

SUREWORD BAPTIST COLLEGE INFORMATION

Spring Semester 2024

PURPOSE

The Objectives of SureWord Baptist College

We the members of Calvary Baptist Church strongly embrace our Savior's command to evangelize the world and teach believers. Our understanding of Matthew 28:19 and 20 compels us to launch out into the deep and embrace this endeavor. Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ said, *"Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. Amen."* "Teaching them to observe all things..." is a broad but weighty responsibility. To accomplish this task, we feel that those preparing for ministry need more than the regularly scheduled church services. SureWord Baptist College is our effort to fulfill this command.

DISCLOSURE

SureWord Baptist College is a religious educational institution operating in the State of Maryland pursuant to an exemption granted by the Maryland Higher Education Commission, without a certificate of approval from the Commission, as specified in the Code of Maryland Regulations 13.B.02.04

SCHEDULE

Spring Semester is 15 weeks.

Spring Semester Dates Are Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday from January 8 – April 25

Special Events Scheduled During the Spring Semester:

- Mission's Conference – March 6 – 10 (Credit will be given for this event if you are in attendance.)
- Calvary Baptist Church Romantic Escape Marriage Retreat – March 28 – 30
- Spring Break – April 1-4 No Classes

Important Dates of First Semester

- January 7th (following the evening service) – Orientation (required attendance of all students)
- Midterm Exams – February 19,20 & 22
- Final Exams – April 22,23, & 24

CLASSES

Each Credit hour will be a 50-minute session. Classes will not be available online.

Monday: 6-7 PM – Music Philosophy – Bro. Caleb Kasprzyk – 1 Credit Hours

Monday: 7-8 PM – Life of Paul – Bro. Caleb Kasprzyk – 1 Credit Hours

Monday 8-10 PM – Bible Doctrines 2 – Pastor Shiflett – 2 Credit Hours

Tuesday: 6-8 PM – Cults and Religions – Bro. Brian Birner – 2 Credit Hours

Tuesday 8-9 PM – Prayer – Pastor Shiflett – 1 Credit Hours

Tuesday 9-10 PM – Homiletics – Pastor Shiflett – 1 Credit Hours

Thursday: 6-7 PM – Hermeneutics – Bro. Carlo Leto – 1 Credit Hours

Thursday: 7-8 PM – Pastoral Epistles – Bro. Carlo Leto – 1 Credit Hours

Thursday: 8-9 PM – Introduction to Missions – Bro. James Leeder – 1 Credit Hours

Thursday: 9-10 PM – The Book of Acts – Bro. James Leeder – 1 Credit Hours

Ladies Classes on Thursday Night

From 6-7PM and 7-8PM

Elective Classes Designed Just for Ladies

FINANCIAL

The cost is \$75 to enroll and \$100 per credit hour for each semester. If you take a full load all three nights, the total is \$1200 per semester. You will qualify for a 10% discount if you pay for your entire semester up front. Tuition can be paid in 4 installments. To set up a payment plan, please communicate with the admissions office:

info@surewordbaptistcollege.org

Payment Plan:

- \$75 Enrollment Fee Due January 7
- First Payment Due: January 25
- Second Payment Due: February 29
- Third Payment Due: March 27
- Fourth Payment Due: April 18

If you drop out after enrollment, there will be no refund of the \$75 enrollment fee.

Refunds will not be given if you drop out after partial tuition payment is made.

You will not be allowed to take the Final Exam until all payments are current.

Enrollment fee does not cover the cost of the Textbooks.

Textbooks will be available in the church bookstore.

Auditing courses (attending classes without paying tuition) is not an option.

CREDITS

You cannot miss more than a maximum of 3 classes in a semester to receive credit.

If you are more than 15 minutes late, it will be counted as an absence.

To receive credit, you will have to:

1. Attend the classes
2. Receive a passing grade of 70% on the class.
3. Complete all assignments (reports, papers, etc.)
4. Pass your Final Exam
5. Make up all missed work due to sickness or absence.

GRADING SYSTEM

A – 90-100; B – 80-89; C – 70-79; Anything below a 70 is failing.

Your grade will be determined by the following formula:

Exams, Pop Quizzes, and Tests – 50%

Written Assignments – 30%

Scripture Memorization – 20%

DRESS CODE

Both men and ladies should dress in a conservative, business-like manner for all classes and church services.

Men: Shirt and Tie (no jacket required) (no denim, athletic wear, T-shirts, shorts, flip flops, etc.)

Ladies: Modest dress or skirt. (Please no denim, flip-flops, T-shirts, athletic wear)

CLASSROOM CONDUCT

Phones must be off. No taking/making phone calls, texting, surfing the internet, games, etc. during classes.

Laptops/iPads may be used for notetaking, but not for anything else during the class.

Maintain an attitude of decorum and respect at all times.

Please be on time. Classes will start and end promptly according to the schedule.

Out of respect for the teacher, please notify them via text or phone call if you will miss the class.

Please remember that being a student at SureWord Baptist College is a privilege, not a right.