Master of Theological Studies

(Information last updated on 18 August 2023)



Course Map

Ballarat, Blacktown, Brisbane, Canberra, Melbourne, North Sydney, Strathfield, Online and offered at the Adelaide Leadership Centre

For students who are commencing 2024

and have completed either one of the following:

- 1. Bachelor of Theology (or equivalent);
- 2. Bachelor of Theology (Honours) (or equivalent)
- 3. Bachelor of Arts with a Theological Studies or Study of Religions Major (or equivalent);
- 4. Bachelor of Education (Primary) and Bachelor of Education (Secondary) when studies successfully undertaken to meet requirements for accreditation to teach Religious Education (or equivalent);
- 5. Graduate Certificate in Theological Studies, Graduate Certificate in Catholic Studies, Graduate Certificate in Religious Education, (or equivalent).

NOTE: at least 80cp of all units studied must be at the 600-level.

Without a named specialisation completing the 120 credit point pathway

Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)
Inc: Incompatible unit(s)

YEAR 1: PART TIME THBS501¹ SEM 1 **Biblical Studies** Introducing Philosophy for Theology 10cp 10cp (Inc: THBS562, THBS502, & THMM502) (Inc: PHIL626) Or **PHIL626** Philosophical Context for Theology 10cp (Inc: PHIL510) THCT500² Elective 1 SEM 2 10cp Foundations of Christian Faith 10cp (Inc: THCT563)

¹ Students who have previously completed either THBS100, THBS501, THBS562 and THMM502, within the last 10 years are not required to complete the unit THBS501 but will need to undertake an additional elective in its place.

² Students who have previously completed either THCT100, THCT500 and THCT563, within the last 10 years are not required to complete the unit THCT500 but will need to undertake an additional elective in its place.

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YEAR 2: PART TIME			
SEM 1	Elective 2 10cp	Elective 3 10cp	
SEM 2	Elective 4 10cp		
YEAR 3: PART TIME			
SEM 1	THEL619 10cp Introduction to Theological and Philosophical Research	Project B 20cp (Pre: THEL619) (This unit will be completed over two semesters, continuing in the following semester)	
SEM 2	Elective 5 10cp	Project B 20cp (Pre: THEL619) (Continued from the previous semester)	
YEAR 4: PART TIME			
SEM 1	Elective 6 10cp		

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NOTE: electives may be undertaken within a professional term. Please refer to the unit offerings for a list of units available.

Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)
Inc: Incompatible unit(s)

YEAR 1: PART TIME			
SEM 1	THBS501 ³ Biblical Studies 10cp (Inc: THBS562, THBS502, & THMM502)	PHIL510 Introducing Philosophy for Theology 10cp (Inc: PHIL626) Or PHIL626 Philosophical Context for Theology 10cp (Inc: PHIL510)	
SEM 2	THCT500 ⁴ Foundations of Christian Faith 10cp (Inc: THCT563)	Named Specialisation 1 10cp	
YEAR 2: PART TIME			
SEM 1	Named Specialisation 2 10cp	Named Specialisation 3 10cp	
SEM 2	Named Specialisation 4 10cp		
YEAR 3: PART TIME			
SEM 1	THEL619 10cp Introduction to Theological and Philosophical Research	Project B 20cp (Pre: THEL619) (This unit will be completed over two semesters, continuing in the following semester)	
SEM 2	Named Specialisation 5 10cp	Project B 20cp (Pre: THEL619) (Continued from the previous semester)	
YEAR 4: PART TIME			
SEM 1	Named Specialisation 6 10cp		

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