

The Orlando Institute

Equipping Leaders to Disciple the Nations

DS 120

Discipleship

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SYLLABUS

I. Objectives: by the end of this class you will be able to

1. Describe in detail the process of follow-up and beginning a small group.
2. Discuss the biblical passages, concepts and doctrines related to discipleship
3. Deepen your love for people and readiness to become involved in the lives of others
4. Have a deeper appreciation for God's desire for reaching people

II. Class sessions: <http://www.toi.edu/Training%20Materials/discipleship/Student%20Notes/index.htm>

Small Group Follow-up
Communicating the Gospel Clearly
Teaching Effectively
Managing Yourself
Targeting Evangelism
Evangelistic Meetings
Building Good Relationships
Environment of a Team
Relationships: The Glue of a Team
Why Lead Small Groups?
Beginning a Ministry of Discipleship
Leading a Discipleship Group
Characteristics of Discipleship
Developing a Personal Ministry Strategy
The Biblical Call to Make Disciples

III. Textbooks

1. Steve Clinton, *How to Become a Discipeler*. 1998. <http://www.toi.edu/Resources/HOWBEDIS.htm>
2. Patrick Morley, *Ten Secrets for the Man in the Mirror*. 2010.

IV. Assignments

1. Read the textbooks as assigned. Each week's reading will be discussed in class.
2. Write your training testimony and memorize it. Due week four.
3. Memorize the verses assigned in class.
4. Complete the Discipleship check-out form with your mentor. Due week 14.
5. Write a paper analyzing the process of challenging someone to be in a discipleship group. Due week ten.
6. Read one of the books below and discuss with mentor.

Aldrich, Joseph. Life-Style Evangelism. Multanomah.
Coleman, Robert. The Master Plan of Evangelism. Revell.
Downs, Tim. Finding Common Ground. Moody.
McCloskey, Mark. Tell It Often – Tell It Well. Here’s Life Publishers.

V. Grades

<u>Item</u>	
Textbooks	15
Testimony	10
Memorization	15
Check-out	40
Analysis paper	10
Extra book	<u>10</u>
Total	100%