd Revised Ed.)	Westerhoff, J.	2012	9780819228000	Morehouse Publishing; Kindle or any major retailer
	Faith Formation with a New Generation (with Lisa Brown, Tanya Eustace Campen, Lynn Barger Elliott, and Lee Yates).	Roberto, J.	2018	9780982303191	Lifelong Faith Associates. (FREE PDF: lifelongfaith.com)
SIS: Pastoral Ministry	The resilient pastor: Leading your church in a rapidly changing world.	Packiam, G.	2022	9781540903105	Baker Books; Logos Bible Software or any major retailer
Songwriting Theory & Application	Song writing without boundaries: Lyric writing exercises for finding your voice.	Pattison, P.	2012	9781599632971	Writer's Digest Books; any major retailer
	Writing worship: How to craft heartfelt songs for the Church.	Nordhoff, K.	2020	9780830780792	David C. Cook; any major retailer
Teaching Methods & Theories of Learning	Teaching the Next Generations	Terry Linhart (Editor)	2016	9781493405817	Baker Academic; Logos Bible Software or any major retailer
	Every Child Welcome	Katie Wetherbee and Jolene Philo.	2015	9780825443503	Kregel Publications; Logos Bible Software or any major retailer
Theology 1: God and the Human Condition	Evangelical Theology: A Biblical and Systematic Introduction, 2nd ed.	Bird, Michael F.	2020	9780310093978	Zondervan Academic; Logos Bible Software
Theology 2: Soteriology/Christology	Systematic theology: An introduction to Biblical doctrine.	Gudem, W. A.	2020	9780310517979	InterVarsity Press; Logos Bible Software
	Knowing Jesus through the Old Testament.	Wright, C. J. H.	1995	9780830816934	InterVarsity Press; Logos Bible Software
Theology of Worship	Ancient Future Worship: Proclaiming and Enacting God's Narrative.	Webber, Robert E.	2008	9780801066245	Baker Books; Logos Bible Software or any major retailer
	Theological foundations of worship: Biblical, systematic, and practical perspectives.	Williams, K. J. and Lamport, Mark. A.	2021	9781540962515	Baker Academic; Logos Bible Software or any major retailer
Worldviews and Contemporary Culture	An introduction to Christian worldview: Pursuing God's perspective in a pluralistic world.	Anderson, T. J., Clark, W. M., & Naugle, D. K.	2017	9780830851232	InterVarsity Press; Logos Bible Software or any major retailer
	Hidden worldviews: Eight cultural stories that shape our lives.	Wilkins, S. & Sanford, M. L.	2009	9780830838547	IVP Academic; any major retailer
Youth Ministry and Culture	Youth Ministry 2027: A new vision for Youth Ministry in this present future	Brock Morgan	2017	9781942145356	Youth Cartel; Kindle (free on unlimited)
	The End of Youth Ministry?: Why parents don't really care about youth groups and what youth workers should do about it	Andrew Root	2020	9781540961396	Baker Academic; Logos Bible Software or any major retailer

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