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Your Life His Purpose



2024
College Handbook

2 Timothy 1:9

He has saved us and called us to a holy life.

Not because of anything we have done, but because of His own purpose and grace.

Hello!

Welcome to the exciting journey of growing in your destiny with God.

At Nations College, we are passionate about seeing you develop your spiritual gifts, grow in your character, and mature in your walk with Jesus so that you can live your best life in Him.

When you put yourself under an intentional and intensive year of discipleship, there is no end to the possibilities of what God can do through you. With an intentional focus on purpose-driven learning, presence-filled encounters and practical ministry experience, Nations College will challenge, encourage, and equip you to live your life for His purpose.

We are excited to have you join us on the journey!

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Lost Found. Disciples Made. Nations Reached.

Nations College exists to empower you through bible based training in an environment of encounter and discipleship. Nations College offers a unique training experience, based out of the Myaree campus of Nations Church. No matter what background you come from, or stage of life you are currently at, setting aside a year to study at Nations College will help grow you into the person of influence God has called you to be, to see the Lost Found, Disciples Made and Nations Reached.

There are three core elements to the Nations College experience:

Purpose Driven Learning

Diploma of Leadership

The Diploma of Leadership includes four units per semester over two semesters. This Diploma will equip you with both a strong theological understanding of the bible and a practical emphasis on how to apply it in your life. At the end of the course you will have the confidence to read and apply scriptures and will have grown in your spiritual and leadership gifts. Personal wholeness, prayer and learning to hear God's voice are key elements of the program.

Delivered by Planetshakers College, in partnership with Sydney College of Divinity.

Subjects

Old and New Testament Survey
Introduction to Christian Doctrines
Person and Work of the Holy Spirit
Introduction to Christian Leadership
Transformational Leadership
Supervised Ministry 1
Basics of Pastoral Preaching

Presence Filled Encounters

'We are about encountering Jesus' is a culture of Nations Church. At Nations College we intentionally facilitate moments for you to be able to encounter God. It is important that as you pursue His purposes you are partnering with the Holy Spirit to hear from Him and become more like Jesus.

Practical Ministry Experience

Nations College offers an incredible internship opportunity across a wide range of areas. You will be equipped to outwork the planning and execution of church services, community outreaches and other ministry expressions. You will receive one-on-one mentoring and learn to grow in life and leadership.

We also offer midweek placements across various ministries which will provide you with an opportunity to learn, invest and make an impact on a greater level.

Lastly, you will get to apply all you have learnt by partaking in a missions trip to Cambodia, ministering through the Nations Church Phnom Penh campus and blessing the local community and NGO's that Nations Church partner with.

Full Time

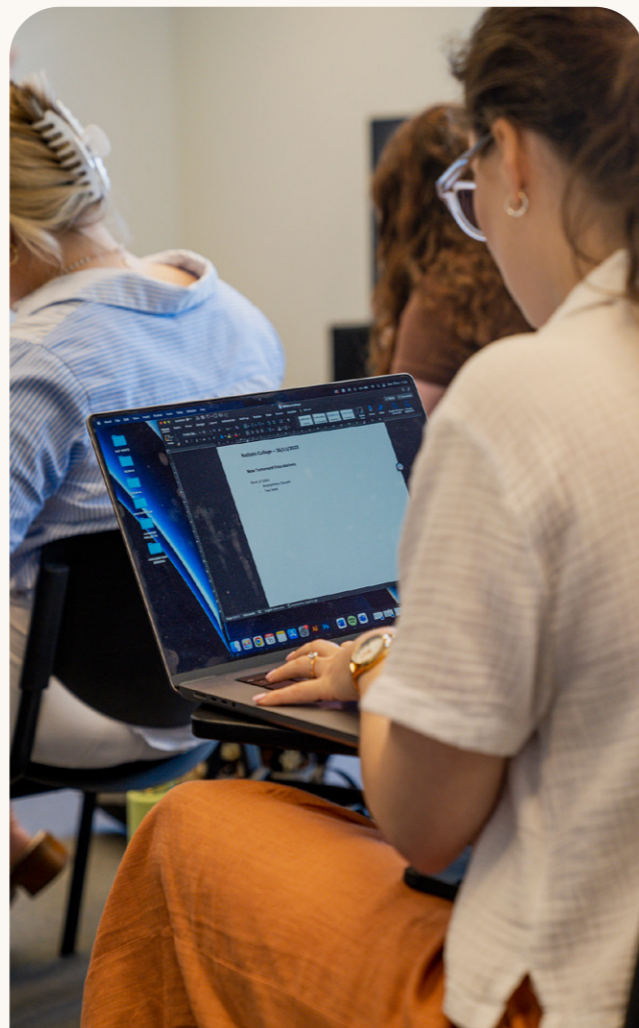
At Nations College, we believe our unique take on ‘theory meets practice’ is best experienced through our Full Time program. Our Full Time program includes four units of study per calendar semester. Interning takes place on Sundays and at various events and programs where you can practically apply what you are learning.

Part Time

As a Part Time student, you can study at your own pace by completing anywhere between one to four subject units, per semester. Students will also intern at least once a week at their local campus.

Audit Stream

The Audit Stream is for those who prefer to experience Nations College without the requirements of the accredited stream. The Audit students will have the same classes, placement, graduation and College experience as Diploma students, however will not need to complete any assessments or exams.



Accredited Stream

Mode of Study	Courses are run in partnership with Sydney College of Divinity. FEE-Help (government assisted student loans with no upfront payment) is available. At the end of this course, you will graduate with a nationally recognised Diploma of Leadership.
Cost	Full Time: \$11,840 full year; \$5920 per semester
Time Requirements	2 days per week for classes Ministry Placement Sunday Serving 13 weeks per semester
Units of Study	8 units of study
Ministry Intensive Placement	The Ministry Intensive Placement provides the opportunity to invest an additional interning day in your chosen ministry area.
Prerequisites	A High School Certificate (Yr 10 completion minimum) is required for admission into this course.

