

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.

William Carey University Qualifying Courses	Accelerated NOBTS Courses
REL 101 Introduction to the Old Testament* AND	OTEN5351 Interpreting the Old Testament I
REL 204 Principles of Interpretation	
or	
REL 273 Biblical Hermeneutics	
REL 101 Introduction to the Old Testament* AND	OTEN5352 Interpreting the Old Testament II
3 additional hours of OT	
REL 102 Introduction to the New Testament* AND	NTEN5351 Interpreting the New Testament I
REL 204 Principles of Interpretation	
or	
REL 273 Biblical Hermeneutics	
REL 102 Introduction to the New Testament* AND	NTEN5352 Interpreting the New Testament II
3 additional hours of NT	
REL 305 Biblical Backgrounds	BBBW5300 Encountering the Biblical World
PSY 333 Introduction to Christian Counseling	COUN5300 Counseling in Ministry
PSY 204 Educational Psychology	CEEF6302 Foundations in Educational Psychology
PSY 205 Developmental Psychology	CEEF6303 Lifespan Development
REL 473 Pastoral Ministry	PATH5331 Pastoral Ministry
REL 403 Christian Ethics	ETHC5300 Christian Ethics
REL 203 The Baptist Heritage	HIST5323 Baptist Heritage
REL 240 Introduction to Christian Missions OR	MISS5330 Christian Missions
REL 310 Principles and Practices of Missions	
REL 404 Philosophy of Religion	PHIL5300 Philosophy of Religion
REL 320 Christian Theology OR	THE05300 Systematic Theology I
REL 324 Systematic Theology	
and	
3 additional hours of Theology	
* - Students may substitute RFI 101 8 Introduction	to the Old Testament Honors and REL 102.8

\* - Students may substitute REL101.8 Introduction to the Old Testament Honors and REL 102.8 Introduction to the New Testament Honors.

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.

William Carey University Qualifying Courses	Advanced Placement into NOBTS Courses
GRK 201 Introductory Greek I AND	NTGK5352 Greek 2
GRK 202 Introductory Greek II	

GRK 301 Intermediate Greek I AND GRK 302 Intermediate Greek II	NTGK63 Greek Exegesis or Advanced Greek
HEB 201 Introductory Hebrew I AND HEB 202 Introductory Hebrew II	OTHB5352 Hebrew 2
HEB 301 Intermediate Hebrew I AND HEB 302 Intermediate Hebrew II	OTHB63 Hebrew Exegesis or Advanced Hebrew

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.