



International Society for Krishna Consciousness  
Founder-Acarya His Divine Grace A. C. Bhaktivedanta Swami Prabhupada

# Bhaktivedanta College of Education and Culture

'Intelligence refers to the power to analyse things in their proper perspective, and knowledge refers to understanding what is spirit and what is matter'.

Bhagavad Gita 10.4,  
Srila Prabhupada



## 2024 Courses

### 1. Bhakti Sadacara Certificate (Vedic Philosophy & Practice) - 20 x 1 ½ hour sessions

This course covers the basic philosophy and practices of devotion. It will adequately equip you to live and practice Krishna Consciousness with understanding and intent, rather than on hearsay and sentiment.

- This is an introductory course and therefore there are no pre-requisites.
  - This course consists of 3 modules (20 x 1 ½ hours each).
  - You require the book, *Science of Self Realization* for Module 1.
  - The course fee is R150-00, payable during registration at the first session.
  - Completion of assignments and a minimum of 80% attendance is required to obtain credit for this course.
- ⇒ **Module 1: Science of Self Realization**  
⇒ **Module 2: Vaisnava etiquette-Personal**  
⇒ **Module 3: Vaisnava etiquette – Japa and Association**

Area	Venue	Day and Time	Teacher	Phone
Hillary	38, 4 <sup>th</sup> Street, Hillary Commencing 04 March 2024	Mondays 18:30 – 20:00	Alanath Das	0837752760
Chatsworth	Sri Sri Radha Radhanath Temple College Room Commencing 04 March 2024	Mondays 18:30 - 20:00	Jaisacinandana Das	0837773328
Online (any area)	Online Course Commencing 04 March 2024	Mondays 18:00 – 19:30	Ranga Devi Dasi	031-4033328 0715579448
Chatsworth	Sri Sri Radha Radhanath Temple College Room Commencing 04 May 2024	Saturdays 16:30 – 18:00	Radhika Sundari Dasi	0836115194
Online (any area)	Online Course Commencing 06 July 2024	Saturdays 16:30 – 18:00	Madhava Das	0746010061
Chatsworth	Sri Sri Radha Radhanath Temple College Room Commencing 03 July 2024	Wednesdays 14:30 – 16:00	Lilavatar Gaura Das	0844106769
Any area (based on need/demand)	If a suitable number of students in an area are interested, a class can be constituted	To be confirmed	Smta Krsna Das	0844020251

## 2. Overview of 'Bhagavad Gita As It Is' (5 x 2 hour sessions)

This scripture is the foundation of the Krishna Consciousness Movement. The themes and lessons in Bhagavad Gita together with saintly guidance will help you through life with a strong conviction in devotion to Krishna. This is an introductory course that will prepare you for a later intense study of the Bhagavad Gita as part of the Bhakti Sastri Degree.

- This is an introductory course and therefore there are no pre-requisites.
- You require the book, *Bhagavad Gita As It Is*.
- The course fee is R70-00, payable during registration at the first session.
- Completion of assignments and a minimum of 80% attendance is required to obtain credit for this course.

Area	Venue	Day and Time	Teacher	Phone
Chatsworth	Sri Sri Radha Radhanath Temple College Room Commencing 07 March 2024	Thursdays 19:00-21:00	Lilavata Gaura Das	0844106769
Online (any area)	Online Course Commencing 27 April 2024	Saturdays 16:30 – 18:30	Madhava Das	0746010061
Hillary	38, 4 <sup>th</sup> Street, Hillary Commencing 04 May 2024	Saturdays 16:00 - 18:00	Alanath Das	0837752760
Chatsworth	Sri Sri Radha Radhanath Temple College Room Commencing 12 July 2024	Fridays 19:00-21:00	Lilavata Gaura Das	0844106769
Online (any area)	Online Course Commencing 18 August 2024	Sundays 17:00 - 19:00	Vaisnava-priya Devi Dasi	0784428080
Any area (based on need/demand)	If a suitable number of students in an area are interested, a class can be constituted	To be confirmed	Smta Krsna Das	0844020251

## 3. Overview of 'Nectar of Instruction' (1 x 3 hour session)

- There are no pre-requisites for this course.
- You require the book, *Nectar of Instruction*.
- The course fee is R20-00, payable on the day of the course.

