



BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN BIBLE

The Department of Bible and Christian Ministries offers programs in Biblical studies, pastoral ministry, youth ministry, women's ministries, and missions.

PURPOSE

1. To enable students to increase in their knowledge of the contents of the Old and New Testaments and in their understanding of the major Bible doctrines.
2. To facilitate the development of students' worldviews that are Biblically based.
3. To facilitate the development of students' lifestyles that are distinctly Christian as a result of the practical application of the truths of the Bible to everyday life.
4. To enable students to develop and practice Bible study methods that employ consistent and accurate principles of interpretation, and to cultivate within students the desire to continue to grow spiritually, based upon their personal study of the Bible.
5. To prepare students to be able to preach and teach the Bible effectively.
6. To provide an environment, in conjunction with Highland Park Baptist Church, that will give students the opportunity to learn and develop leadership skills in practical Christian ministry.
7. To prepare graduates who are equipped for a lifetime of Christian leadership and serviced characterized by effective evangelism and discipleship.

OBJECTIVES

1. The student will demonstrate knowledge of the contents of the Bible and understanding of the major doctrines of the Bible.
2. The student will be competent to carry out the responsibilities of the specific ministry for which he or she is preparing.
3. The student will demonstrate the skills for the specific ministry for which he or she is preparing.
4. The student majoring in Bible will be prepared to pursue graduate work in that field.

Bible Program Curriculum

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FOUNDATIONAL STUDIES (19 hours)

(Must be completed within the first 45 hours of the program)

(Transfer students must complete within their first two semesters)

ACAD-1001	Success Orientation
CHMN-1011	Personal Evangelism
CISS-1003	Computer Fundamentals
ENGL-101	English Composition I
ENGL-1023	English Composition II
SPCH-1003	Speech Communication
*MATH-	Mathematics Requirements

*To complete the General Core mathematics requirement, students may be required to enroll in preparatory mathematics courses each semester until MATH-1013 Mathematics for Application or a higher-level mathematics course is completed.

GENERAL CORE CURRICULUM (38 hours)

Bible/Theology/Philosophy

- BIBL-1113 Old Testament Survey
- BIBL-1413 New Testament Survey
- BIBL-2713 Bible Study Methods
- PHIL-2013 Biblical World View
- THEO-2113 Bible Doctrines I
- THEO-2123 Bible Doctrines II

History

- HIST-1103 Western World History (3) OR
- HI-1113 Nonwestern World History (3)

Humanities/Literature Selection

- *Three hours must be selected from an EN- literature course
- INTD-3013 Humanities (3)
- ENGL-2103 British Literature I (3)

Psychology Selection

- PSYC-1003 General Psychology (3) OR
- PSYC-2213 Human Growth and Development (3)

Physical Education (1 hour)

This course is a one hour activity requirement. This course must be taken at your local university/community college and then transferred to TTU.

Laboratory Science Selection (4 hours)

Social Studies Selection (3 hours)

DEPARTMENTAL REQUIREMENTS (39 hours)

- BICL-2513 Life of Christ
- CHMN- Church Education Internship
- HIST-4703 Church History
- ICST-1013 Global Focus in the Local Church
- PSYC-3713 Fundamentals of Biblical Counseling
- BIBL/THEO- Bible/Theology Electives (15 hours)
- CHMN/PSYC- Church Education/Psychology Electives (9 hours)

ELECTIVES

General Electives (24 hours)

DEGREE TOTAL..... 120 HOURS