



PASSION & PURSUIT DTS INFO PACK



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BASIC 2020 DTS SCHOOL DATES & CONTACT INFO

- School begins : September 20, 2021
- Registration opens March 15, 2021
- Registration closes: August 30 (International applicants)
: September 10 (local & Commonwealth)
- Term break: December 20-27, 2021
- Overseas Outreach & Debriefing : December 29- February 18, 2022
- Graduation Day : February 19, 2022 (friends and family are invited!)
- School Admin: Danya Hess
- YWAM Jamaica Ministry Leaders: John & Danya Hess
- Contact our DTS admin at schools@ywamjamaica.org

About Passion & Pursuit DTS

The Passion & Pursuit DTS was born out of the partnership between YWAM Jamaica and the Jamaica House of Prayer (JaHOP) formed in 2012. In an effort to fuse the strengths of our united ministries, this DTS combines the disciplines of the Prayer Room with the YWAM missional DNA in every aspect of the curriculum.

The main focus of this program is to teach students how to cultivate and maintain a lifestyle of Worship, Intercession, and Evangelism. Through time spent in the prayer room, in the classroom, on the streets of Jamaica, and on our overseas field assignments, students experience a variety of intentional discipleship settings to implement all they are learning.

This DTS is focused on worship, intercession, and unreached people groups.



ABOUT CLASSROOM PHASE

Our interactive teachings cover a wide variety of christian living topics and are outlined on the following page. Classes are held in the mornings, and our international speakers range in age, race, and backgrounds. They share their perspectives and experience, give us greater spiritual awareness and discipleship, and help us work through baggage from the past.

Integrated in our classroom phase are ministry preparation times, prayer room worship & intercession sets, campus work duties, small groups and weekly evangelism outings. The aim of this phase is to give us right understandings of who God is, and to grow in our personal identity in Christ.



THINGS YOU'LL LEARN:

- Hearing the Voice of God
- The Nature & Character of God
- Intercession and Leading a prayer set
- Worship Leading
- Evangelism strategies
- Walking in Kingdom Culture & Culture of Honour
- Dramas & Songs
- The Discipline of Fasting
- Building Healthy Relationships
- Conflict Resolution & Boundaries

...and much much more!!

SAMPLE LECTURE SCHEDULE (2019)

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sunday
7:00-7:45	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast
8:00-8:30	Worship	Worship	Worship	Worship	Worship	Depart for Church
8:30-9:30	Corporate Intercession	DTS Intercession/ Staff MTN	Class begins @ 9:00am	DTS intercession	Ministry Prep	Church
9:30-9:45	Staff Prayer	Staff Prayer	Classroom	Staff Prayer	Ministry Prep	Church
9:50-10:00	Class review	Class review	Classroom	Class review	Ministry Prep	Church
10:00-11:15	Classroom	Classroom	Classroom	Classroom	Evangelism	Church
11:15-11:30	Break time	Break time	Break time	Break time	Evangelism	Church
11:30-12:30	Classroom	Classroom	Classroom	Classroom	Evangelism	Return & Rest
12:30-2:00	Lunch & Clean Up	Lunch & Clean Up	Lunch & Clean Up	Lunch & Clean Up	Evangelism & Pack Lunch	FREE
2:00-3:45	Work Duties	Work Duties	Work Duties	Work Duties	Return & Rest	FREE
4:00-5:00	Ministry Prep	Small Group (same sex)	Student Free time	Reflection Time/ staff Meeting	Life Group (mixed)	FREE
5:00-6:00	Supper & clean up	Supper & clean up	Supper & clean up	Supper & clean up	Supper & clean up	Supper & clean up
6:00-8:00	DIG IN-(optional)	Mission Bridge				

***During the Classroom phase, Saturdays are free, and so are not included in weekly schedule.**

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ABOUT OUTREACH PHASE

In addition to at least one week (but often 2wks) outreach within Jamaica, we travel to another nation to do a 6week field assignment. We serve others through dramas, testimonies, songs, teaching/ preaching and practical acts of service, all of which our ministry prep times will help us to prepare for our outreach location.

YWAM Jamaica has a target outreach location where we take teams to serve every year- The Gambia, West Africa. If our school is large enough to split into different ministry teams, we will include students in a process of prayerfully considering our second outreach location.

BASIC OUTREACH ACTIVITIES

- Teaching in school, church, or camps
- Painting projects
- Rebuilding fences
- Church ministry
- Children's ministry
- Friendship evangelism
- Serving the long-term workers in a variety of practical ways
- Prayer walks
- Community development projects
- ...and many more!



A village in the Gambia.

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HOW DO YOU APPLY?

