

LIDLAW COLLEGE
Te Wananga Amorangi

401.515 Formation
Course Outline

NQF Level: 5
Credit Value: 15

DELIVERY MODE:

Auckland, Christchurch and CDL

COURSE DESCRIPTION

John Calvin wrote that a true knowledge of God and a true knowledge of oneself depend on one another. This course aims to help students deepen both kinds of knowledge, through engagement with Scripture and a variety of Christian spiritual traditions, reflection on their own and others' spiritual journeys, and the development of spiritual practices for life and vocation.

LEARNING OUTCOMES

By the end of this course, each student will have demonstrated their ability to:

1. Identify the people, ideas, life events and personal responses which have shaped their spiritual journey to date.
2. Make a balanced assessment of their spiritual practices, with a view to developing these in ways appropriate to their context and vocation.
3. Demonstrate a balanced appreciation of distinctive features of Christian spirituality, with particular regard to Christ, community and creation.
4. Respond to others' viewpoints and experiences in ways that show respect and self-awareness.