Area	Venue	Day and Time	Teacher	Phone
Online (any area)	Online Course 13 & 20 April 2024	Saturdays 16:30 – 18:00	Madhava Das	0746010061
Chatsworth	Sri Sri Radha Radhanath Temple Srila Prabhupada's Room 04 May 2024	Saturday 13:00 - 16:00	Raghunath Bhatta Das	0826140335
Online (any area)	Online Course 05 & 12 May 2024	Sundays 17:00 - 19:00	Vaisnava-priya Devi Dasi	0784428080
Chatsworth	Sri Sri Radha Radhanath Temple Srila Prabhupada's Room 01 June 2024	Saturday 13:00 - 16:00	Raghunath Bhatta Das	0826140335

## 4. Overview of 'Sri Isopanisad' (2 x 2 hour sessions)

- There are no pre-requisites for this course.
- You require the book, *Sri-Isopanisad*.
- The course fee is R30-00 payable during registration at the first session.

Area	Venue	Day and Time	Teacher	Phone
Online (any area)	Online Course 10 & 17 March 2024	Sundays 17:00 - 19:00	Vaisnava-priya Devi Dasi	0784428080
Chatsworth	Sri Sri Radha Radhanath Temple Srila Prabhupada's Room 11 & 18 May 2024	Saturday 14:00 - 16:00	Raghunath Bhatta Das	0826140335
Chatsworth	Sri Sri Radha Radhanath Temple Srila Prabhupada's Room 06 & 13 July 2024	Saturday 14:00 - 16:00	Raghunath Bhatta Das	0826140335

## 5. Overview of 'Nectar of Devotion' (3 x 2 hour sessions)

- There are no pre-requisites for this course.
- You require the book, *Nectar of Devotion*.
- The course fee is R50-00 payable during registration at the first session.

Area	Venue	Day and Time	Teacher	Phone
Chatsworth	Sri Sri Radha Radhanath Temple Srila Prabhupada's Room 06, 13 & 20 April 2024	Saturday 14:00 - 16:00	Radhika Sundari Dasi	0836115194
Chatsworth	Sri Sri Radha Radhanath Temple Srila Prabhupada's Room 15, 22 & 29 June 2024	Saturday 14:00 - 16:00	Radhika Sundari Dasi	0836115194
Online (any area)	Online Course 02, 09 & 16 August 2024	Fridays 14:00 - 16:00	Ranga Devi Dasi	031-4033328 0715579448

## 6. Bhakti Sastri Degree

- The *Bhakti Sadacara Certificate* is a pre-requisite for the Bhakti Sastri degree.
- The *Overview of Bhagavad Gita* course is recommended but is not a compulsory pre-requisite for the *Bhakti Sastri* degree.
- The *Bhakti Sastri* degree is composed of 5 modules which are as follows:

Module No.	Name of Module	Number of Sessions
1	Bhagavad-gita As It Is: Chapters 1-6	18 x 2 hours
2	Bhagavad-gita As It Is: Chapters 7-12	14 x 2 hours
3	Bhagavad-gita As It Is: Chapters 13-18	12 x 2 hours
4	Nectar of Devotion	14 x 2 hours
5	Sri Isopanisad & Nectar of Instruction	16 x 2 hours

- As you undertake each module and fulfil the assessment requirements, you will receive credit/certificate for that module. You may then pursue each of the other modules as they are offered.
- You may study the modules in any order, but Modules 1, 2 and 3 must be studied in that sequence.
- Various criteria must be fulfilled to obtain credit for each module. Amongst others, it includes open book and closed book assessments, your spiritual practice as well as a minimum of 80% attendance.
- The open book assessment comprises the submission of an assignment.
- The closed book assessments will contain a selection of questions from the question bank provided in the study guide as well as a knowledge of the relevant verses and analogies.
- You must receive an overall score per module of 65% and over.
- When you have fulfilled the requirements of all FIVE modules and are chanting 16 rounds daily, you will be awarded the *Bhakti Sastri* degree. You will receive an international certificate to this effect.
- This year, the following modules are being offered:

### Module 1 – Bhagavad Gita (Chapters 1-6)

- You require the book, *Bhagavad Gita As It Is*.
- The course fee is R100-00, payable during registration at the first session.

