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Bachelor of Science in Biblical and Educational Studies

Biblical and Theological Studies Cognate

2018-2019 Degree Completion Plan

Important: This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2018 through summer 2019. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations or cognates.

GENERAL EDUCATION/

CORE COMPETENCY REQUIREMENTS (39-42 hours)

Course		Hrs	Sem	Grade
Communication (6 hours)¹				
ENGL 101	Composition & Rhetoric	3	_____	_____
_____	Communications Elective	3	_____	_____

Math, Science & Technology (6-9 hours)¹

MATH _____	Math Elective (MATH 114 or higher)	3	_____	_____
_____	Natural Science Elective	3	_____	_____
UNIV 104	Instructional Tech. for Online Learning	0-3	_____	_____

Information Literacy (6 hours)¹

_____	Composition Elective	3	_____	_____
_____	Information Literacy Elective	3	_____	_____

Critical Thinking (9 hours)¹

PHIL 201	Philosophy & Contemporary Ideas			
or _____	Literature Elective	3	_____	_____
_____	Social Science Elective	3	_____	_____
_____	Cultural Studies Elective	3	_____	_____

Christian Life & Thought (12 hours)^{1,2}

BIBL 105	Old Testament Survey	2	_____	_____
BIBL 110	New Testament Survey	2	_____	_____
EVAN 101	Evangelism & Christian Life	2	_____	_____
RLGN 105	Intr Bwvw/Contemp Moral Issues	2	_____	_____
THEO 201	Theology Survey I	2	_____	_____
THEO 202	Theology Survey II	2	_____	_____

Course		Hrs	Sem	Grade
Major Foundational Courses (0-3 hours)³				
GLST 220	Intercultural Com. & Engagement	3	_____	_____

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Core (45 hours)				
APOL 220	Introduction to Apologetics	3	_____	_____
BIBL 360	Methodical Study of Scripture	3	_____	_____
CHHI 300	Survey of the History of Christianity	3	_____	_____
CRST 290	History of Life	3	_____	_____
EDUC 200	Principles of Education	3	_____	_____
EDUC 205	Learning Theory & Portfolio Dev.	3	_____	_____
EDUC 303	Instructional Practices for Cont. Teach.	3	_____	_____
EDUC 304	Classroom Management for Teachers	3	_____	_____
EDUC 305	Educational Philosophy for Teachers	3	_____	_____
EDUC 307	Instructional Practices for Diff. Instruct.	3	_____	_____
EDUC 390	Teaching Practicum Capstone	3	_____	_____
RLGN 301	Research & Writing for Relig. Discipl.	3	_____	_____
RLGN 360	Practical Teaching of Scripture	3	_____	_____
THEO 360	Theological Interpretation of Scripture	3	_____	_____
_____	_____	⁴ 3	_____	_____

Cognate (15 hours)

_____	_____	⁵	_____	_____
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FREE ELECTIVES (15-21 hours)⁶

_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met

¹Refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened before enrolling in core competency requirements

²Students transferring in 45 or more UG credit hours will have the requirements of RLGN 105 & EVAN 101 waived; Students transferring in 60 or more UG credit hours will also have the requirements of THEO 201 & THEO 202 waived

³Major Foundational Courses can also fulfill General Education/Core Competency requirements as applicable

⁴Choose any 300-400 level BIBL or THEO course not already required in the Major

⁵Choose a BIBL or THEO course not already required as a Christian Life and Thought course or in the major (BIBL 104 & THEO 104 are not approved electives)

⁶May need 6 hours of 300-400 level electives to fulfill the upper level credit requirement
Suggested Course Sequence on second page

Graduation Requirements

120 Total Hours

2.0 Overall grade point average

30 Hours must be upper-level courses (300-400 level)

Grade of 'C' Minimum required for all upper-level courses in the major

50% Of major and cognate taken through Liberty University

30 Hours must be completed through Liberty University

Grad App Submission of Graduation Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

FRESHMAN YEAR

First Semester		Second Semester	
BIBL 105	2	BIBL 110	2
ENGL 101	3	EVAN 101	2
RLGN 105	2	Composition Elective ¹	3
UNIV 104	0-3	Cultural Studies Elective ¹	3
Communications Elective ¹	3	Math Elective ¹	<u>3</u>
Social Science Elective ¹ [GLST 220]	<u>3</u>	Total	13
Total	13-16		

SOPHOMORE YEAR

THEO 201	2	THEO 202	2
Information Literacy Elective ¹	3	Natural Science Elective ¹	3
APOL 220	3	CHHI 300	3
EDUC 200	3	EDUC 205	3
RLGN 301	3	Elective	<u>3</u>
Elective	<u>3</u>	Total	14
Total	17		

JUNIOR YEAR

PHIL 201 <u>or</u> Literature Elective ¹	3	EDUC 304	3
CRST 290	3	EDUC 305	3
EDUC 303	3	BIBL 360	3
Elective ²	3	Elective ³	3
Elective	<u>3</u>	Elective ³	3
Total	15	Elective	<u>3</u>
		Total	18

SENIOR YEAR

EDUC 307	3	EDUC 390	3
THEO 360	3	RLGN 360	3
Elective ³	3	Elective ³	3
Elective ³	3	Elective	3
Elective	<u>3</u>	Elective	<u>3</u>
Total	15	Total	15

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