The Professional Development program is designed for those individuals seeking studies in a general, broad-based academic discipline. This program allows individuals to select courses in one or more of the University’s programs.

Upon completion of this program students should be able to:
1. Demonstrate proficiency in General Education courses.
2. Demonstrate proficiency in General Biblical Studies courses.
3. Demonstrate academic and/or vocational advancement through the completion of the program.

### GENERAL EDUCATION STUDIES  58 Hours

**General Education:** 14 hours
- COM 1143 Fundamentals of Speech
- ENG 1113 Composition and Rhetoric I
- ENG 1123 Composition and Rhetoric II
  - 3 hours from the following:
    - ENG 2233 American Literature I
    - ENG 2243 American Literature II
    - ENG 2273 Introduction to Literature
- GES 1122 Strategies for Student Success

**Social/Behavioral Sciences:** 9 hours
- GOV 2213 National and State Government
  - 3 hours from HIS 1000 - 2000, or with approval from History Dept. 3000-4000 level
- PSY 1153 Introduction to Psychology

**Natural Science/Mathematics:** 7 hours
  - 4 hours from the following:
    - BIO 1113 Biological Science and BIO 1111 Lab
    - PHY 1113 Physical Science and PHY 1111 Lab
  - 3 hours from the following:
    - MTH 1113 College Mathematics
    - MTH 1123 College Algebra

**Physical Education:** 4 hours
- PED 2232 Wellness and Lifestyle
  - 2 hours from activity courses without duplication: PED 1101-2291

**General Biblical Studies:** 24 Hours
- BIB 2213 Bible Study
- CMN 1223 The Church in Mission
**Additional Program Stipulations**

1. All students are to include one Bible, theology, or religion course each semester until degree requirements have been satisfied.
2. First-year students enrolled full-time are to include GES 1122 in their first semester program.
3. First-year students are to enroll in activity physical education courses each of their first two semesters at SAGU. Exceptions will be granted only with approval of the College Dean.
4. Veterans with at least 6 months of service may apply for and receive 4 hours of credit for physical education. Contact the Registrar’s Office.
5. At least 30 hours must be from 3000 or 4000 level courses.

*Admittance to this program requires approval from the College Dean.*