



# Biblical Hebrew Course

## Syllabus

### **Importance of Reading the Hebrew Bible in Its Source**

**Language:** The Biblical Hebrew Course places a strong emphasis on studying the Hebrew Bible in its original language. Since the Hebrew Bible was written in Hebrew, there is immense value in being able to read and comprehend it directly. By engaging with the source language, students gain a deeper understanding of the text's nuances, cultural context, and linguistic intricacies.

### **Course Features:**

- Focus on reading and understanding the Hebrew Bible.
- Native Hebrew-speaking teachers with extensive experience in Biblical Hebrew.
- Customized selection of biblical texts based on group preferences.
- Vocabulary building exercises using biblical passages.
- Pronunciation drills and repetitive word exercises.
- Discounts available for group registrations.
- Donations made to organizations partnering with Shalom Point.



**Course Title:** Biblical Hebrew Course

**Course Duration:** 8 Weeks

**Course Frequency:** Once a week

**Course Location:** Various locations in Singapore

**Course Format:** On-site only

**Course Timing:** Various times of the day

**Course Duration per Session:** 1 hour and 30 minutes (45 minutes class + 10-minute break + 45 minutes class)

**Course Goals:**

- Develop the ability to read the Hebrew Bible
- Understand basic terms, repetitive words, and pronunciations
- Familiarize with the names of the main biblical figures, places, and books in Hebrew

**Course Requirements:**

- Commitment and devotion to the course
- Willingness to ask questions and participate actively
- Serious attitude towards learning Biblical Hebrew

**Course Features:**

- Experienced teachers with Hebrew as their mother tongue and extensive experience in Biblical Hebrew
- Selection of biblical texts based on group preferences
- Vocabulary building exercises using biblical passages
- Pronunciation drills and repetitive word exercises



- Customized sessions for religious groups with a religious leader available for theological discussions

### **Additional Benefits:**

- Discounts available for group registrations
- Donations made to organizations partnering with Shalom Point

### **Course Syllabus:**

#### Week 1:

- Introduction to Biblical Hebrew alphabet and pronunciation
- Basic greetings and introductions in Biblical Hebrew
- Reading selected passages from the Book of Genesis

#### Week 2:

- Numbers and dates in the Bible
- Vocabulary related to time expressions and genealogies
- Reading and comprehension exercises from the Book of Exodus

#### Week 3:

- Expressing emotions and actions in the Bible
- Vocabulary for feelings, verbs, and actions
- Analyzing selected Psalms and Proverbs

#### Week 4:

- Describing people and places in the Bible
- Vocabulary for physical descriptions and geographical locations



- Reading and comprehension exercises from the Book of Samuel

Week 5:

- The Ten Commandments and the Law in the Bible
- Vocabulary for legal terms and commandments
- Reading and analyzing the Book of Deuteronomy

Week 6:

- Prophets and prophecies in the Bible
- Vocabulary for prophetic language and terminology
- Reading selected passages from Isaiah and Jeremiah

Week 7:

- Stories and parables in the Bible
- Vocabulary for narrative elements and moral teachings
- Analyzing selected stories from the Hebrew Bible

Week 8:

- Names of biblical figures, places, and books
- Vocabulary for significant biblical names and terms
- Reading and comprehension exercises from various biblical texts



Note: The syllabus can be customized to focus on a specific biblical text or theme based on the group's preferences. A meeting can be conducted to discuss the specific needs of religious groups, and a religious leader is encouraged to join for theological discussions following the class.

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