

# CERTIFICATEGUIDE

## What Is Required For My Certificate In Worship Leadership Studies?

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The following Certificate Guide is designed to guide you along in your Certificate Program experience. This is a **SELF-GUIDED** study experience. In other words, you are learning at your own pace, on your own time schedule. We give you 12 months to complete your Certificate work, which includes the 6 Essentials Modules, plus all the added university materials noted below. Enjoy the journey!

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**DOWNLOAD THE ESSENTIALS MODULE ZIP FILES.** The Essentials In Worship Course with Dan Wilt will be at the core of your Certificate Program. There are 6, 4 session "modules" that make up the Course. You will download the ZIP file (click "Downloadable Media Training Course" on each module page) for each of the 6 modules [here](#). Print the materials, and start a binder. You'll want this to take notes along the way.

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**VIEW ANY "ADDITIONAL UNIVERSITY MEDIA" ALONG WITH #3 BELOW.** At the bottom of each module page listed [here](#), you will see "Additional University Level Media." View these extended lectures along with Step 3 below. NOT ALL MODULES have extended lectures, so only view the ones you see. See the "How To Do The Certificate In Worship Leadership Studies" video [here](#) if you ever need a refresher.

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**3**

**DO EACH MODULE, AT YOUR OWN PACE.** Each of the 6 modules is designed to be done in about 4 weeks, studying 8-10 hours per week. Get the supplemental books noted in the Introduction section of that module's ebook. Then FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS at the beginning of each Essentials module (watch the "How To Do An Essentials Course" video [here](#)). You'll be 1) reading that module's ebook, 2) watching Discussion Starter videos, 3) watching my extra lectures, and 4) reading your extra book. As you go:

**a. Write 4, 500 Word Reflection Papers per module**, answering the "Study Questions" at the end of each of the 4 sessions (in each module). Use approx. 500 words for each session's study questions. Put a page break after each session, and title each one "Session 1," "Session 2," etc. Name the entire Word doc after the module, with your name below it. (ex. *Essentials In Worship Values Reflection Paper, Your Name*).

Proofread to university standards (and get help), use good grammar, and use MLA or Chicago footnotes (see the web) to reference your work. i.e. At the end of one module, you should have 2000 total words of reflections based on those questions. Use at least 5 footnotes. Use Times Roman 12 pt., single spaced. [Writing guide](#).

**b. Write A 2000 Word Informal Book Review** of the assigned book for that module (again, the book is noted in the Introduction section of the ebook for that module). Using the same criteria above, title this document separately (ex. *Essentials In Worship Songwriting Book Review, Your Name*).

**c. Do A Creative Project** based on what you learned in each module. This is simply a tool you could use, or others could use, based on your work. Ex. A PowerPoint for doing a seminar on your version of the content, a worship philosophy document for your church or others to use, a song (for Songwriting module), a responsive reading, an "ancient-future" worship service template. *Be brief; be creative.*

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**SUBMIT YOUR WORK WHEN YOU HAVE COMPLETED ALL 6 MODULES.** When you have finished your work, for all 6 modules, you will submit all your materials via [www.Dropbox.com](http://www.Dropbox.com). Get a free account, and create a folder with the following label "Certificate Submission Your Name." Then, "share" that folder with [dan@worshiptraining.com](mailto:dan@worshiptraining.com). In your email say, "**Yes, I have read all the books and viewed all the media for each Essentials module.**" We will then grade your work within 30 days of receiving your final submission.

- Six, 2000 word Reflection Papers (please convert to PDFs)
- Six, 2000 word Informal Book Reviews (Please convert to PDFs)
- Six Short Creative Projects (mp3s, Keynotes, PowerPoints, or PDFs)