

## Why join?

You are here in the UK to develop and grow in your field of study or work. Why not grow in your understanding of God's Word so that you can serve him better?

Whether you return home, stay in the UK or go elsewhere in the world, God wants you to be involved in His mission of proclaiming the good news of Jesus to others. On the Philip Project you will learn how to share this with others, whether in the UK, back home or elsewhere.

## Cost

The course, excluding the cost of any weekend away is £100. This can be paid in two instalments, one in October and one in January. If it becomes possible to have a weekend away together then we'll inform you of the cost of that weekend which should be kept very low. Contact us if you have financial concerns with applying and maybe a church or friend can sponsor you.

## For more information and to sign up:

Go to [www.philipproject.org.uk](http://www.philipproject.org.uk)

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The Philip Project is coordinated nationally by Friends International in partnership with local churches.



## What previous students have said:

I am very glad to have attended the Philip Project. I have gained confidence to teach the Bible to others and interact with the group effectively. I would like to pass on the skills of leading Bible studies to other Christians.

(Beena, India)

In the Philip Project, I have begun learning to communicate the word of God in the Scriptures effectively to people.

Thanks to the very helpful feedback which I have received, so many of my blind spots have been addressed. I want to thank all of you for laying a good foundation and equipping me so that I may equip others too.

(Aiden, Singapore)



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*Understanding and Sharing  
God's Word*



# Scotland 2020-21

## What is the Philip Project?

The Philip Project aims to equip Christian international students and professionals in the UK to understand and share the Bible. We seek to achieve this through training and mentoring students, enabling them to be better equipped to serve Christ wherever they go as disciplers, teachers or preachers.

## Who is it for?

The Philip Project is particularly for Christian international students and short term professionals with an interest in understanding and sharing the Bible. We also welcome on the course those who are active in cross cultural ministry or who are seeking to reach their local ethnic communities for Christ.

## How Does it Work?

The goals of the Philip Project are achieved through three forms of 'relational' learning and discipling:

- 1** Training sessions on one Saturday a month and one Tuesday evening a month, led by experienced teachers.
- 2** Mentoring to encourage each student's Christian walk and aid their growth in understanding and sharing the Bible.
- 3** A weekend away in the spring with Bible teaching and workshops (date and costs to be confirmed). Also an opportunity to meet with other Philip Project groups on 27 February.

## Philip Project Scotland 2020/21 Programme

### TOPIC

Overview 1: Creation & Curse

#### **The Bible Timeline**

Overview 2 – Covenant

#### **Interpreting the Bible 1**

Overview 3 – Covenant

#### **Interpreting the Bible 2**

Overview 4 – Christ Old

#### **Testament Narrative**

Overview 5 – Church

#### **The Law**

Overview 6 – New Creation

#### **Prophecy**

The Gospels

#### **The parables**

Acts

#### **The letters**

Poetry and wisdom literature

#### **Revelation and Apocalyptic Literature**

#### **National Online Meeting**

### DATE

Sat 24 Oct

**Tues 3 Nov**

Sat 14 Nov

**Tues 24 Nov**

Sat 12 Dec

**Tues 15 Dec**

Sat 9 Jan

**Tues 19 Jan**

Sat 6 Feb

**Tues 23 Feb**

Sat 6 Mar

**Tues 16 Mar**

Sat 17 Apr

**Tues 27 Apr**

Sat 8 May

**Tues 18 May**

Sat 5 June

**Tues 8 June**

Sat 27 Feb



## Course Schedule

Saturday training days: 9:30am-3:15pm. Tuesday evenings: 7:30-8:30pm.

We cover the following subjects:

- 1 Bible Overview**  
We examine the overall story of the Bible.
- 2 Understanding the Bible**  
Teaching on how to interpret the different types of Bible literature.
- 3 Sharing the Bible**  
Training on how to share the Bible's message with different groups and in different places.



## Venue

The course will begin online, until we can meet in person. When we can meet face to face, we shall have different meeting points in cities in Scotland and we shall inform you of your nearest meeting point so that you can join in face-to face discussion with others on the course.