

# ASSOCIATE DEGREES

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## ASSOCIATE DEGREE IN THEOLOGY

### Overview

The Associate in Theology is a 60 credit and provides a quality education in areas of theology, hermeneutics, Bible backgrounds, spiritual formation and prayer, preaching and other pastoral courses. The Associate in Theology introduces students to the key theological disciplines of Biblical Studies and Christian Thought and History. This may be extended by further study in those disciplines or by electives in the area of practical ministry studies. It may be possible for students to undertake study in a ministry setting as part of the course.

### Course objectives

At the end of the course, students should:

- Have sound foundational skills for critical study of Christian texts
- Have skills to articulate foundational theological and scriptural knowledge and reflection
- Have developed clear analytical skills allowing them to analyze and communicate sound theological arguments
- Apply their skills and knowledge to their own and other contexts and traditions
- Apply their skills and knowledge to the service of others through practical engagement and in contexts such as conversation.

The Bible and Theology Certificate provides you with the 60 credit hours. This will include four courses in General Education (12 credits), fourteen courses in Theology (42 Credits) and two elective (6 credits). All Courses (60 Credits) must be completed to graduate. The courses include key topics below

### Course List

CODE	DESCRIPTION	CREDIT HOUR
ATH001	English 1	3
ATH002	Introduction to computers	3
ATH003	Keyboarding	3
ATH004	Principles Of Teaching	3
ATH005	Church History 1	3
ATH006	New Testament Books	3
ATH007	Old Testament Books	3
ATH008	Children Ministry 1	3
ATH009	Introduction to Preaching	3

<b>ATH010</b>	Youth Ministry 1	3
<b>ATH011</b>	Doctrine Of God	3
<b>ATH012</b>	Introduction to Missions	3
<b>ATH013</b>	Christian Leadership	3
<b>ATH014</b>	Church Growth	3
<b>ATH015</b>	Bible Study Methods	3
<b>ATH016</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> Corinthians	3
<b>ATH017</b>	2 <sup>nd</sup> Corinthians	3
<b>ATH018</b>	Discipleship	3
<b>ATH019</b>	HIV And Aids	3
<b>ATH020</b>	Entrepreneurship	3
<b>ATH021</b>	Pastoral Counselling	3
<b>TOTAL CREDIT</b>		<b>60</b>

## ASSOCIATE DEGREE IN LEADERSHIP & PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

### Overview

Behind every successful institution is an organized team of dedicated and knowledgeable professionals. Learn how to develop and manage effective institution's programs at local levels. The public management and leadership specialization will enable you to make positive governance that includes transparency, accountability and efficiency.

The purpose of this program is to train Christian leaders who currently serve in the marketplace environment to better equipped and move effectively as they embrace a Christian worldview and seek to expand the "Kingdom in the Marketplace". This is accomplished through careful study of biblical principles that inform and integrate key aspects of awareness and development, mission, vocational calling and personal identity for leaders residing and working within the mainstream culture.

It's designed primarily for business administrators, nonprofit professionals, managers, executives, educators and counselors. The program is also open to those in church leadership roles who wish to enhance their leadership skills.

In addition to that, the program helps those who desire to service the church or church-related ministry. The interdisciplinary program provides a well-rounded biblical, theological and practical understanding of Christian faith in relation to other disciplines. Students may develop an emphasis in the following areas: global leadership, those who need general seminary education and wish to gain further knowledge in areas associated with Christian leadership and ministry. It will also assist those who wish to gain expertise in global leadership or Christian leadership.

An associate degree program in Leadership and Public Administration is a two years program which trains student to manage fundraising efforts and supervise administrative personal for public or nonprofit organization. This program helps you to develop the interpersonal communication, research, budgeting and analytical skills needed to successfully work in the field. You may come away from your program knowing how related institutional techniques, and processes work to develop and sustain public programs.

This might help you gain skills in basic finance, business management and employee communication. Also, you'll be learning how to keep track of fundraising efforts, working with the government and managing conflict in the work area.

### Course List

CODE	DESCRIPTION	CREDIT HOURS
ASCL001	College Orientation *	2
ASCL002	English Grammar 1 *	3
ASCL003	English Composition 1 *	3

ASCL004	Keyboarding *	3
ASCL005	Commuter Science 1 *	3
ASCL006	Communication Skills for Leaders	6
ASCL007	Leadership Across Generations	4
ASCL008	Critical Thinking & Church Problem Solving	6
ASCL009	Interpersonal Skills for Church Workers	6
ASCL010	Finance & Budgeting for Church Money	6
ASCL011	Church Laws and Church By-Laws	6
ASCL012	Church Leadership Vs Church Management	6
ASCL013	Statistics Data Analysis for Church Programs	6
TOTAL CREDITS		<b>60</b>

## ASSOCIATE DEGREE IN CHRISTIAN COUNSELING

### Overview

The Associate Degree in Christian Counseling consists of a total of 60 credit hours. This will include five courses in Theology (30 credits), Five courses in General Education and a Core curriculum of 10 courses (30 credits). All Courses (60 Credits) must be completed to graduate

### Course List

<b>CODE</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>CREDIT HOURS</b>
<b>ASCC001</b>	Communication Process	2
<b>ASCC002</b>	Church Conflict	3
<b>ASCC003</b>	Basic Psychology	2
<b>ASCC004</b>	Basic Social psychology	3
<b>ASCC005</b>	Life skills and Personal Development	3
<b>ASCC006</b>	Pentateuch	2
<b>ASCC007</b>	Bible study Methods	2
<b>ASCC008</b>	Pastoral counseling	3
<b>ASCC009</b>	General Epistles	2
<b>ASCC010</b>	Acts	2
<b>ASCC011</b>	The Biblical Basis of Christian Counseling	3
<b>ASCC012</b>	Counseling Skills	3
<b>ASCC013</b>	Group counseling	3
<b>ASCC014</b>	Theories and Models of Counseling	3
<b>ASCC015</b>	Relationships, Marriage and Family Counseling	3
<b>ASCC016</b>	Human Development and Christian Counseling	3
<b>ASCC017</b>	Ethical and Legal Issues for Pastoral and Lay Counselors	3
<b>ASCC018</b>	Crisis counseling	2
<b>ASCC019</b>	Christian Coaching & Mentoring	3
<b>ASCC020</b>	Youth Counseling	2

<b>ASCC021</b>	Grief and Bereavement Counseling	3
<b>ASCC022</b>	Couples & Family Counseling:	3
<b>ASCC023</b>	Romance & Sex Therapy	2
<b>TOTAL CREDIT</b>		<b>60</b>