

**BRINGING THE HEART OF GOD TO THE HEART OF MAN** 





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A STEP-BY-STEP JOURNEY OF TRANSFORMATION AND EQUIPPING

**EXPLORE is the new version of the Modular School** 

There is a deep cry in each of our hearts to truly connect with God, to discover His amazing love personally and to allow Him to transform our lives so that we can follow Him without restraint. If this echoes the cry of your own heart or you desire to help others to discover this for themselves, then **EXPLORE** is for you!

# IF FROM THERE YOU SEEK THE LORD YOUR GOD, YOU WILL FIND HIM IF YOU SEEK HIM WITH ALL YOUR HEART AND WITH ALL YOUR SOUL. DEUTERONOMY 4:29

#### WHAT IS EXPLORE?

EXPLORE is a series of weekend courses designed to train and equip God's people through a journey of transformation. Ellel Ministries aims to bring Word and Spirit together in the application of teaching and ministry.

Together we will find that there is hope and help for the issues we struggle with in everyday life - issues of anxiety, stress, physical pain, emotional distress, problems in relationships, addictive behaviour and depression to name just a few. We will also discover what it really means to live with God in a closer relationship, and for God as part of His Kingdom family.

Those who journey through EXPLORE will also be equipped with keys in healing and discipleship to help meet the needs of others.

Each of the events in the series will include time for worship, biblical teaching, group discussion, activities, opportunity for prayer.

#### **WHO IS EXPLORE FOR?**

**EXPLORE** IS FOR ANYONE WHO...

...desires a deeper, closer and more meaningful relationship with God

...knows there are issues in their life which are holding them back

... wants to understand God's plan for their own life so they can walk in it

...wants to grow in their understanding of healing so that they can help others

It is for people aged 18 to 118! It is for new Christians or those who have been Christians for decades. It does not require any qualifications...

ALL YOU NEED IS AN OPEN HEART TO THE LORD.



#### WHAT DOES AN EXPLORE COURSE LOOK LIKE?

**FRIDAY:** Each **EXPLORE** weekend will start with registration from 6.30pm. The evening session will begin at 7.30pm with worship and teaching. Supper will be around 9pm - 9.15pm.

**SATURDAY**: Then on Saturday there will be a mix of worship and challenging and inspiring teaching sessions alongside times for personal reflection and group discussion time. There will also be an 'encounter' session where there will be an opportunity to respond personally to the teaching and to receive prayer ministry from our Ministry Team. EXPLORE will finish after the final session on Saturday evening at around 9.00pm.

For those wanting to stay overnight on Saturday, the option is available. Also, breakfast on Sunday will be available but please vacate the premises by 9.30am. Please note that the office will not be open on Sunday.

Over the many years of ministry we have seen how valuable opportunities of fellowship with other students and personal time with the Lord away from the stresses

and strains of life can be. It gives opportunity to process His truths and apply them to our lives so that we change to become more like Him.

The wonderful thing about **EXPLORE** is that God doesn't just work during the events themselves but continues His work during the time in-between. The **EXPLORE** notes booklets will also include a journal with activities, questions, worksheets and scriptures all designed to help you continue to grow and receive from the Lord in your own time.

### EXPLORE COURSES

The following is a list of courses in the **EXPLORE A** series...

- The Big Picture Exploring God's Foundations for Life
- Knowing God Exploring the Character and Nature of God
- God's Master Key Exploring the Power of Forgiveness
- Lost And Found Exploring the Remedy for Rejection
- God's Enemy Exposed Exploring Healing Through Deliverance
- Inside Out -Exploring Inner Damage and Healing
- Knowing Me Exploring Restoration of the Human Spirit
- **Connected** Exploring God's Design for Relationships
- **Sheltered** Exploring the Antidote to Fear and Anxiety
- Healing Workshop Exploring Ministry Practice. A practical four day workshop where there is an opportunity to both give and receive ministry from fellow EXPLORE students alongside our Ministry Team.

For a list of EXPLORE B courses, see our website - www.ellel.org.au

#### WHEN IS EXPLORE HELD?

Explore Schools usually start in January/February each year and run through to December with one course being held approximately once a month.

#### HOW DO I APPLY?

Application forms can be downloaded from our website or obtained by ringing our office on (02) 4633 8102 or emailing info@ellel.org.au

#### **HOW MUCH DOES IT COST?**

There is an upfront cost of \$290 which consists of -

- A \$25 deposit for each of the ten courses which is required before the start of the school, i.e. \$250). This money is non-refundable and non-transferable for cancellation or non-attendance of any of the courses.

- Plus there is a \$40 registration fee to cover admin costs and stationery.

Being an EXPLORE student entitles you to -

• 10% off CDs and books

• \$20 discount off residential EXPLORE weekends (per person), or \$10 off for non residential (per person).

• \$20 discount off all residential non-EXPLORE courses (excluding guest speaker events) for the duration of the EXPLORE school (per person), or \$10 off for non-residential.

(Please note discounts on courses are not available in conjunction with any Early Bird Discount.)

#### ACCOMMODATION?

We offer two types of accommodation – (Prices shown after deposit and discount taken)

- Budget (shared, separate male and female,
- external amenities) \$200 per person
- Standard (shared, separate male and female with ensuite) \$245 per person

**Note:** There is also the option of meals and course but with no accommodation -\$155 per person

As the final workshop weekend is a four day course the prices for that weekend are -• Budget \$255 • Standard \$305 • Non residential \$215

## ...SO AS TO WALK IN A MANNER WORTHY OF THE LORD, FULLY PLEASING TO HIM: BEARING FRUIT IN EVERY GOOD WORK AND INCREASING IN THE KNOWLEDGE OF GOD. Colossians 1:10

#### **WHY EXPLORE?**

In 1994 Ellel Ministries began a Modular School of teaching and ministry in healing and discipleship. This school subsequently ran at most of our centres around the world reaching thousands of people with lifetransforming teaching. It has truly been one of the most effective and fruitful schools that Ellel has ever run. However, we never want to just keep running the same programme simply because it has been effective in the past but always want to be in tune with what the Lord is asking us to do. As we considered the Modular School we felt the Lord asking us to undertake a refreshing of the material - with the same objectives and similar format - that would reflect the new things the Lord had shown us over the years.

After two years of prayer and planning we have developed EXPLORE. We are so excited by this new programme and the potential it has to enable people to draw closer to Jesus. We know that as we draw close to Him, it is in Him that we find freedom from the many things that weigh us down.

We are not erasing anything that has been in the

original Modular School but rather adapting it to reflect where the Lord has been leading us. Our primary objective at Ellel Ministries will always be to declare the saving love of the Lord Jesus and how true healing and freedom is found in Him alone.

Our prayer is that you would discover this too as you join with us on a journey to **EXPLORE** all that God is, has done and will continue to do for each one of us. It is as we truly understand this that we can then move forward in serving Him with our whole heart and see His Kingdom come.

# We look forward to EXPLORING with you!

#### IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT EXPLORE, PLEASE CONTACT:

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Jesus welcomed them and spoke to them about the kingdom of God, and healed those who needed healing. Luke 9:11