

Suggested Sequence of Courses

	FALL			SPRING		
YEAR 1	CH 500	History of the Christian Movement	3 ____	AE 500	Apologetics & Ethics	3 ____
	GS 500	Thinking Biblically & Theologically	2 ____	CO 500	Pastoral Care & Counseling Relationships	3 ____
	NT 501	New Testament Greek I	3 ____	NT 502	New Testament Greek II	3 ____
	OT 511	Israel's Early History & Poetry	3 ____	TM 501	Mentored Formation	1 ____
	TM 500	Intro to Mentored Formation	1 ____	YFS 605	Youth in Crisis	2 ____
	YFS 501	Foundations of Youth and Family Studies	3 ____		TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	12
		TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	15			
YEAR 2	HOM 500	Intro to Expository Preaching	3 ____	OT 502	Hebrew II	3 ____
	OT 501	Hebrew I	3 ____	NT 512	Epistles & Revelation	3 ____
	NT 511	Gospels & Acts	3 ____	TH 502	Survey of Christian Doctrine II	3 ____
	TH 501	Survey of Christian Doctrine I	3 ____	TM 602	Mentored Formation	1 ____
	TM 601	Mentored Formation	1 ____	YFS 620	Contextualized Design for Adolescent Programming	3 ____
		TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	13		TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	13
YEAR 3	OT 512	Kingdom of Israel & Prophets	3 ____	TM 604	Mentored Formation Summative Experience	1 ____
	TM 603	Mentored Formation	1 ____	YFS 660	Moral and Faith Development in Adolescence	2 ____
	NT/OT	Language Exegesis or Bible ¹	3 ____	NT/OT	Language Exegesis or Bible ¹	3 ____
	ELECT	Ministry Leadership Elective ²	2 ____	ELECT	Ministry Leadership Elective ²	2 ____
	ELECT	Open electives	4 ____	ELECT	Open electives	4 ____
		TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	13	EXMDIV	MDiv Oral Exam	0 ____
					TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	12

¹ Students must take one NT Language Exegesis/Bible course and one OT Language Exegesis /Bible course from the following options:

(1) New Testament - NT 611 Using Greek in New Testament Exegesis OR NT 635 Letter to the Romans: Analysis, Hermeneutics, and Theology.

(2) Old Testament - OT 701 Hebrew Exegesis of Old Testament Texts, OT 640 Book of Joshua: Analysis, Hermeneutics, and Theology OR OT 648 Book of Genesis

² Choose from the following (credits exceeding the four hour requirement can apply as open electives):

(1) CF 602 Spiritual Formation for Life & Ministry [2]

(2) EM 604 Teaching for Life Change [2] or YFS 602 Transformational Communication [2]

(3) IM 610 Mission & Culture [2]

(4) LD 501 Theological and Theoretical Foundations for Leadership [2] or YFS 502 Leadership in Youth & Family Ministry [2]

(5) PME 601 Pastoral Theology & Practice of Ministry [2]

(6) PME 603 Evangelism and the Mission of God [2] or YFS 601 Evangelism and Discipleship in Adolescent Culture [2]

(7) PME 604 Worship Theory & Practice [2]

Master of Divinity Required Courses with Youth & Family Studies Concentration

Biblical Studies:

Thinking Biblically / Theologically 2
 GS 500 Thinking Biblically & Theologically [2]

New Testament 6
 NT 511 Gospels & Acts (pre/coreq: GS 500) [3]
 NT 512 Epistles & Revelation (pre/coreq: GS 500) [3]

Old Testament 6
 OT 511 Israel's Early History & Poetry [3]
 OT 512 Kingdom of Israel & Prophets [3]

Christian Thought:

Apologetics & Ethics 3
 AE 500 Apologetics & Ethics [3]

Church History 3
 CH 500 History of the Christian Movement [3]

Theology 6
 TH 501 Survey of Christian Doctrine I (pre/coreq: GS 500) [3]
 TH 502 Survey of Christian Doctrine II (prereq: TH 501) [3]

Ministry Leadership:

Relational Ministry 3
 CO 500 Pastoral Care & Counseling Relationships [3]

Homiletics 3
 HOM 500 Intro to Expository Preaching [3]

Ministry Leadership Electives 4
Choose two courses from the following:

- CF 602 Spiritual Formation for Life & Ministry (offered spring) [2]
- EM 604 Teaching for Life Change (offered fall) [2]
- IM 610 Mission & Culture (offered fall) [2] OR
- YFS 602 Transformational Communication (offered fall) [2]
- LD 501 Theological and Theoretical Foundations for Leadership (offered fall) [2] OR
- YFS 502 Leadership in Youth & Family Ministry (offered spring) [2]
- PME 601 Pastoral Theology & Practice of Ministry (offered spring) [2]
- PME 603 Evangelism and the Mission of God (offered spring) [2] OR
- YFS 601 Evangelism and Discipleship in Adolescent Culture (offered fall) [2]
- PME 604 Worship Theory & Practice (offered fall) [2]

Mentored Formation:

Training and Mentoring (taken in sequence) 6
 TM 500 Intro to Mentored Formation [1]
 TM 501 Mentored Formation [1]
 TM 601 Mentored Formation [1]
 TM 602 Mentored Formation [1]
 TM 603 Mentored Formation [1]
 TM 604 Mentored Formation Summative Exp [1]

Biblical Languages:

New Testament Greek 9
 NT 501 New Testament Greek I [3]
 NT 502 New Testament Greek II (prereq: NT 501) [3]
Choose one New Testament course from the following:
 NT 611 Using Greek in NT Exegesis (prereq: NT 502, offered fall) [3]
 NT 635 Romans: Analysis, Hermeneutics, & Theology (prereq: NT502) [3]

Old Testament Hebrew 9
 OT 501 Hebrew I [3]
 OT 502 Hebrew II (prereq: OT 501) [3]
Choose one Old Testament course from the following:
 OT 701 Hebrew Exegesis of OT Texts (prereq: OT 502) [3],
 OT 640 Joshua: Analysis, Hermeneutics, and Theology (prereq: OT 502, offered fall) [3]
 OT 648 Book of Genesis (prereq: OT 502, offered spring) [3]

Concentration:

Youth and Family Studies 10
 YFS 501 Foundations of Youth and Family Studies (offered fall) 3]
 YFS 605 Youth in Crisis (offered spring) [2]
 YFS 620 Contextualized Design for Adolescent Programming (offered spring) [3]
 YFS 660 Moral and Faith Development in Adolescence (offered spring) [2]

Open Electives 8
Choose any course from any department

MDiv Oral Exam 0
 EXMDIV MDiv Oral Exam (prereq: TH 501, TH 502) [0]