STEP BY STEP DTS APPLICATION PROCESS

(Please note all the relevant forms are also linked on the DTS page of our website)

1. Submit completed DTS application form by clicking the link, or visiting our website.
2. Submit 3 completed Character Reference Forms
3. Complete a Medical using our YWAM Medical form
4. Wait for a callback or interview (Scheduled within 2wks of COMPLETING steps 1-3, though sometimes we will interview before the medical)
5. Receive an Confirmation of acceptance (Within 5-10 working days after interview)
6. Receive an acceptance package with: A welcome letter with school details, Visa & Immigration information Letters, the DTS manual & Book list.

ESSENTIAL DOCUMENTATION

All students are expected to have the following documents in order before arrival in Jamaica:

1. Current passport (**valid until up to 1 month AFTER DTS graduation date**). Students without a valid passport on arrival may be asked to reapply for a future school.
2. An Entry visa (for all foreign nationals). This application process is explained to all accepted applicants in the DTS Acceptance Package.
3. Accepted students need to travel with a printed copy of all documents with “Please print” in the file name that are sent in the DTS Acceptance Package.
4. 4 Recent (within 6months) passport pictures. (Not just passport-sized, but actual passport photos. Please see requirements if you are not sure.) These are necessary for both the extension of stay visas done during the lecture phase, and for outreach visa application process.

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WHAT DOES IT ALL COST?

DTS PRICING- LECTURE PHASE

Our DTS Lecture phase tuition is designed along a geopolitically sensitive scale, recognising that not all economies are created equal. Along the universal YWAM scale, we have tuition broken down into 3 categories of nations: A, B and C, and the varying costs quoted are considered relatively equal when rated against the standard of living of the nations. At this time, no price concessions are made for long-distance travel to get to us. Please note that we have subsidised Jamaican costs further in an effort to increase local student numbers.

Category A - (North America, Western Europe, Australia) \$3,600 USD

Category B - (China, the Middle East, Eastern Europe, South Africa,) \$2,600 USD

Category C - (the Far East, South America, and the Caribbean) \$1,600 USD

Local price (Jamaicans only) - \$1,300 USD

** To find your specific nation category, visit: <http://uofn.edu/nation-category-list>

For information on whether or not you qualify for a scholarship, subsidy, or special payment plan, please email us at schools@ywamjamaica.org.

ADDITIONAL CHARGES & OUTREACH FEES

In addition to the Lecture phase costs which cover student's housing, food, tuition, ministry transportation, utilities and speaker fees, we have tried to outline some of the **additional costs** that apply to the 6month period you are with us. As these fees are not received by YWAM Jamaica, we have not included them in the tuition costs. Please see below:

- \$30 USD Non-refundable DTS registration fee (goes directly to the U of N)
- \$120-\$175USD Entry Visa fee for non-Commonwealth applicants, paid to Jamaican Consulate
- \$125 - \$150 USD Extension of Stay visa for all foreign students (Commonwealth included) paid to local Govt.

DTS OUTREACH FEES:

Outreach billing is broken into three main Categories: Grounds fees, Airfare, and Visas. Grounds fees means all charges on the field related to food, housing, transportation and team outings. The Grounds fees and airfare are the same for everyone. Visas costs may vary, and will be quoted on a per student basis, depending on how many visas each nationality may need to get to travel. For some people no visas are needed, while some nationalities may need up to 3!

1. Grounds fees= \$1,500 - \$2,500 USD
2. Airfare (Depends on location) = \$500-\$2000 USD
3. Outreach Entry Visa(s) = (Depending on Location; we use a general range of \$150USD per visa)

***More specific pricing estimates, refund policies, school curriculum and booklist, and details regarding Covid protocols will be published in the 2021 student Manual, emailed to accepted students 2months before the school begins.**

PACK LIST

PACK LIST	LECTURE PHASE	OUTREACH
Bible	YES	YES
Book light/ Flashlight	YES	YES
Personal Journal	YES	YES
Ipod/Phone & chargers	YES	YES
Laptop & charger	YES (if you own one)	—
Headphones/earbuds	YES	YES
*Modest Church Clothes	YES	YES
T-shirts	YES	YES
*Shorts	YES	Maybe/depending on location
Modest swimwear	YES	YES
*Floor length, loose skirts	NO	YES
Work clothes for painting/work projects	YES	YES
Sneakers	YES	YES
Comfortable sandals/flats	YES	YES
Bagpack	YES	YES
Twin-sized sheets	YES	—
Sleeping bag	NO	YES
Personal Toiletries	YES	YES
Vitamins & Personal Medication	YES	YES
Cold & Flu medication	YES	YES
Personal Spending money	YES	YES
Small tokens to give away	YES	YES
4 Recent Passport sized photos	YES	NO
All relevant docs from Acceptance Package	YES	NO

For more information on what constitutes “modest dress” or items starred in your pack list, please see the [dress code video](#) in the link given.

Much of the information published here is to address frequently asked questions and concerns, so please review material carefully. If your question was not addressed in the body of this document, please email us at schools@ywamjamaica.org and we would be happy to help you out!

Blessings!

~the P&P DTS team