

Summer Waldorf Teacher Education Program

Summer Waldorf Teacher Education Program *Grades and Early Childhood*

- ★ Three summers—four weeks each summer
- ★ Masters in Waldorf Education option is available

This program provides an opportunity for teachers to receive a Waldorf Teacher Education Certificate. The program invites teachers in any school setting—Waldorf, public including charter, or private—to learn together. Enriched by a diversity of experiences, participants can develop the mutual support and understanding that translate into a positive impact on American education. Each student will have a mentor who will provide support and advice over the period of training. In the second and third year a mentor will visit the teacher's classroom for observation. Although this program is primarily for those already in the classroom, exceptions are made by application review. For those not currently teaching, field experience will be arranged in a Waldorf school. The emphasis of the program will be on practical application of Waldorf pedagogy, which participants will be able to put into practice during the school year if they are currently teaching. In addition, other courses will explore the view of the human being that is at the heart of Waldorf education.

CORE STUDIES

Philosophical basis of Waldorf education with study of selected basic books

Principles of Waldorf education—child development, curriculum and methodology

Practical application of the Waldorf curriculum

Arts and crafts

SUMMER PROGRAM DIRECTOR Patrick Wakeford-Evans, MA, Academic Dean, Rudolf Steiner College; Masters in Human Development, St. Mary's University of Minnesota; Waldorf Teacher Training Diploma, Rudolf Steiner College; Mentor and lecturer in Waldorf Education in Japan, England, Mexico and North America. Currently enrolled in doctorate program in transformative education at California Institute of Integral Studies.



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INCLUDES FOUNDATION STUDIES

Three summers—four weeks each summer. Courses are Monday-Friday from 8am–6pm with adequate breaks for refreshments and meals during the day.

Foundation Studies

Courses are in all three years. See information below about individual courses and auditing.

Teacher Education Curriculum

Grades students choose one of the following three-week tracks each summer:

Track One: Grades 1-3

Track Two: Grades 4-5

Track Three: Grades 6-8, choose one: Language Arts/Math/Astronomy *or* Chemistry/Physics/Geography

Early Childhood courses follow a seasonal theme each year (2012: Spring theme).

Tuition and Fees

Tuition: \$7890

Application Fee: \$50, or \$70 after May 21, 2012 (paid once for each Program)

Registration Fee: \$100. Registration forms will be mailed after the application has been approved.

Please call Admissions at 916-961-8727 ext.100 or e-mail the addresses below if you have questions. An Application Packet can be downloaded from our website www.steinercollege.edu (click on *Admissions*).

Financial Aid

Financial aid terms are in the Financial Aid section of the application packet. Download our application packet online at www.steinercollege.edu

WITHOUT FOUNDATION STUDIES

This option is only for students who have completed Foundation course requirements set by Rudolf Steiner College or are currently enrolled in a CLC. Foundation course transcripts are assessed from all trainings (assessment fee \$50, or \$75 after May 21, 2012). Tuition is adjusted if necessary. To apply turn in a Program Application, a transcript and assessment fee.

Individual Courses

Individual courses may be taken for credit with approval of the Academic Dean. (Teacher education classes can only be taken after prerequisite Foundation Studies.) Contact the Admissions Officer for a schedule and fee information.

Auditing Foundation Studies

Fees vary and no transcripts or records are kept. Auditors are not matriculated students and do not qualify for loans or scholarships. Contact the Admissions Officer for a schedule and fee information.

Program Application and Financial Aid Application/information can be downloaded from our website. Please visit www.steinercollege.edu (click on *Admissions*). For more information call the admissions office at 916-961-8727 ext.100 or e-mail us as follows:

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