Audit Stream

Mode of Study	Audit courses are not run in conjunction with Alphacrucis College and are therefore ineligible to receive FEE-Help. Fees must be paid upfront and the course is not accredited.
Cost	Full Time: \$2000 full year; \$1000 per semester
Time Requirements	2 days per week for classes Ministry Placement Sunday Serving 13 weeks per semester
Units of Study	8 units of study
Ministry Intensive Placement	The Ministry Intensive Placement provides the opportunity to invest an additional interning day in your chosen ministry area.
Prerequisites	No prerequisite is required. The Audit Stream is for those who may prefer to experience College without the requirements of the accredited stream.

Tracy Kelsey

This year at Nations College, God has grown me in the deepest and most beautiful of ways and has increased my hunger for His will, His presence, and His Word. The year has not been easy, but the moment I surrendered it all to Jesus, He has done exceedingly, abundantly more than I could have hoped for.

I have written assignments I never imagined I'd write, and I have exceeded what I thought was possible. I have developed new skills and honed old ones. I have gone on a mission trip and experienced being His hands, His feet, and His mouthpiece to many. Through it all, I have fallen more and more in love with Jesus, His church, and His people.

This year I have surrendered things I thought were impossible to release, pushed pause on some of my favourite activities and said 'no' to the less important stuff so I could say 'yes' to Him. In doing so God has poured out His blessing upon me and my family. My husband and kids have celebrated with me when I have completed and submitted assignments, applauded me when I have gotten better than expected results and pushed me to believe I could do it on the days when everything has felt too hard. God has done so much more in and through me than I ever thought possible, and I literally stand in awe of Him.



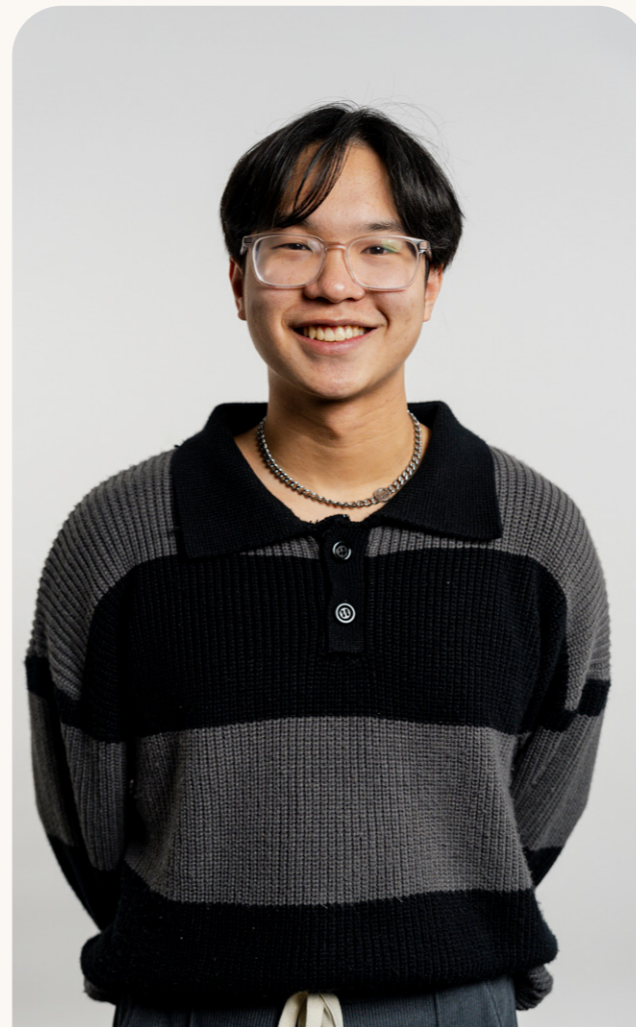
If you are thinking about doing College then all I can say is, "do it". Pray about it, release it to Jesus and watch as He turns your 'yes' into a life-changing move you possibly never knew you needed.



Jordan Sheng

Since coming to Nations College God has revealed so much of His love and goodness to me and I've felt a fire for Him that I've never had before. I started this year feeling far from God. I had grown up a Christian my whole life but always felt like a 'Sunday Christian'. I'd give God my Sunday's and would spend the other six days a week living for myself. For the past few years, I had been trying to take control of my own life and left God on the back burner. He was always plan B but never a priority.

Through this year at College I've learnt to relinquish control over my life and let God lead me. Where He has taken me is some of the deepest, most loved filled places I've ever been. He's broken me down, to build me anew. I've learnt so much about God and how I can show His love to others in all aspects of my life, not just at church on Sunday. I encourage anyone who's wondering if Nations College is right for you, to take that leap of faith and see how much God can use you, with what little we think we have. Don't be afraid of where you are on your walk with God, His goodness is so great and His grace is sufficient. Just come with an open mind and a willing heart and see how God transforms you.



Apply Now

Are you
ready to say
yes to living
your life for
His purposes?

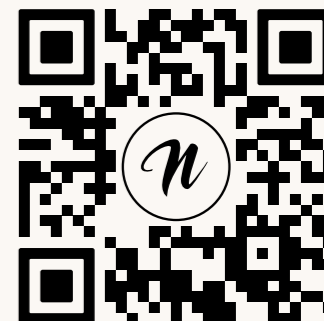
College Schedule

Tuesday	Classes
Wednesday	Placement Classes
Sunday	Placement

Applying for Nations College

Find out more information about
life at college and apply online at:
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Queries can be directed to:
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Will you
say yes
in 2024?

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