

STRONG NATION
COLLEGE

PROSPECTUS

WELCOME

There is a passion that has long burned in our hearts to raise a generation that will truly change the world. The flames of Isaiah's prophecy fuel our dreams and visions and brand us with purpose:

*"The least of you will become a thousand, the smallest a Strong Nation.
I am the Lord; in its time I will do this swiftly."*

Strong Nation Churches has a unique calling to embrace local and global missional discipleship in a Pentecostal context. As part of the Australian Christian Churches, we also carry a strong mandate of church planting and community engagement.

So, it is with great excitement that we are now offering accredited courses to further equip you in your calling.

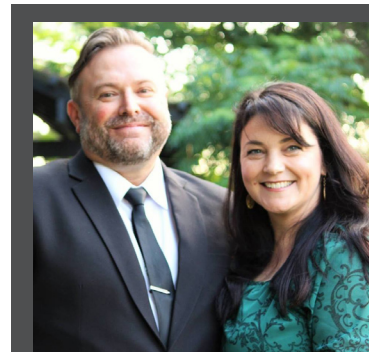
Undertaking either a **Certificate III in Discipleship** or a **Diploma of Leadership**, in partnership with Alphacrucis College, will provide access to direct impartation by Generals of the Faith, learning under the Apostolic anointing of the Strong Nation house, internship opportunities and practical resourcing for pressing into your frontier. Through this transformational experience, you will unlock keys to your own leadership potential, encounter God in fresh ways and discover a profound sense of radical community, living like the early church days of Acts 2.

Will you give a year of your life; a year to learn, experience, engage and be launched into the great ministry He has called you to?

Come and join Strong Nation College in 2017!

Ric + Naomi Burrell

Senior Pastors Strong Nation Church



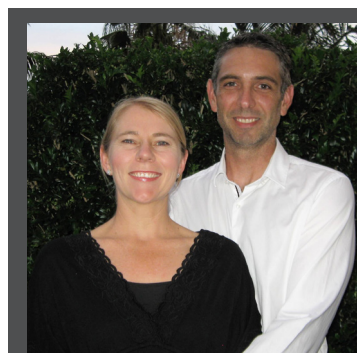
At Strong Nation College it is our desire to disciple strong men and women,
to build strong families, churches, communities and nations.

Strong Nation College combines quality teaching and practical experience.
Our desire is to see men and women leave our college equipped to go into all the
world to make disciples, and planting churches in local communities,
in the name of Jesus Christ.

Life is adventure. Life with God is an extreme adventure! At Strong Nation College
we are committed to equipping you for God's purpose. As you set aside this time for
study and draw near to God, you will find your place and calling.

We look forward to working with you to make your College experience a productive
and enjoyable extreme adventure.

DEAN + LISA O'KEEFE
Strong Nation College Deans



ALPHACRUCIS COLLEGE

Alphacrucis College (AC) is the national training college for the Australian Christian Churches. Established in 1948, AC has been equipping men and women for God's purpose for over 60 years.

The college is a Registered Training Provider (RTO) and Higher Education Provider. AC has a vision to become a Christian University. For more information about AC visit ac.edu.au.

COURSES

Strong Nation College is offering two courses; a Certificate III in Discipleship and a Diploma of Leadership. Both these courses will combine quality teaching and wisdom from experienced teachers and practitioners, as well as equip you with practical skills for your current and future ministries and relationships.

10303NAT Certificate III in Discipleship

Jesus commissioned his disciples to go and make disciples. This instruction is still valid today. The purpose of this course is to equip Christian disciples to make disciples who will make disciples. The course sets out the foundational skills for Discipleship, particularly in a Christian context. Topics include:

- Foundations of Christianity
- Themes in the Bible
- Christian doctrine
- Discipling Others
- The person and work of the Holy Spirit
- Personal evangelism

DURATION

The Certificate III in Discipleship is a one year part-time course. The course consists of 12 units and classes will be held on Monday evenings. For more information see the Timetable.

WORKLOAD

Students are expected to attend a one and half hour class per week. In addition to this, you will be required to complete various assessments and readings. These, typically, only take a couple of hours a week.

Throughout the year, students will be given the opportunity to participate in various ministry opportunities.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

There is no formal entry requirement but students are expected to be a part of a Strong Nation Church Oikos or something similar in your local church.

