



NEW ORLEANS

BAPTIST THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

Accelerated Program

Eligibility

- Earned at least a “B” in the undergraduate courses applied toward the Accelerated Program.
- No more than five years after baccalaureate graduation
- Courses are evaluated on a course-by-course basis to ensure sufficient equivalency with NOBTS courses
- A research paper must be submitted indicating ability in research and writing

The chart below indicates the NOBTS courses for which undergraduate study may be applied toward the Accelerated Program. Students may qualify to receive up to 27 hours toward the MDiv or up to 9 hours toward the MA through the Accelerated Program.

Union University Qualifying Courses	Accelerated NOBTS Courses
CHR 111 Old Testament Survey AND CHR 113 Introduction to Bible Study & Interpretation	OTEN5351 Interpreting the Old Testament I
CHR 111 Old Testament Survey AND 3 additional hours of OT	OTEN5352 Interpreting the Old Testament II
CHR 112 New Testament Survey AND CHR 113 Introduction to Bible Study & Interpretation	NTEN5351 Interpreting the New Testament I
CHR 112 New Testament Survey AND 3 additional hours of NT	NTEN5352 Interpreting the New Testament II
CHR 213 Biblical Backgrounds	BBBW5300 Encountering the Biblical World
CHR 336 Biblical Counseling Distinctions, Theology, and Foundations	COUN5300 Counseling in Ministry
PSY 219 Developmental Psychology	CEEF6303 Lifespan Development
CHR 367 Introduction to Christian Evangelism	EVAN5300 Evangelism
CHR 365 Pastoral Ministries	PATH5331 Pastoral Ministry
CHR 306 Early and Medieval Christianity	HIST5300 History of Christianity: Early to Medieval
CHR 313 Modern Christianity AND CHR 316 Renaissance and Reformation	HIST5301 History of Christianity: Ref. to Modern
CHR/PHL 243 Introduction to Christian Ethics	ETHC5300 Christian Ethics
CHR 405 History of the Baptists	HIST5323 Baptist Heritage
CHR 377 Introduction to Mission	MISS5330 Christian Missions
PHL 240 Introduction to Philosophy OR PHL 450 Philosophy of Religion	PHIL5300 Philosophy of Religion
CHR 338 Christian Doctrine AND 3 additional hours of Theology	THEO5300 Systematic Theology I

Students may qualify to earn Accelerated Program hours through advanced placement in biblical languages. For every six hours of undergraduate credit in Greek/Hebrew, students may proceed into the next logical level.

Union University Qualifying Courses	Advanced Placement into NOBTS Courses
GRK 211 Elementary Greek I AND GRK 212 Elementary Greek II	NTGK5352 Greek 2
GRK 311 Intermediate Greek I AND GRK 312 Intermediate Greek II	NTGK63-- Greek Exegesis or Advanced Greek
HBR 311 Elementary Hebrew I AND HBR 312 Elementary Hebrew II	OTHB5352 Hebrew 2

HBR 411 Advanced Hebrew I AND HBR 412 Advanced Hebrew II	OTHB63-- Hebrew Exegesis or Advanced Hebrew
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The Accelerated Program option is available for students taking courses in any delivery system. Credit to the student's transcript will be given in the semester in which he or she applies for graduation.