

	101 - Gospel Foundations	102 - Identity in Christ
What does it cover/is it about?	Genesis to John - Helps to understand: 1) How the Bible fits together and is one story 2) Key Biblical truths 3) What the Bible says vs what the world believes	Genesis to John - 102 focuses on: 1) Our position and potential in Christ 2) The foundational work of the Holy Spirit
Truths include...	Who God is, man's sinful position before God, and God's rescue plan by repentance and faith through the finished work of Christ.	Believer's identity in the finished work of Jesus Christ, and the work of the Holy Spirit.
When does it take place/How much time should I expect to dedicate for this?	September to June for 10 months: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 night per week as a group 1 night every other week in a small group/1 on 1 setting 	September to June, over the course of 2 years*: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 night every 2 weeks as a group. (*In case 101 does not have any participants, we will then do 102 once / week and finish in 10 months).
Who is this for?	Non-Believers: Those who have questions, are curious, or are seeking. Believers: New Believers to Mature Believers	Believers: New Believers to Mature Believers
Is there an age limit?	We suggest from ages 18 and up. Although if you are under 18 and feel you are ready to go through this course, we suggest asking your parents and/or a pastor or elder to determine if this is right for you. There is no age limit to learning and growing in our walk, last year we had a mature believer who is in their 70's take part in 101!	
Where will this take place?	At the moment, the group meets in the board room at Hague Gospel Church, this is because it is easier to arrange a consistent central location and has all the amenities needed (a large quiet space with a big table and TV for the power points). However this can be done in anyone's home, and may be so in the future, if anyone offers their place. The one-on-one meet ups in the 101 class can be anywhere (in a home, in a coffee shop, or over zoom or a phone call if need be.)	
Why should you consider this study?	101 lays a clear foundation for understanding the Gospel—whether you're a believer or someone still exploring the faith. For believers, it also equips you to speak the truth with confidence and disciple others effectively. We all have family, friends, coworkers, and neighbors who need to hear the Word of God, but it can be difficult to clearly communicate the truths we believe, especially in today's North American culture. This course not only deepens your personal understanding of the Gospel, but also helps you share it with others in a clear and meaningful way.	Christians have been freed from the bondage and penalty of sin, yet many believers—whether knowingly or not—still wander in search of purpose, struggling to grasp their identity in Christ. Christ has not only provided believers with salvation and the promise of eternity with Him in heaven, but also offers in the present, the opportunity to live life to the fullest. Many Believers, like the Israelites in the Old Testament, continue to wander in the “desert”, despite being freed from slavery, unaware that a “promised land” awaits. 102 aims to help both new and mature believers understand their identity in Christ and share these truths with others.
How much will this cost?	The cost is approximately \$100 per course if you pick up the books in Osler, or around \$120 per course if you have them delivered in the mail. We do not want the cost to be a reason for you not to join however, so if it is, please speak to any of our elders and we would be happy to cover the cost to help you join.	
How can I learn more before deciding?	We've made a webpage on our church site to explain a bit more, and for you to hear some testimonies, but if you would like to sit in on a class on any given week please reach out to any one of our elders. Additionally in Early September we offer an "open table", an evening to get a sampling of what a lesson is like and to answer any questions prior to you making a commitment.	
Can I do both 101 and 102?	Absolutely! The schedule is designed to allow those who want to do both, the option to do so. In case you do, you can plan to dedicate 2 evenings per week from September to June in order to cover both classes.	