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Chatsworth	Sri Sri Radha Radhanath Temple College Room Commencing 05 March 2024	Tuesdays 18:00 - 20:00	Lilavatar Gaura Das	0844106769
Online (any area)	Online Commencing 11 March 2024	Mondays 18:00 - 20:00	Ranga Devi Dasi	0715579448
Chatsworth	Sri Sri Radha Radhanath Temple College Room Commencing 06 July 2024	Saturdays 14:00 - 16:00	Jaisacinandana Das	0837773328
Online (any area)	Online Commencing 20 July 2024	Saturday 14:00 - 16:00	Raghunath Bhatta Das	0826140335

## Module 2 – Bhagavad Gita (Chapters 7-12)

- You must have completed Module 1 – Bhagavad Gita (Chapters 1-6).
- You require the book, *Bhagavad Gita As It Is*.
- The course fee is R100-00, payable during registration at the first session.

Area	Venue	Day and Time	Teacher	Phone
Chatsworth	Sri Sri Radha Radhanath Temple College Room Commencing 10 March 2024	Sundays 14:00 - 16:00	Jaisacinandana Das	0837773328
Chatsworth	Sri Sri Radha Radhanath Temple College Room Commencing 11 July 2024	Thursdays 18:00 - 20:00	Lilavatar Gaura Das	0844106769

## Module 3 – Bhagavad Gita (Chapters 13-18)

- You must have completed Module 2 – Bhagavad Gita (Chapters 7-12).
- You require the book, *Bhagavad Gita As It Is*.
- The course fee is R100-00, payable during registration at the first session.

Area	Venue	Day and Time	Teacher	Phone
Chatsworth	Sri Sri Radha Radhanath Temple College Room Commencing 16 March 2024	Wednesdays 18:00 - 20:00	Radha Vallabha Das	0832782714
Chatsworth	Sri Sri Radha Radhanath Temple College Room Commencing 28 July 2024	Sundays 14:00 - 16:00	Jaisacinandana Das	0837773328

## Module 4 – Nectar of Devotion

- You require the book, *Nectar of Devotion*.
- You may begin the Bhakti Sastri degree with this module and then go on to other modules.
- The course fee is R100-00, payable during registration at the first session.

Area	Venue	Day and Time	Teacher	Phone
Online (any area)	Online Course Commencing 02 March 2024	Saturdays 16:00 - 18:00	Smta Krsna Das	0844020251
Online (any area)	Online Course Commencing 07 April 2024	Sundays 17:00 - 19:00	Vaisnava-priya Devi Dasi	0784428080
Chatsworth	Sri Sri Radha Radhanath Temple College Room Commencing 26 July 2024	Fridays 18:00 - 20:00	Radha Vallabha Das	0832782714

## Module 5 – Sri Isopanisad/Nectar of Instruction

- You require the following books:
  - *Sri Isopanisad*
  - *Nectar of Instruction*
- You may begin the Bhakti Sastri degree with this module and then go on to other modules.
- The course fee is R100-00, payable during registration at the first session.

Area	Venue	Day and Time	Teacher	Phone
Online (any area)	Online Commencing 10 March 2024	Sundays 15:00 - 17:00	Ranga Devi Dasi	0715579448
Chatsworth	Sri Sri Radha Radhanath Temple College Room Commencing 07 July 2024	Sundays 14:00 - 16:00	Radhika Sundari Dasi	0836115194

## 7. Children's Courses (30 x 1 ½ hour sessions)

- Courses are offered according to age groups.
- The course duration is one year (30 weeks x 1½ hour lessons).
- The cost for the course is R100-00 per year.
- A minimum of 80% attendance is required to obtain credit for this course.
- Parents are requested to register their children on the first day.

