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**BIBLE COLLEGE SA**

## PRINCIPAL'S WELCOME



Welcome to Bible College SA

Our passion is to equip believers to serve Jesus in Adelaide, Australia and beyond so that lives can be transformed by Christ. We believe that studying God's word in scripture is more than gaining information; it is about not being conformed to this world, and being renewed through the transformation of our minds, and through our minds, our lives.

In this booklet, you will find information about our mission as a College and how you can be equipped to take your part in bringing the gospel of Jesus Christ to our dying world. You will find information about course pathways and the philosophy underlying our commitment as a College.

We pray that as you consider the pathway of study suited to your circumstances and purpose, God will use this opportunity to transform you as a disciple of Jesus and equip you to serve him wherever he may lead.

If you have any questions, we would love to talk to you.

Yours in Christ,

Rev Dr Tim Patrick  
Principal



## THE MISSION OF BIBLE COLLEGE SA

Our mission is to serve God and his church, both locally and globally, by sending out godly and transformed gospel workers who are trained to take the world captive for Christ.

We aim to accomplish our mission by four key strategies:

- Providing an in-depth and applied study of the Bible as the Word of God.
- Deepening love for and obedience to the Lord Jesus Christ both individually and corporately as a community of God's people.
- Developing practical skills and pastoral wisdom for the context of gospel ministry
- Training in the proclamation of the gospel within and across cultures in both local and global contexts.

The Bible College of South Australia is orthodox in faith, evangelical in outlook, evangelistic in emphasis and interdenominational in character.

The following fundamentals are strictly held:

- We believe in the Old and New Testaments as inspired of God and wholly trustworthy, and that they are of supreme and final authority in faith and life.
- We believe in one God, eternally existing in three persons – Father, Son and Holy Spirit.
- We believe that Jesus Christ was begotten of the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary, and is true God and true man inseparably joined in one person for ever.
- We believe that man was created in the image of God, that he sinned and thereby incurred not only physical death, but also that spiritual death which is separation from God; and that all have sinned and fallen short of the glory of God.

## WHAT WE BELIEVE

- We believe in the personality of the devil and the universality and heinousness of sin.
- We believe that the Lord Jesus Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures as a substitutionary sacrifice; and that all who believe in him are justified on the grounds of his shed blood.
- We believe that salvation is by grace through faith, and that all who by faith receive the Lord Jesus Christ are born again of the Holy Spirit, and thereby become children of God.
- We believe in the physical resurrection of our Lord, in his ascension into Heaven, and in his present life there for us, as High Priest and Advocate.
- We believe in the return of our Lord Jesus Christ to gather his elect, to manifest his Kingdom in power and glory, and to judge the world in righteousness.
- We believe in the bodily resurrection of the just and the unjust, the everlasting blessedness of the saved, and the everlasting punishment of the impenitent.
- We believe that the Church is the company of all who have been born again through faith in Christ and have been formed by his Spirit into one body, of which he is the Head, and that the Church is commissioned to go into all the world and proclaim the good news of salvation.

## OUR TRAINING STRATEGY

Bible College SA is about equipping and preparing believers to serve Jesus in their ministry and mission contexts. As our name implies, we believe that the vital "first step" in this preparation is a thorough grounding in the Scriptures and the development of skills that enable better use and understanding of God's word both in our personal lives and as we seek to serve him.

The following table outlines the building blocks of theological education and how each component relates to the areas of study.

<b>BIBLE</b>	Build a framework on which to better understand the Bible through a knowledge of the background and context and an appreciation of God's message not only for the original recipients but also for ourselves today. Develop skills for better understanding and applying Scripture through close study of various parts of the Bible (e.g. "exegetical" skills)	<i>OT Intro</i> <i>NT Intro</i> <i>Hermeneutics</i> <i>Exegesis</i> <i>Greek</i> <i>Hebrew</i>
<b>THEOLOGY</b>	Appreciate the lessons of the past and understand their relevance for today including the history of the Christian Church and the development of Christian thinking over the centuries. Thinking through beliefs and understandings. Theology classes systematically look at the doctrines of the Christian faith.	<i>Church History</i> <i>Theology</i> <i>Ethics</i>
<b>MINISTRY</b>	Develop "core" skills that set one up for lifelong gospel ministry. Included in these is the ability to lead and care for people, worship and preaching. Develop lifelong disciplines that encourage continued personal spiritual growth and self awareness. College graduates need to be people who lead by example and demonstrate Godly living.	<i>Practical Ministry</i> <i>Ministry Formation</i> <i>Personal Spiritual Formation</i>

Through the foundation of biblical studies and the above building blocks of theological education, we aim to equip our students with the following skills:

#### FOUNDATIONAL BIBLICAL AND THEOLOGICAL SKILLS

The ability to responsibly interpret and meaningfully apply Scripture in the contemporary context.

