



The Bible School
Designed to Fulfill
The Mandate Of
Matthew 28:20

BIBLE READING!

The Teacher Bible School (TBS) is a unique worldwide school in which students determine their personal Bible study schedules. Students determine when to enter the "classroom" of reading and study, as well as when to conclude the required curriculum. Students are thus personally responsible for keeping their required schedule of reading and study as a registered student in the School. Though there are no exams in an TB School, students have the opportunity to test their discipline by following a self-prescribed program of Bible and textbook reading.

Following The Holy Spirit's Instructions!

King David wrote, "O how I love your law! It is my meditation all day long" (Psalm 119:97). In his or her meditation on the law of God all day long, an TB School student seeks to be guided in meditation with a self-scheduled program of Bible reading and Teacher Bible Textbook study. Diligent Bible reading and study



is what the apostle Paul had in mind when he wrote, "Be diligent to present yourself approved to God as a workman who does not need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth" (2 Timothy 2:15). Paul's diligence in reading was emphasized when he instructed Timothy to bring to him his reading material (See 2 Timothy 4:13). Reading the Scriptures was the educational culture of the 1st century Jews (See Matthew 12:3,5; 19:4; 21:16,42; Acts 13:27; 17:11). This culture of reading was continued with the early church. The early disciples read the Scriptures as instructed by the Holy Spirit (See Colossians 4:16; 1 Thessalonians 5:27). Peter did this very thing (2 Peter 3:15,16). A national TB School is an opportunity to enjoy the reward of daily Bible study, with the comments that are provided in the Textbook. When we read the Spirit's revelation of the Bible, it is then that we better understand the gospel of Christ (Ephesians 3:4).

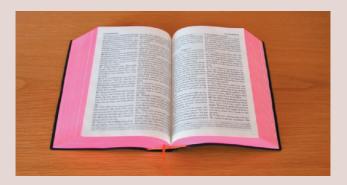
TWO TEXTBOOKS!

There are advantages to the educational system of an TB School. Most important, there are only two textbooks required to enroll in and complete the curriculum: (1) the Bible, and (2) a copy of the *Teachers Bible Textbook*. To complete the student's schedule of reading and study, these are the only textbooks to which one must have access as a student in order to be an active student in an TB School.

THE HOLY BIBLE

In order to follow the required daily Bible reading schedule, as well as reading the equivalent chapter material in the *TB Textbook*, each student must possess their own Bible and a copy of the *TB Textbook*. If one does not have a Bible, then the *International King James Version* is provided in the *TB Textbook*. One can purchase a *TB Textbook* from the national TB School resource center. Having these two volumes is the first indication that a Bible student is serious about meditating daily on the word of God.

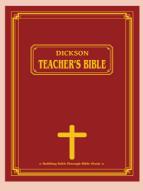
Reading The Bible Text!



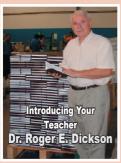
TEACHER'S BIBLE COMMENTARY!

With the student's self-assigned daily Bible reading schedule, he or she is directed to read the equivalent textbook material in the

TB Textbook. Over a period of forty years, Dr. Roger Dickson wrote the commentary material of this textbook. A student, therefore, has the opportunity to research years of Bible study that have been published by this author. In a TB School, students are directed



to first read the Bible text the required assigned chapters. They are then guided to read the parallel chapters of material in the



TB Textbook. In this way, Dr. Dickson is the indirect "teacher" for those who progress through the tenmonth study curriculum of study. The TB Textbook comments, therefore, aid one to understanding better the assigned text of the Bible.

ENCYCLOPEDIC BIBLE STUDY GUIDE

At the back of the *TB Textbook* is the 140-page *Encyclopedic Bible Study Guide* (*EBSG*). There are hundreds of study readings in this book that every Bible student should study in order to understand the Bible. Students are required to read the assigned subjects throughout their 40-week study schedule. In this way students glean from the *EBSG* in order to share the word of God with those of their community.

REQUIREMENTS!

In order to complete the required assignments of a TB School, students must do the following:

A HOLY BIBLE: Each student must have in hand a version of the Bible in his or her home language. The version must contain both the Old and New Testaments.

TEACHER'S BIBLE TEXTBOOK: In order to complete the required reading assignments of a registered TB School, each student must have access to a *Teacher's Bible Textbook*. This unique volume must be purchased from the TB School resource center if a center is operating in your country.

READING SCHEDULE: This schedule is a self-outlined program of reading the Bible and the *TB Textbook*. In order to graduate from the required curriculum, each student must complete the entire schedule in the 40-week Term. In order to complete this personal program of reading, one must commit himself or herself to reading and study of the Scriptures as a part of daily study program that is assigned by the TB School.

EBSG TEXT READING: In order to complete the requirements of the curriculum, each student must read through the assigned subjects of the *EBSG*.

INTERNATIONAL TEACHER BIBLE SCHOOL

- Establish personal goals for Bible study.
- · Research the TB textbook for understanding.
- Establish a regular community discussion group.
- · Recruit new to establish other TB Schools.
- · Encourage friends to become Bible students.
- Work to restore Bible study in your community.
- Allow your knowledge of the Bible to inspire growth.

Look For A Teacher Bible School In Your Area

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BIBLE FELLOWSHIP!

A regional TB School is a Christian fellowship of Bible lovers who seek to study regularly the word of God. They seek to read and study in fellowship with others who are also driven to fulfill the mandate of 1 Timothy 4:13. Bible readers, after conducting an initial registration workshop in order to organize regular encounters with one another, can register as an TB School. They can then schedule a date to come together on a regular basis for mutual encouragement. The National TB School Team can then plan occasional meetings with the local TB School students in order to encourage all those who are enrolled. This meeting can be coordinated between the national TB School director and students in order to enhance and encourage the continued reading and study of the Bible and TB Textbook. Through a systematic program of Bible reading and study, all those who are enrolled with a local TB School seek to accomplish the following:

> Grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. (2 Peter 3:18)

Certificate of Completion!

Students who are enrolled in a Teacher Bible School have the opportunity to graduate from this school, and thus, be awarded a *Certificate* of completion. The awarding of this Certificate is based on the assigned reading of the text of the Bible, as well as the reading of the commentary text in the *TB Textbook*, including the reading of all the assigned material of the *EBSG*. Once these requirements are fulfilled, then the Regional Director will call for a public awarding ceremony of the *Certificate*.

TB SCHOOL INTRODUCTION WORKSHOP

If there is a group of dedicated disciples in your community or church who want to start an Teacher Bible School, please contact the following regional director:

For free Bible materials, download from the following: www.roger-e-dickson.org