



Accelerated Master of Divinity

Eligibility

- Earned at least a “B” in the undergraduate courses applied toward the Accelerated MDiv.
- 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 MDiv Program. No more than 25% of the total hours required for the degree may be applied toward the Accelerated MDiv.

<u>Louisiana College Qualifying Courses</u>	<u>Accelerated MDiv NOBTS Courses</u>
Six hours of OT, 3 of which must be RL 101 Survey of the Old Testament	OTEN5300 Exploring the Old Testament
Six hours of NT, 3 of which must be RL 102 Survey of the New Testament	NTEN5300 Exploring the New Testament
RL 443 Interpreting and Communicating the Bible	BSHM5310 Introduction to Biblical Hermeneutics
RL 338 Archaeology, History and Religion in Ancient Israel	BBBW5200 Encountering the Biblical World
CE 303 Evangelism	EVAN5250 Church Evangelism
CE/RL 211 Introduction to Church Ministry	PATH5333 Christian Ministry
RL 362 Missions	MISS5300 Christian Missions
HI/RL 368 Baptist History	HIST5223 Baptist Heritage
CE/PI 360 Ministerial Ethics	ETHC5300 Christian Ethics
PI 340 Philosophy of Religion	PHIL5300 Philosophy of Religion
RL 365 and 367 Christian Theology I and II	THEO5300 Systematic Theology I

* - pending syllabus review

In addition, students may qualify for advanced placement in biblical languages. For every six hours of undergraduate credit in Greek/Hebrew, students may proceed into the next logical level.

<u>Louisiana College Qualifying Courses</u>	<u>Advanced Placement into NOBTS Courses</u>
GK 223 and 224 Elementary Greek	NTGK6300 Intermediate Greek Grammar
GK 331 and 332 Intermediate and Advanced Greek	NTGK63-- Advanced Greek Exegesis/Grammar
HE 437 and 438 Elementary Hebrew	OTHB6300 Intermediate Hebrew Grammar
HE 439 and 440 Intermediate and Advanced Hebrew	OTHB63-- Advanced Hebrew Exegesis

The Accelerated MDiv 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.