Age Group	Venue	Day and time	Teacher	Phone
Madhava (6-8 years)	Sri Sri Radha Radhanath Temple Sri Prabhupada's Room	Sundays at 11:00 Commencing 03 March 2024	Sunieka Munilall	0842891749
Damodara (9-11 years)	Sri Sri Radha Radhanath Temple College Room	Sundays at 11:00 Commencing 03 March 2024	Gundica Devi Dasi	0614920541
Madan Mohan (12-14 years)	Sri Sri Radha Radhanath Temple College Room	Sundays at 11:00 Commencing 03 March 2024	Gundica Devi Dasi	0614920541

## 8. Overview of 'Bhagavad Gita As It Is' & 'Prabhupada Lilamrta' (30 x 1 ½ hour sessions)

- This course is designed for the youth (15-17 years).
- The course consists of 2 modules as follows:
  - Overview of *Bhagavad Gita As It Is*
  - Overview of *Prabhupada Lilamrta*
- There are no pre-requisites for this course.
- You require the book, *Bhagavad Gita As It Is*.
- The course fee is R100-00.

Age Group	Venue	Day and time	Teacher	Phone
Youth (15-17 years)	Online (Any area)	Fridays 16:00 – 17:30 Commencing 08 March 2024	Radhika Sundari Dasi	0836115194

To register for any of the courses in this prospectus, please scan this QR code.



For further information please contact:

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## Graduates from 2023

<b>Madhava Class</b>					
Gopika Manjari	Ramkissoon	Bal Krishna	Narshai	Hritika	Sewpersad
Palani Pivari	Govender	Bhagavati Seva	Dasi	Iksha	Maharaj
<b>Damodar Class</b>		Bhakti Rasayan	Dasi	Indira	Maharaj
Joshua Nehemiah	Govender	Bhanu	Khoosal	Isha	Stevens
Liam Lee	Perumal	Bhavna	Deeplal	Ishara	Mohangi
Radhe-Shyam	Munnilal	Bhavna	Vallabh	Ishmiel	Vishnu
Yadav	Pillay	Bhimal	Nameekumar	Jahnava	Kripa Devi Dasi
Yoshante	Mudaly	Caranarenu	Devi Dasi	Jantilall	Ramkussan
<b>Overview of Bhagavad Gita</b>		Chandini	Harrisunker	Jayalutchmee	Naidoo
Aarthi	Dhawpaul	Chandrakantha	Das	Jessica	Leonard
Aashna	Bissoon	Chandrika	Mehilal	Jessica	Leonard
Abhay	Haripaul	Charisha	Butho	John	Pillay
Abhay	Ramadeen	Codruta Mihaela	Mos	Julie	Seetul
Abhay	Ramraj	Cristine	Panday	Jyothika	Persadh
Akhil	Gangaram	Daksha	Patel	Kameeshka	Rambridge
Al-haadia Qausar	Shaik	Darshen	Naidoo	Kanhaiya	Singh
Alisha	Maharaj	Dayal Kumar	Bhowani Bux	Kareeshma	Gayaparsad
Anandamrita	Dasi	Deandra	Moonamy	Karthigasen	Pillay
Ananta	Reddy	Dereshan	Moodley	Kasavan	Naidoo
Andrisha	Beharry- Ramraj	Dereshan	Moodley	Kenny	Govender
Anesh	Deeplal	Derisha	Sookraj	Keshav	Sudama
Anika	Seevnarain	Devavrata	Das	Keshree	Ramadeen
Anilan	Hirasen	Devigie	Mudaly	Khamlesh	Soni
Annie	Naido	Devigie	Mudaly	Khesi Ghata	Dasa
Arti	Ichharam	Devina	Nadasen	Kisori Radhe	Devi Dasi
Aryamala	Poonsammy	Dewran	Ganesh	Kival	Deeplal
Asha	Govender	Dhiren	Ramadeen	Krishna Kishore	Das
Ashan Prem	Baboolall	Dhiya	Ramadeen	Krishna Priya	Dhawpaul
Ashlin	Ellan	Diyani	Bissoon	Krishna Priya	Dasi
Ashnie	Mahadew	Evashni Karen	Govender	Krishnavelli	Naidoo
Ashok	Seetul	Gandaki	Dasi	Kubashnee	Nair
Ashvika	Bhola-Vishnu	Gaurangi	Devi Dasi	Kunjha Sevika	Devi Dasi
Ashwin	Sookhun	Gaurangi	Sookdeo	Kunthie	Bhikam
Avani	Manilal	Gayathree	Harrichand	Kunti	Dasi
Avinash	Deeplal	Glen	Harrisunker	Leeann	Govender
Avinash	Arejune	Gopijana	Das	Leesha	Maharaj
Babu	Sewpersad	Guru-Sevika	Dasi	Linga	Moodliar
		Hanusha	Naidoo	Logan	Govender
		Hari Bhakti	Dasi	Madhu	Radha
		Harish	Sunthpaul	Madhu Pati	Das
		Heema	Gopee	Madurya Bhakti	Dasi

