

Bachelor Degrees

Biblical Studies (BBS)

The curriculum leading to the BBS degree is a 120-unit course of instruction designed to develop Christian character, a sound knowledge of the English Bible, and the skills appropriate for ministry in a local church, mission field, or another Christian ministry.

Required Courses in the BBS Program

FOUNDATIONAL CORE (all required)

BI-135 Pauline Revelations I 3
 BI-139 Pauline Revelations II 3
 BI-130 Basic Bible Study 3
 BI-131 Advance Bible Study 3
 FC-132 Vision & Purpose 2
 FC-133 Art of Prayer 3

BIBLE EXPOSITION (all required)

BI-136 Bible Doctrine I 3 (also Spanish-BI-134)	BI-203 Book of Ephesians 3
BI-141 Old Testament Survey 4	BI-200 Life of Moses 4
BI-142 New Testament Survey 4	BI-201 Acts of the Apostles 3
BI-218 Intro to Interpreting Scriptures 4	PH-202 Introduction to Apologetics 4
BI-143 Brief Bible History 3	BI-401 Biblical Summary I 4
BI-138 The Life of Christ 4	BI-415 Biblical Summary II 4
BI-140 Book of James 4	
BI-202 Book of Romans 3	

SYSTEMATIC THEOLOGY (20 credits)

TH-200 Intro to Systematic Theology 4	TH-210 Systematic Theology I 4
TH-202 Bible Doctrine II (also Spanish-BI-136) 3	HS-100 Church History 1 4
TH-204 Kingdom Principles 4	TH-430 Doctrinal Summary 1 5
TH-205 Doctrine 1 The Bible and God 4	
TH-206 Doctrine 2 Christ, Salvation 4	
TH-208 Doctrine 3 Man, Sin, Holy Spirit 3	
TH-420 Doctrine 5 The Church and Last Things 3	

MINISTRY SKILLS (15 credits)

MS-110 Evangelism	MS-302 Leadership I 4
MS-402 Homiletics 3	MS-303 Discipleship 1 4
MS-401 Christian Spirituality 4	MS-102 Conflict Resolution 3
MS-300 Intro Hermeneutics 4	MS-430 Internship 4
MS-301 Hermeneutics I 4	

GENERAL EDUCATION (12 credits)

EN-103 English Composition 1 3	PH-202 Intro to Apologetics 4
EN-105 English Grammar 1 3	EN-104 English Composition 2 3
OL-400 Research Writing Documentation 3	OL-501 Time Management 1 2
EN-300 Communication Skills 3	OL-500 Life Management 1 4
MA-103 Math for General Education 3	
RS-210 Bible Research Methods 4	

ELECTIVES 6 (Includes seminars/workshops and/or special events)

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS 122

BBS Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of the BBS Program the student will be able to:

1. Express a general knowledge of the books of the Bible, including key individuals, major events, and historical settings.
2. Articulate a synthesis of every major category of systematic theology.
3. Apply Scripture using inductive methods and principles of literal-grammatical historical principles of interpretation.
4. Communicate biblical truth clearly and effectively and make application to everyday living.
5. Relate effectively as a servant-leader in a local church or para-church setting.
6. Understand and articulate the love of Christ principle in life and ministry.

General Education Core Competencies:

1. Communication: Demonstrate writing and speaking skills using logic to analyze and present argumentation, and to conduct proper research skills and documentation.
2. Information Literacy: Demonstrate basic competency in operating systems and software, use technology to locate information, evaluate the quality and applicability of the information, and use that technology and information ethically.
3. Reasoning and Critical Thinking: Demonstrate quantitative and scientific reasoning and critical thinking skills.
4. Biblical Worldview: Differentiate between biblical and secular approaches and be able to articulate and apply biblical principles in various ethical situations.

Theology (BTH)

The curriculum leading to the BTH degree is a 120-unit course of instruction designed to develop Christian character, a sound knowledge of the English Bible, and the skills appropriate for ministry in a local church, mission field, or Christian ministry.

Required Courses in the BTH Program

FOUNDATIONAL CORE (all required-17 credits)

BI-135 Pauline Revelations I 3
 BI-139 Pauline Revelations II 3
 BI-130 Basic Bible Study 3
 BI-131 Advance Bible Study 3
 FC-132 Vision & Purpose 2
 FC-133 Art of Prayer 3

BIBLE EXPOSITION (20 credits required)

BI-136 Bible Doctrine I (also Spanish-BI-134) 3	BI-142 New Testament Survey 4
BI-140 Book of James 4	BI-218 Intro to Interpreting Scriptures 4
BI-138 The Life of Christ 4	BI-401 Biblical Summary 1 4
BI-141 Old Testament Survey 4	

SYSTEMATIC THEOLOGY (50 credits required)

TH-202 Bible Doctrine II (also Spanish-TH-203) 3	TH-210 Systematic Theology I 4
TH-200 Intro to Systematic Theology 4	TH-215 Systematic Theology II 4
TH-204 Kingdom Principles 4	HS-100 Church History 1 4
TH-205 Doctrine 1 The Bible and God 4	PH-202 Introduction to Apologetics 4
TH-206 Doctrine 2 Christ, Salvation 4	TH-430 Doctrinal Summary 1 5
TH-208 Doctrine 3 Man, Sin, Holy Spirit 3	TH-435 Doctrinal Summary 2 5
TH-211 Doctrine 5 Christ Return & Last Days 3	
TH-330 Soteriology 3	

MINISTRY SKILLS (15 credits)

MS-110 Evangelism	MS-302 Leadership I 4
MS-402 Homiletics 3	MS-303 Discipleship 1 4
MS-401 Christian Spirituality 4	MS-102 Conflict Resolution 3
MS-300 Intro Hermeneutics 4	MS-430 Internship 4
MS-301 Hermeneutics I 4	

GENERAL EDUCATION (12 credits)

EN-103 English Composition 1 3	OL-400 Research Writing and Documentation 3
EN-105 English Grammar 1 3	EN-104 English Composition 2 3
OL-600 Biblical Healing 2	RS-210 Bible Research Methods 4
EN-300 Communication Skills 3	OL-501 Time Management 1 2
MA-103 Math for General Education 3	OL-500 Life Management 1 4
PH-202 Intro to Apologetics 4	

ELECTIVES 6 (Includes seminars/workshops and/or special events)

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS 120

BTH Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of the BTH Program the student will be able to:

1. Express a general knowledge of the books of the Bible, including key individuals, major events, and historical settings.
2. Articulate a synthesis of every major category of systematic theology.
3. Exegete and apply Scripture using inductive methods and principles of literal-grammatical historical principles of interpretation.
4. Communicate biblical truth clearly and effectively and make application to everyday living.
5. Relate effectively as a servant-leader in a local church or para-church setting.
6. Understand and articulate the grace principles of progressive sanctification in life and ministry.

General Education Core Competencies:

1. Communication: Demonstrate writing and speaking skills using logic to analyze and present argumentation, and to conduct proper research skills and documentation.
2. Information Literacy: Demonstrate basic competency in operating systems and software, use technology to locate information, evaluate the quality and applicability of the information, and use that technology and information ethically.
3. Reasoning and Critical Thinking: Demonstrate quantitative and scientific reasoning and critical thinking skills.
4. Biblical Worldview: Differentiate between biblical and secular approaches and be able to articulate and apply biblical principles in various ethical situations.