The ability to articulate and defend foundational Christian doctrines and to identify their implications for contemporary Christian living.

The ability to reflect theologically on contemporary society.

#### FOUNDATIONAL MINISTRY SKILLS

The skills for composing and delivering a biblical message in public worship.

The skills for composing and presenting biblical teaching in a small group setting such as a home Bible study group.

The ability to articulate the gospel plainly, accurately and contextually. This includes the ability to identify the needs of the target group which may facilitate communication of the gospel.

The ability to self-evaluate ministry activities.

The ability to address ethical issues biblically.

The skills for discipling someone to greater maturity in Christ.

We are affiliated with the Australian College of Theology (ACT) which is an Australian government approved higher education provider, offering awards at AQF (Australian Qualifications Framework) levels 5 - 10, and leading and fostering a robust consortium of independent affiliated colleges, which actively engage in scholarship and collaborate in the provision of theological education. The affiliation with the ACT equips people to faithfully serve God's church and God's world primarily by the provision of quality-assured courses in theology and ministry.

The ACT currently have 16 denominational and inter denominational colleges located across Australia. These colleges are represented at all levels of ACT governance.



Our full-time study program is holistic and aims to equip students with the ability to contextualise their learning into their mission and ministry contexts. The program purposefully brings together a growing understanding of God's word in Scripture, the development of skills in logic and reasoning, and the sharpening of ministry skills, with a view to helping disciples of Jesus to grow in maturity.

Moreover, we believe that we learn better in community with one another so that as 'iron sharpens iron, so we sharpen one another'. To this end, the full-time program encourages students to engage within the spiritual-academic community of Bible College SA. This involves fellowship together as a worshipping community where God's Word is central, sharing in prayer days together, and setting apart each Thursday afternoon to gather as a student body for interactive ministry developments sessions. By these means, the full-time study program at Bible College SA is designed to be life-changing and to equip men and women for life-long learning.

## STUDYING FULL-TIME

Involvement in full-time study encompasses:

- 3-4 units per semester
- Chapel each Tuesday morning.
- Being sharpened together in the interactive ministry development sessions each Wednesday afternoon.
- Gathering with faculty and students for prayer days each term (Wednesday)
- Joining a prayer triplet with fellow students
- Formation Retreat



Our study program aims to help students integrate biblical understanding, ministry skills and personal formation.

So we offer students the Certificate in Ministry Formation to recognise how students have been involved in this process of integrating theology for life and ministry.

## CERTIFICATE IN MINISTRY FORMATION

Because full-time study entails participation in the community life of Bible College SA as part of the course requirements, an applicant for full-time study would normally be twenty two years of age or older and must meet the following criteria. He/she:

- Is a professing Christian who can demonstrate this by, among other things, being able to give an adequate account of personally coming to faith in Christ as Lord and Saviour.
- Is in satisfactory fellowship with an established Christian congregation.
- Is commended to Bible College SA through written references provided by the applicant's minister and at least one other mature Christian.
- Is able to demonstrate an ability to cope with the academic demands of the chosen program of study as a full-time student.
- Has read Bible College SA's Statement of Faith and is willing to participate in Bible College SA life on the understanding that Bible College SA operates within the parameters of that Statement.
- Accepts the requirements of the spiritual development program of Bible College SA.
- Demonstrates sufficient spiritual maturity to adequately benefit from the full-time program.
- Is able to demonstrate that the chosen means of financing full-time study will not hinder his/her ability to meet the full requirements of the academic program and community life of Bible College SA.

All who are interested in full-time study or who have questions about the full-time program are invited to make an appointment with the Registrar for further information. We recommend that if you are training for vocational Christian ministry whether in a local church context, in overseas mission, church-planting, or for a para-church organization such as AFES, we would strongly encourage you to make the next three years a priority in studying full-time and making the most of your time studying at College that God has given to you.