Maha Laksmi	Devi Dasi	Radha Dyuti	Dasi	Sangeetha	Sewpersad
Mahaprasad	Das	Radhika	Devi Dasi	Sankar	Ramadeen
Maliga	Bissessur	Radhika	Kripa	Saraspathieamma	N
Malini	Dasi	Rahul	Sewpersad	N	Naiker
Manusha	Singh	Rajen Mohan	Singh	Saraswathie	Singh
Maya	Oodith	Rajendra	Maharaj	Serena	Naidoo
Mayapur	Das	Rajendri	Naidoo	Serena	Naidoo
Meena	Khoosal	Rajesh	Haripersad	Shabeena	Deeplal
Meesha	Nameekumar	Rajesh	Thool	Shabnam	Aslam
Melissa	Ramnarain	Raksha	Gosai	Shalina	Bhowani Bux
Merisha	Bhagwan	Ramatirtha	Das	Shamilla	Subramanien
Mikhile	Bissoon	Ramayee	Reddy	Shanika	Rajkomar
Mita	Sudama	Ramchandra	Arejune	Shareen	Foolchand
Mohan	Narsingh	Ramesh	Nurbadh	Sharoma	Bhana
Monica	Sewpersad	Ramleela	Devi Dasi	Sharoma	Bhana
Natasha	Govender	Rathnasami	Iyer	Shatrughna	Das
Natashia (Navayauvani)	Singh	Raval	Raghnath	Shawn	Wehsling
Nav Kishori	Devi Dasi	Reena	Rehman	Sheila	Seonanan
Neerasha	Naidoo	Reesha	Dhane	Shenreka	Ramraj
Neha	Bhagwan	Reka	Haripersad	Shilene	Sewnarayan
Nereen (Nityanandi Devi Dasi)	Rajnarain	Renu	Moonilal	Shivani Leila	Konar
Nerisha	Bissoon	Renuka	Harisaran	Shravan	Bhana
Netania-Kiara	Ponnen	Renusha	Dhane	Shreya	Naidoo
Nilacala devi	Devi Dasi	Reshma	Ramraj	Shyama Priya	Dhawpaul
Nirvana	Balraj	Revania	Naidoo	Sitarani	Devi Dasi
Nisha	Jugnath	Ridhima	Dhaniram	Siyabonga	Mbanjwa
Nishani	Rampal	Rita	Sewsancaran	Subadra	Devi Dasi
Nishen	Deeplal	Rivash	Persad	Subhadra	Manichand
Padmavati	Devi Dasi	Roanne	Armoogum	Sudarshan Dhari	Das
Paramatma	Das	Rohan Y	Bhagwan	Sudeshnee	Rajkumar
Prabhavati	Devi Dasi	Romalin	Pather	Suhail	Gangaram
Pragashnie	Moodley	Romilla	Persad	Sujaal	Premjith
Prahlad	Dhawpaul	Rookmin	Sewbhajan	Sukadeva Gosvami	Das
Prakash	Bissoon	Rookmoney	Naidoo	Sulakshana	Devi Dasi
Praveen	Gosai	Daphne	Naidoo	Sulochana	Naidoo
Precilla	Archary	Rosh	Kandhai	Sumanah	Devi Dasi
Preeth	Singh	Rosina	Devhiechund	Sunayna	Pravin
Pregashnie	Mannar	Roslyn	Sookdeo	Suniel	Hari
Preisha	Singh	Roy	Hari	Sunitha	Dhane
Premilla	Gangaram	Roy	Sajiwan	Suran	Jagrop
Prethisha	Bhagwan	Rupà Raghunatha	Das	Suveer	Amikachandar
Radha Bhakti	Devi Dasi	Ryan	Mark	Syama	Rati
		Saigal	Inderpal	Tara	Talati

