

APPLIED APOLOGETICS: DISCOVERY & DISCUSSION

DESCRIPTION:

Students will actively explore and discuss powerful evidence for the Biblical God that other world views cannot explain. Through short videos, group discussions, hands-on discovery activities, and respectful debates, students will examine scientific realities and non-material evidences such as information, language, design, logic, morality, music, beauty, fine-tuning, and more. Students will learn about opposing views and will be able demonstrate why the Biblical position offers the most reasonable and coherent explanation based on the evidence. By the end of the course, participants will be equipped and confident to engage today's biggest questions with intellectual rigor and in a Christ-like grace.

TARGET AUDIENCE:

High School and above. (Schools, Groups, Churches and Organizations)

FORMAT:

16 sessions (45–60 minutes each)

- A mix of short teaching, media clips, discovery activities, group discussions, and some structured debates.

WHAT TO BRING:

- Your Bible
- A Notebook and pencil for notes.
- Be Prepared and be on-time! *There may be research assignments between sessions.

CODE OF CONDUCT:

- Discussions are conducted in Christ-like manner!
- Respect and humility are honored. Questions are encouraged!
- Doubt and honest wrestling with evidence are part of discovery.
- Cell phones are put away during class, debate and/or discussion times.

OBJECTIVES:

By the end of this course, participants will be able to:

- Identify and explain powerful evidences for The Biblical GOD.
- Engage in respectful discussions while explaining various sides.
- Connect scientific and philosophical evidence to Biblical Truths.
- Explain the failures of naturalistic explanations using evidence.
- Share your beliefs and personal testimony confidently with others.

UNITS & SESSIONS:

UNIT 1: Foundations

1. Why Does it Matter?
2. Does God Exist?
3. What are the Limits of Nature & Matter?

UNIT 2: The Immaterial

4. Trails of Evidence: Math, Logic & Motion
5. Trails of Evidence: Music, Light and Language
6. The Most Important Things

UNIT 3: Science, Design & Proof

7. Fine Tuned for Life
8. Living Machines: Complexity Created in Harmony
9. DNA: Life and Specified Information
10. Is the Bible True?

UNIT 4: Human Distinctives

11. Semiotics and Meaning
12. Morality and the Problem of Personal Truth
13. What Makes Humans Special?

UNIT 5: Worldviews & Application

14. Christianity vs. Atheism & Other Worldviews
15. What You Learned? Objectives Review
16. Capstone: Final Discussion and Testimonies