The Certificate in Ministry Formation is designed to complement the ACT awards we offer. It has been designed with the support of denominations, mission agencies and parachurch groups.

There are two major components to the Certificate in Ministry Formation:

### **Part A - Personal Formation**

### **Part B - Ministry Formation**

In 2021, Part A and Part B will be covered on Wednesday afternoons.

**Part A** covers issues such as Holiness, Suffering, Character, Prayer (including our Prayer Days each term), Godly Household, Worshipping Disciple (including College Chapel and Spiritual Retreats).

**Part B** includes formation in Growing New Leadership, Dealing with Conflict, Connecting Theology and Life, Sexuality, Finances, How to Run a Church, Other Faiths, Children's Ministry and Dealing with Grief.

The learning approach for the Certificate in Ministry Formation is broad. It involves interaction with other students and faculty, personal reflection and growing self-awareness, excursions to relevant ministry contexts as well as appropriate written and visual resources. A small assessment piece is required for each of the topics in Part B. It is anticipated that students will complete the Certificate with a set of resources ready for them to use in ministry (e.g.: a set of Bible studies on personal conflict; a strategy document for fund raising).

## STUDENT FEES



Bible College SA is an affiliated college of the Australian College of Theology (ACT). The tuition fees are set by ACT on an annual basis. More information about tuition fees is available at <https://www.actheology.edu.au/tuition-fees>.

All students are charged the Bible College SA unit level fee shown in the table below.

2021 Fees are as follows:

UNIT LEVEL	AQF LEVELS	BIBLE COLLEGE SA UNIT FEE
Degree	Level 5 to 7	\$2,904 (per unit)
Graduate	Level 6 to 8 Level 9	\$2,904 (per unit) Depended on number of credit points

**Note:** To check more details regarding the levels please refer <https://www.aqf.edu.au/aqf-levels>

The total fee payable by a full-time student is the sum of the Bible College SA unit fees. As a guide, the normal full-time load is four units per semester or eight units for the year.

**The full-time fee for the year will then be: \$23,232 pa.**

We do not offer scholarships at Bible College SA.

## COURSE INFORMATION

Bible College SA offers a range of courses that are fully accredited by the Australian College of Theology (ACT). The Australian College of Theology is the oldest and largest theological education body in Australia with highly regarded degrees both nationally and overseas. Our courses range in length from one year to four years and are flexible to suit the contexts and lives of our students.

The following AQF (Australian Qualifications Framework) levels of study are available for overseas students:

- AQF Level 7** – Bachelor of Theology / Ministry
- 8** – Graduate Diploma of Divinity
- 9** – Master of Divinity / Master of Theological Studies

Each course is structured under ten fields of study. The following table will help you navigate through the course information by outlining the field of study with its code.

BIBLE AND LANGUAGE	
BB	Biblical Studies
LA	Languages
OT	Old Testament
NT	New Testament
CHRISTIAN THOUGHT	
TH	Theology
CH	Church History
PE	Philosophy / Ethics
MINISTRY AND PRACTICE	
EM	Evangelism and Missiology
PC	Pastoral and Church Focussed Ministry
DM	Developmental Ministries (Children, Youth and Education)

Each course consists of a set number of subjects or units, brief descriptions of which are at the back of this Handbook.

In the following sections, you will find first an overview of the courses offered by Bible College SA and secondly a more in-depth pathway through each course.

# AN OVERVIEW OF OUR ON-CAMPUS COURSES

## DEGREES

*Purpose: professional awards providing a solid foundation in biblical and theological studies and in the theory and practice of ministry skills*

Bachelor of Theology (3 years equivalent full-time)	Provides a thorough foundation in biblical studies and Christian theology for a well-informed teaching ministry.
Bachelor of Ministry (3 years equivalent full-time)	Similar to the BTh but with more focus on the theory and practice of ministry skills and less on biblical studies.

## GRADUATE STUDY

*Suitable for personal spiritual growth and as a foundation for ministry within local church*

Graduate Diploma of Divinity (1 year equivalent full-time)	A basic theological and biblical foundation for graduates in other disciplines for a better-informed personal ministry.
Master of Divinity (3 years equivalent full-time)	Provides a thorough foundation in biblical studies (inc. at least one biblical language) and Christian theology for a well-informed teaching ministry.
Master of Theological Studies (2 years equivalent full-time)	Provides a thorough foundation in biblical studies, Christian theology, practical ministry and an introduction to the research principles and methods applicable to the specialized study of the theological disciplines. The MTS may be used as a professional development award.

