Theological Studies

GENERAL EDUCATION STUDIES  57 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
    HIS 1113 American History I
    PSY 1153 Introduction to Psychology

Natural Science/Mathematics:  6 hours
    3 hours from the following:
        BIO 1113 Biological Science
        PHY 1113 Physical Science
    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-PED 2291

General Biblical Studies:  24 hours
    BIB 2213 Bible Study
    CMN 1223 The Church in Mission
    CMN 2213 Foundations of Church Ministries
    REL 1133 Authentic Christianity
    REL 1153 New Testament Literature
    REL 1163 Old Testament Literature
    THE 2113 Introduction to Theology and Apologetics
    THE 2333 Pentecostal Doctrine and History

The Theological Studies program is designed to prepare students for ministerial roles and further graduate studies through an intensified program of theological research. During this program of studies students will engage significant field ministry experiences.

Upon completion of this program students will be able to:

1. Demonstrate competency in the translation of Biblical Greek or Hebrew.
2. Demonstrate competency in the exegesis of Scripture.
3. Demonstrate competency in biblical and theological research necessary for admittance into graduate studies.
4. Possess foundational knowledge in Bible, theology, and ministry.
5. Possess the biblical, theological, and ministerial knowledge necessary for obtaining ministerial credentials.
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MAJOR STUDIES  58 Hours
BIB 3483 Hermeneutics
BIB 4443 Synoptic Gospels
CMN 2313 Pastoral Counseling
CMN 3113 Ministry of Teaching
CMN 3333 Biblical Preaching
PHL 2223 Introduction to Philosophy
PHL 3143 Christian Ethics
PMN 3363 Biblical Preaching Lab
REL 3113 Christianity in the Ancient and Middle Ages - or -
   REL 3123 Christianity from the Reformation to the Postmodern Era
THE 3123 Systematic Theology I
THE 3133 Systematic Theology II
THE 4393 Old Testament Theology
THE 4413 New Testament Theology
6 hours from any THE course
Language: 6 hours
   GRK 3113 New Testament Greek I and
       GRK 3123 New Testament Greek II
   -or-
       HEB 3113 Biblical Hebrew I and
       HEB 3123 Biblical Hebrew II
Internship: 4 hours
   PMN 4413 Principles and Practices of Pastoral Ministry
       THE 4151 Senior Paper

GENERAL ELECTIVES  12 Hours
TOTAL PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS 127 Hours

Additional Program Stipulations
1. All full-time 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 schedule.
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.