FEES

The Certificate III in Discipleship costs \$150 per subject (total \$1800). Students enrolling in this course are enrolling with Alphacrucis College (AC). Strong Nation College is facilitating the online course on behalf of AC.

RTO Provider: Alphacrucis College
RTO Code: 90525



Diploma of Leadership

The Diploma of Leadership (subject to accreditation) equips men and women with the skills to change the world. The course is based on the teachings of the most influential leader in this world - Jesus. The Diploma of Leadership is ideal for anyone wanting to take a year to hear from God, learn more about who they are, and be equipped for doing God's will.

Subjects include:

MIN002 Christian Spirituality
BIB001 Introduction to the Bible
EXP001 Professional Practice
LEA001 Introduction to Leadership
LEA002 Public Speaking
THE001 Christian Worldview
LEA003 Advanced Leadership
THE003 Christian ethics

DURATION

This course is available either as a one year full-time course or it can be completed over two to four years part-time. For more information see the Timetable.

WORKLOAD

Full-time students are expected to attend four one and half hour classes per week. These will be held on Monday evenings and Tuesday during the day. Part-time students are expected to attend at least one class per week held on a Monday evening. Depending on length of study, part-time students may need to enrol in more than one subject. In addition to this, they will need to complete weekly assessments and readings, as well as view some lecture material online. Throughout the year, students will be given the opportunity to participate in various ministry opportunities.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Completion of Year 12 Certificate

OR

Mature age student (21 and over)

Students are also expected to be a part of a Strong Nation Church Oikos something similar in your local church.

FEES

The Diploma of Leadership costs \$950 per subject (total \$7600). This course is eligible for Fee-Help.

Students enrolling in this course are enrolling with Alphacrucis College (AC). Strong Nation College is facilitating the online course on behalf of AC. Upon completion of the Diploma of Leadership, students can enter into the Bachelor of Ministry with one year credit.
Higher Education Provider: Alphacrucis College



TIMETABLE

MONDAY EVENINGS

Class 1: 6:45pm to 8pm (Certificate III in Discipleship and Diploma of Leadership)

Class 2: 8:15pm to 9:30pm (Diploma of Leadership only)

TUESDAYS

Class 1: 9:30am to 10:45am

Class 2: 11am to 12:15pm

Class 3: 1pm to 2:15pm

TERMS

Term 1: 6th February to 4th April 2017

Term 2: 1st May to 27th June 2017

Term 3: 24th July to 19th September 2017

Term 4: 16th October to 5th December 2017

** Times and dates may change slightly.*

HOW TO APPLY

The Application process is a two part process:

STEP 1: Complete a Strong Nation College Application Form

- Fill in the attached Application Form and either post to Hawkesbury Church (PO Box 301 , Windsor NSW 2756) or hand into the Hawkesbury Church Reception (190 Macquarie Street, Windsor)

OR

- Email college@strongnationchurches.com.au to receive an ecopy of the Application Form which you can then fill out and return to college@strongnationchurches.com.au

STEP 2: Apply online with Alphacrucis

- Go to the link below and fill out and submit the Local Church College Application for Admission Form
https://fs25.formsite.com/AlphacrucisCollege/form14/secure_index.html

CAMPUS LOCATION

The Strong Nation College Campus is located on Lakeside Parade, Jordan Springs.



STRONG NATION COLLEGE

Strong Nation College Application Form

Office Use Only	Date	Initial
Processed		
Entered		
AC Approved		

PERSONAL DETAILS

Name **DOB**

Address

Suburb **State** **Postcode**

Phone (Home) **(Mobile/Work)**

Fax **Email**

I am a member of a Strong Nations Oikos: Yes No

If Yes, who is your leader:

If No, what Church are you member of:

APPLICATION TO STUDY

- I wish to apply to study:
 - Certificate III in Discipleship
 - Diploma of Leadership
- I intend to study
 - Full-Time
 - Part-Time
- I wish to apply for Fee-Help (Diploma Students Only) Yes No
- I am over 18 years of age. Yes No (a parent or guardian must sign this form)

Signature of Student **Date**

Name of parent/guardian

Signature of parent/guardian **Date**

Please complete this enrolment form and send to:
 Strong Nation College
 C/O Hawkesbury Church
 PO Box 301
 Windsor NSW 2756
OR
 Email to:
 college@strongnationchurches.com.au