## 1. BACHELOR OF THEOLOGY (AQF LEVEL 7, ACT COURSE CODE BTH20) - 3 YEARS FULL-TIME

The Bachelor of Theology (BTh) provides a thorough foundation in Biblical Studies and Christian Theology for professional ministry and/or for further academic study.

### PREREQUISITES

**ATAR:** Completion of Year 12 with an ATAR of 65 or above; OR

**Previous Qualifications:** Successful completion of a qualification at AQF Level 5 or above; OR

**Demonstrate Academic Suitability for course:** Test, Brief Essay, or Interview.

**Language Qualifications for NESB:** IELTS 6.5 overall with minimum of 6.5 in each subtest OR 10 years English in country experience.

Time limit: 9 years

BCSA RECOMMENDED UNITS (See ACT website for ACT requirements)		
FIELD	UNITS	CREDIT POINTS (CPS)
Languages	<b>Two of</b> LA005, LA006, LA003 or LA004	24
New Testament	NT001, NT002	24
Old Testament	OT001, OT002	24
Church History	CH001, CH002	24
Biblical Studies	BB002	12
Biblical Exegesis	<b>Five of</b> NT009 <sup>3</sup> , NT025 <sup>3</sup> , NT027 <sup>3</sup> , OT008, OT020, or OT022	60
Theology/Ethics	<b>Four of</b> TH001, TH002, TH003, TH004, PE002	48
Other Units	Six units from any field at AQF level 5 or above	72
<b>TOTAL CREDIT POINTS REQUIRED</b>		<b>288</b>

- Notes:**
1. A maximum of 12 units at AQF level 5 and at least 6 units at AQF level 7 or above.
  2. For unit offerings in each field and descriptions refer the Appendix
  3. Units will be replaced with the English exegesis equivalents NT008, NT024 and NT026 if a mark of 70% is not obtained in LA006. If special circumstances apply, a student may apply to the Academic Dean for permission to do Greek Exegesis.

## 2. BACHELOR OF MINISTRY (AQF LEVEL 7, ACT COURSE CODE BMIN20) - 3 YEARS FULL-TIME

The Bachelor of Ministry (BMin) course prepares men and women for professional Christian service. The course integrates biblical and theological study with reflection, ministry skills, and spiritual development.

### PREREQUISITES

**ATAR:** Completion of Year 12 with an ATAR of 65 or above; OR

**Previous Qualifications:** Successful completion of a qualification at AQF Level 5 or above; OR

**Demonstrate Academic Suitability for course:** Test, Brief Essay, or Interview.

**Language Qualifications for NESB:** IELTS 6.5 overall with minimum of 6.5 in each subtest OR 10 years English in country experience.

Time limit: 9 years

BCSA RECOMMENDED UNITS (See ACT website for ACT requirements)		
FIELD	UNITS	CREDIT POINTS (CPS)
New Testament	NT001, NT002	24
Old Testament	OT001, OT002	24
Church History	CH001, CH002	24
Biblical Exegesis	<b>Three of</b> NT008, NT024, NT026, OT008, OT020, or OT022	36
Theology/Ethics	<b>Three of</b> TH001, TH002, TH003, TH004, PE002	36
Ministry & Practice (EM/PC/DM)	<b>Six</b> units at level 5 or above drawn from at least <b>two different fields</b>	72
Other Units	<b>Six</b> units from any field at AQF level 5 or above	72
<b>TOTAL CREDIT POINTS REQUIRED</b>		<b>288</b>

- Notes:** 1. A maximum of 12 units at AQF level 5 and 6 units at least at AQF level 7 or above.  
2. For unit offerings in each field and descriptions refer the Appendix

## 3. GRADUATE DIPLOMA OF DIVINITY (AQF LEVEL 8, ACT COURSE CODE GDDIV20) - 1 YEAR FULL-TIME

The Graduate Diploma of Divinity (GradDipDiv) is a program for graduates with no formal qualifications in theological studies who want to gain a good working knowledge of the biblical and theological foundations of the Christian faith and be able to serve the churches by communicating this knowledge to others.