Tara-Leigh	Sassin	Sunieka	Munnilal	<b>Bhakti Sastri - Module 1</b>	
Tārana Caitanya	Das	Urvashie	Gopal	Induprabha	Devi Dasi
Tejal	Rajkoomar	Yusheer	Panchoo	Sujith	Sampath
Tejini	Padalkar	<b>Overview of Nectar of Instruction</b>			
Terishka	Devanan	Ananta	Reddy	Verushka	Naicker
Thashalen	Naidoo	Bhakti Rasayan	Dasi	Viren	Bishun
Tina	Kalideen	Hansueree	Kalideen	Vishvarupa	Das
Toshan Krsna	Das	Indira	Maharaj	<b>Bhakti Sastri - Module 2</b>	
Trevor	Perkins	Rekha	Pillay	Anniruth	Jaikarun
Umeka	Rooplal	Sadhna	Lalla	Rajendra	Bachoo
Umesh	Naidoo	Sangitarani	Dasi	Seetha	Jaikarun
Vaisnavi Carana	Devi Dasi	Shakti	Krishnan	Vinay	Chatterpersad
Vasantha	Govender	Venu	Naicker	<b>Bhakti Sastri - Module 4</b>	
Vasanthie	Govender	<b>Bhakti Sadacara Certificate (Vedic Philosophy &amp; Practice)</b>			
Vernon	Naidoo	Akshay	Sewgolam	Avanash	Khelawan
Verona	Naidu	Alisha	Maharaj	Braja Sevaki	Devi Dasi
Vijen	Dhawpaul	Gaurangi Ekadasi	Naicker	George	Cook
Vinesh Moonasar	Bhola	Devi Dasi	Naicker	Tilakini	Dasi
Vineshree	Thool	Giridhar Aditya	Munnilal	<b>Bhakti Sastri - Module 5</b>	
Vrajapriya	Devi Dasi	Jantilall	Ramkussan	Kubashnee	Nair
Yasmin	Dhunraj	Keshika	Govender	<b>Bhakti Sastri - Modules 1&amp;4</b>	
Yeshwanth G	Bhagwan	Kubashnee	Nair	Nischay	Sewnarain
<b>Overview of Sri Isopanisad</b>					
Akrura	Das	Meera	Devi	<b>Bhakti Sastri - Modules 4&amp;5</b>	
Ananta	Reddy	Nayana Manjari	Devi Dasi	Dharmaksetra	Das
Anusha	Nagesar	Nerissa	Naidoo	Kisori Radhe	Devi Dasi
Bhakti Rasayan	Dasi	Nitai Yadhav	Munnilal	Krishnaloka	Devi Dasi
Bhaktiparsad	Das	Olica	Maniram	Rasarani	Devi Dasi
Dayawanthie	Panchoo	Preyoshanie	Sadasivan	Sukadev Goswami	Das
Gopal Manohar	Das	Roshima	Maharaj	Tina Hansueree	Kalideen
Jai Radhe	Dasi	Sabita	Mansingh	Toshan Krsna	Das
Hansueree	Kalideen	Sadhna	Lalla	<b>Bhakti Sastri - Modules 1,4&amp;5</b>	
Kamala-sundari	Dasi	Shalina	Bhowani Bux	Priya Radhika	Dasi
Kogie	Nagesar	Shanell	Vishnu	Rajasekhara	Das
Kubashnee	Nair	Shyaam Krishnam	Maharaj		
Prabha Devi	Poorai	Sovina	Deeplall		
Prithiveraj	Panchoo	Sunayna Pravin	Durga		
Radhika-priya	Dasi	Varsha	Pillay		
Ruvash	Munnilal	Varshana	Sewparsadh		
Saci	Devi Dasi	Vedavyasa	Das		
Sagree	Nagesar				
Sitaluxmi	Devi Dasi				