

**Master of Arts Degree in Biblical and Theological Studies**  
(48 Credit Hours)

**REQUIRED COURSES.....15**

CHR 500 Old Testament Introduction and Interpretation (3)  
CHR 530 New Testament Introduction and Interpretation (3)  
CHR 601 Systematic Theology I (3)  
CHR 602 Systematic Theology II (3)  
CHR 620 Hermeneutics and Biblical Interpretation (3)

**BIBLICAL, THEOLOGICAL, and MINISTRY ELECTIVES .....30**

Students may select from any graduate-level biblical, theological, biblical language, or ministry courses.

*Students preparing for doctoral study, academic teaching, or advanced biblical scholarship are strongly encouraged to include biblical language coursework within their elective hours.*

**REQUIRED THESIS.....3**

RSM 690 Research Thesis (3)