### PREREQUISITES

**Academic Qualifications:** Bachelor degree or equivalent

**Language Qualifications for NESB:** IELTS 7.0 overall with a minimum of 7.0 in reading and writing, and 6.5 in listening and speaking OR 10 years in country experience

Time limit: 4 years

BCSA RECOMMENDED UNITS (See ACT website for ACT requirements)		
FIELD	UNITS	CREDIT POINTS (CPS)
Bible (OT/NT/BB)	<b>Two of</b> NT001, NT002, OT001, OT002, BB002	24
Christian Thought (TH/CH/PE)	<b>One of</b> CH001, CH002, TH001, TH002, TH003, TH004, PE002	12
Other Units	<b>Five</b> units from any field at AQF level 7 or above plus languages.	60
<b>TOTAL CREDIT POINTS REQUIRED</b>		<b>96</b>

- Notes:** 1. All units at AQF level 7 with at least 3 units at AQF level 8 or above  
2. For unit offerings in each field and descriptions refer the Appendix



#### 4. MASTER OF DIVINITY (AQF LEVEL 9, ACT COURSE CODE MDIV20) - 3 YEARS FULL-TIME

The Master of Divinity is a graduate award that provides a thorough foundation in Biblical Studies and Christian Theology for professional ministry and/or for further academic study.

##### PREREQUISITES

**Academic Qualifications:** Non-theological bachelor degree or equivalent

**Language Qualifications for NESB:** IELTS 7.0 overall with a minimum of 7.0 in reading and writing, and 6.5 in listening and speaking OR 10 years in country experience

Time limit: 9 years

BCSA RECOMMENDED UNITS (See ACT website for ACT requirements)		
FIELD	UNITS	CREDIT POINTS (CPS)
Languages	LA005 and LA006 or LA003 and LA004	24
New Testament	NT001, NT002	24
Old Testament	OT001, OT002	24
Church History	CH001, CH002	24
Biblical Exegesis	<b>Five of</b> NT008/9, NT024/25, NT026/27, OT008/9, OT020/21, or OT022/23 with at least 2 units in the original language	60
Christian Thought	<b>Four of</b> TH001, TH002, TH003, TH004, PE002, CH008 with at least three TH units	48
Other Units	<b>Seven</b> units from any field level plus languages. Students are strongly urged to take BB002 and Contextualised Bible Teaching as two of these	84
<b>TOTAL CREDIT POINTS REQUIRED</b>		<b>288</b>

**Notes:** 1. A maximum of 12 units at AQF level 6 (languages only) and AQF level 7 and at least 3 units at AQF level 9

2. For unit offerings in each field and descriptions refer the Appendix

#### 5. MASTER OF THEOLOGICAL STUDIES (AQF LEVEL 9, ACT COURSE CODE MTS20) - 2 YEARS FULL-TIME

The Master of Theological Studies provides a thorough foundation in biblical studies, Christian theology and practical ministry, and will include an introduction to the research principles and methods applicable to the specialised study of the theological disciplines.

##### PREREQUISITES

**Academic Qualifications:** Completed 3 year bachelor degree or equivalent

**Language Qualifications for NESB:** IELTS 7.0 overall with minimum of 7.0 in reading and writing, and 6.5 in listening and speaking.

Time Limit: 8 years

BCSA RECOMMENDED UNITS (See ACT website for ACT requirements)		
FIELD	UNITS	CREDIT POINTS (CPS)
New Testament	NT001, NT002	24
Old Testament	OT001, OT002	24
Biblical Exegesis	<b>Two of</b> NT008, NT024, NT026, OT008, OT020, or OT022 with at least one OT and NT unit	24
Christian Thought (TH/CH/PE)	<b>Two of</b> TH001, TH002, TH003, TH004, CH001, CH002, PE002	24
Ministry & Practice (EM, PC & DM)	<b>Two</b> units from at least two different fields	24
Other Units	<b>Six</b> units from any field level plus languages. Students are strongly urged to take BB002 and Contextualised Bible Teaching as two of these	72
<b>TOTAL CREDIT POINTS REQUIRED</b>		<b>192</b>

**Notes:** 1. A maximum of 5 units at AQF level 7 and at least 3 units at AQF level 9

2. For unit offerings in each field and descriptions refer the Appendix

# APPENDIX



## 1. UNIT LEVELS

Units offered by the Australian College of Theology can be done at the AQF levels (5,6,7 or 8) approved for each unit. Students will need to ensure that they complete the required number of units at each level in their course. See the ACT coursework handbook. AQF level 9 is currently offered as capstones or projects.

## 2. NUMBERING

Each unit has an identification code consisting of two letters and three numerals. For example, CH001: "CH" refers to the field of study (i.e. Church History) and "001" identifies the specific unit within the field.

## 3. CREDIT POINTS

Each standard unit is assigned a credit point of 12 cps. This represents a volume of learning of 150 hours. A normal load for a full-time student is 96 cps per year.

## 4. UNIT CYCLES

Units are offered at the College over a one or two-year cycle as indicated in the table below. Core foundational and other Diploma/Graduate Diploma subjects are offered as evening classes in a four year cycle.

## 17.5. REGULAR UNITS OFFERED

The following units are offered at Bible College SA towards the undergraduate, graduate and postgraduate courses.

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT DESCRIPTION
BB002	Biblical Theology and Interpretation	A consideration of how the whole Bible hangs together from Genesis to Revelation, equipping students with an understanding of the skills required in the discipline of biblical theology and the principles of interpretation needed to use the biblical documents in teaching & preaching.
CH001	Christianity in History to 1550	A survey of major developments in the history of the Christian Church - the Church in Imperial Rome, The Church as Christendom, The Continental Churches and Reform.
CH002	Christianity in History from 1550	A survey of major developments in the history of the Christian Church - Reform and Revolution, The Church Universal.
CH008	The Continental Reformation	A detailed insight into the causes and nature of the Reformation on the continent. Applying lessons from history to ministry today.
DM010	Foundations for Youth Ministry	This unit will introduce you to different models of youth ministry and issues facing youth today.
EM021	Living Faiths	The historical roots, beliefs, practices, cultural influences and contemporary reforms in living faiths.
EM024	Principles of Evangelism	Biblical and theological perspectives and principles of evangelism. Includes field-work.
LA003	Biblical Hebrew A	An introduction to the grammar and syntax of Classical Hebrew for the purpose of reading and exegeting the Hebrew Bible.
LA004	Biblical Hebrew B	An introduction to the grammar and syntax of Classical Hebrew for the purpose of reading and exegeting the Hebrew Bible.
LA005	New Testament Greek A	An introduction to the grammar and syntax of Koine Greek for the purpose of reading and exegeting the Greek New Testament.
LA006	New Testament Greek B	An introduction to the grammar and syntax of Koine Greek for the purpose of reading and exegeting the Greek New Testament.
LA007	Advanced Greek	An advanced study of Koine Greek semantics, syntax, and discourse that provides a firm linguistic foundation for in-depth study of the Greek Old and New Testaments as well as a rigorous reading program to help students become more able and comfortable readers of Greek.
LA008	Advanced Hebrew	An advanced study of Classical Hebrew semantics, syntax, and discourse that provides a firm linguistic foundation for in-depth study of the Hebrew Bible as well as a rigorous reading program to help students become more able and comfortable readers of Hebrew

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT DESCRIPTION
NT001	Jesus and the Gospels	A study of the historical background to the New Testament, introduction to the gospels and an overview of Jesus' life and ministry.
NT002	Early New Testament Church	The beginnings and expansion of the church, with special reference to the Acts of the Apostles.
NT008	The Synoptic Gospels (English Text)	Critical issues in the modern study of the Gospels. Theology of Luke and exegesis of Luke 14-24 from the English text.
NT009	The Synoptic Gospels (Greek Text)	Critical issues in the modern study of the Gospels. Theology of Luke and exegesis of Luke 14-24 from the Greek text.
NT016	The Fourth Gospel (English)	An introduction to the theology of John's Gospel and exegesis of John 1-8 and 4-16 from the English text.
NT017	The Fourth Gospel (Greek)	An introduction to the theology of John's Gospel and exegesis of John 1-3, 5-6 and 15-16 from the Greek text.
NT024	Other Writings (English)	An introduction to the theology of 1 Corinthians & Hebrews including exegesis of 1 Corinthians 12-15 and Hebrews 1-4 from the English text.
NT025	Other Writings (Greek)	Introduction to the theology of 1 Corinthians and Hebrews. Exegesis of 1 Cor 12-15 & Hebrews 1-4 from the Greek text.
NT026	Romans (English)	An introduction to the theology of Romans and exegesis of Romans 1-11 from the English text.
NT027	Romans (Greek)	An introduction to the theology of Romans and exegesis of Romans 1-8 from the Greek text.
OT001	Old Testament Foundations	A study of the content and themes of the Old Testament from Creation to Elijah.
OT002	Old Testament Prophets & Writings	A study of the content and themes of the Old Testament from the Eighth century prophets to the end of Old Testament.
OT008	The Pentateuch (English)	The theology of the Pentateuch with special reference to themes such as covenant, law, etc. Exegesis of selected texts from Genesis to Deuteronomy.
OT009	The Pentateuch (Hebrew)	Includes the theology of the Pentateuch and translation and exegesis of the Hebrew text of Gen. 1-3 and Deut. 5-7.
OT010	Former Prophets (English)	This course examines the theology of and special issues in the interpretation of the Former Prophets of the Old Testament Scriptures with a consideration of theological themes such as covenant, law, and prophecy and fulfilment. This course also gives special emphasis on close readings from 1-2 Kings.

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT DESCRIPTION
OT011	Former Prophets (Hebrew)	This course examines the theology of and special issues in the interpretation of the Former Prophets of the Old Testament Scriptures with a consideration of theological themes such as covenant, law, and prophecy and fulfilment. This course also gives special emphasis on close readings of the Hebrew text from 1-2 Kings.
OT016	Wisdom Literature (English)	This course examines the theology of and special issues in the interpretation of the Wisdom Literature of the Old Testament Scriptures with a consideration of theological themes such as gives special emphasis on close readings of selections from the books of Job and Ecclesiastes.
OT017	Wisdom Literature (Hebrew)	This course examines the theology of and special issues in the interpretation of the Wisdom Literature of the Old Testament Scriptures with a consideration of theological themes such as wisdom, creation, retribution, and moral order. This course also gives special emphasis on close readings of the Hebrew text from selections of the books of Job and Ecclesiastes.
OT024	Jeremiah (English)	This course examines the theology of and special issues in the interpretation of the book of Jeremiah with a consideration of theological themes such as covenant, temple, judgment and salvation, and the new covenant. This course also gives special emphasis on close readings from the book of Jeremiah.
OT025	Jeremiah (Hebrew)	This course examines the theology of and special issues in the interpretation of the book of Jeremiah with a consideration of theological themes such as covenant, temple, judgment and salvation, and the new covenant. This course also gives special emphasis on close readings of the Hebrew text from the book of Jeremiah.
PC002	Foundations of Pastoral Care	Basic issues in pastoral theology; developing an integrated biblical & theological understanding of pastoral ministry; ministry to families and people in various life stages and transitions.
PC004	Christian Worship	What should we do when we gather together as a church? Why should we do it? What makes it worship? This unit looks at the biblical priorities, historical and cultural influences and practical realities of worship.
PC005	Principles of Christian Counselling	Introducing students to the theory and practice of counselling, various perspectives on lifespan development, and a biblical framework for counselling. Also provides training in practical counselling skills.

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT DESCRIPTION
PC034	Leadership in Christian Ministry	Includes leadership principles and skills, understanding Australian Society and Personal Development and Field work.
PC047	Introductory Preaching	Introduction to theological and pastoral issues in preaching; basic techniques in exegesis and exposition; preparation and delivery of sermons under supervision.
PC092	Congregational Field Education	Courses of learning through observation and supervised participation in a congregational setting.
PC094	Practical Ministry Field Education	Courses of learning through observation and supervised participation in various ministries.
PC133	Contextualised Bible Teaching	Understanding the important issues and principles of teaching and learning, in order to effectively teach the Bible in different contexts and settings in Christian ministry.
PE002	Theological Ethics	Includes foundations and shape of theological ethics, philosophical ethics and a selection of contemporary ethical issues.
TH001	The Knowledge of God	Includes concepts of revelation, place of Scripture, creation & providence, humanity, sin & evil.
TH003	The Doctrines of Grace & Eschatology	Includes repentance, faith, work of the Spirit, the kingdom - present & future, judgement, heaven & hell.
TH002	The Doctrine of God & the Work of Christ	Includes attributes of God, Person of Christ, Holy Spirit, Holy Trinity, incarnation, death & resurrection of Christ.
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