

MDIV REQUIREMENTS & COURSE SEQUENCE

A candidate for the MDiv degree is required to successfully complete 135 hours, 111 in required courses and twenty-four in elective courses. Students without a strong Reformed background are also required to take ST11 Introduction to Reformed Theology in their first year as one of their elective courses.

* *Because of the Biblical convictions of the sponsoring denomination regarding the qualifications of those who serve the church as ordained pastors, the Master of Divinity (MDiv) degree is restricted to men.*

New Testament (23 Quarter Hours)		
NT01	Elementary Greek I	3 hours
NT02	Elementary Greek II	3 hours
NT03	Elementary Greek III	2 hours
NT11	Gospels	3 hours
NT12	Interpretation of the Bible	3 hours
NT21	New Testament Exegesis I	3 hours
NT22	New Testament Exegesis II	3 hours
NT23	Acts and Pauline Epistles	3 hours
Pastoral Studies (32 Quarter Hours)		
PT11	Spiritual Development	3 hours
PT13	Ministry of Worship	3 hours
PT14	Internship	2 hours
PT32	Care and Administration of the Local Church	3 hours
PT42	Readiness for Pastoral Ministry	3 hours
MS23	Evangelism	3 hours
BC11	Introduction to Biblical Counseling	3 hours
BC22	Marriage and Family Counseling	3 hours
SH13	Introduction to Preaching	3 hours
SH21-33	Preaching Practicums (any 3)	6 hours

Systematic Theology (21 Quarter Hours)

ST12	Doctrine of Revelation	3 hours
ST13	Apologetics	3 hours
ST21	Doctrine of God	3 hours
ST22	Doctrine of Salvation	3 hours
ST31	Doctrine of Human Nature	3 hours
ST32	Doctrine of Civil Government	3 hours
ST33	Doctrine of the Church	3 hours

Old Testament (20 Quarter Hours)

OT01	Elementary Hebrew I	3 hours
OT02	Elementary Hebrew II	2 hours
OT03	Elementary Hebrew III	3 hours
OT11	Pentateuch	3 hours
OT12	Historical Writings	3 hours
OT32	Introduction to Old Testament Exegesis	3 hours
OT33	Old Testament Exegesis	3 hours

Church History (15 Quarter Hours)

CH12	Theological Research and Writing	3 hours
CH21	Patristic and Medieval Church History	3 hours
CH22	History of the Reformation	3 hours
CH23	Modern Church History	3 hours
CH31	Reformed Presbyterian History; or	3 hours
CH42	The Black Church: History and Polity; or	3 hours
CH81-83	Denominational Research Paper	3 hours

Electives (24 Quarter Hours)

In addition to required courses, each student must complete twenty-four hours of coursework from any of the areas of study offered at the Seminary. Those who elect to take the Biblical Counseling Concentration will need to take nine hours of counseling as part of their electives. These nine hours are comprised of:

BC12 Counseling Observation	BC23 Advanced Biblical Counseling
BC13 Counseling Role Play	BC31 Supervised Counseling

MDIV SEQUENCE OF REQUIRED COURSES

First Year / Juniors	Fall Quarter		Winter Quarter		Spring Quarter	
	NT01	Elementary Greek I	NT02	Elementary Greek II	NT03	Elementary Greek III (2 hours)
	NT12	Interpretation of the Bible	PT13	Ministry of Worship	NT11	Gospels
	OT11	Pentateuch	OT12	Historical Writings	SH13	Introduction to Preaching
	PT11	Spiritual Development	CH12	Theological Research & Writing	ST13	Apologetics
	BC11	Intro. to Biblical Counseling*	ST12	Doctrine of Revelation		
	15 hours		15 hours		11 hours	
Second Year / Middlers	Fall Quarter		Winter Quarter		Spring Quarter	
	CH21	Patristic & Medieval History	CH22	History of the Reformation	CH23	Modern Church History
	OT01	Elementary Hebrew I	OT02	Elementary Hebrew II (2 hours)	OT03	Elementary Hebrew III
	NT21	New Testament Exegesis I	NT22	New Testament Exegesis II	MS23	Evangelism
	ST21	Doctrine of God	ST22	Doctrine of Salvation		
			BC22	Marriage & Family Counseling		
	12 hours		14 hours		9 hours	
Third Year / Seniors	Fall Quarter		Winter Quarter		Spring Quarter	
	ST31	Doctrine of Human Nature	ST32	Doctrine of Civil Government	ST33	Doctrine of the Church
	NT23	Acts and Pauline Epistles	OT32	Intro. to Old Testament Exegesis	OT33	Old Testament Exegesis
	PT32	Care & Administration of the Local Church	PT42	Readiness for Pastoral Ministry	CH31	Reformed Presbyterian Church History
	9 hours		9 hours		9 hours	

In addition:

- Three preaching practicums must be taken, normally in the last two years (6 hours).
- One internship must be completed (2 hours).
- Twenty-four (24) hours of electives are required.

* Students not from a Reformed background should take Introduction to Reformed Theology (ST11) instead of Introduction to Biblical Counseling (BC11) in their first year, and should take Introduction to Biblical Counseling in their Middler year.

MDiv students who elect to take the **Biblical Counseling** concentration will have a modified sequence of requirements as follows. The student must inform the main office of his intention to pursue this concentration in order to ensure a proper degree audit.

First Year / Juniors	Fall Quarter	Winter Quarter	Spring Quarter
	NT01 Elementary Greek I	NT02 Elementary Greek II	NT03 Elementary Greek III (2 hours)
	NT12 Interpretation of the Bible	PT13 Ministry of Worship	NT11 Gospels
	OT11 Pentateuch	OT12 Historical Writings	SH13 Introduction to Preaching
	PT11 Spiritual Development	CH12 Theological Research & Writing	ST13 Apologetics
BC11 Intro. to Biblical Counseling*	ST12 Doctrine of Revelation		
15 hours	15 hours	11 hours	
Second Year / Middlers	Fall Quarter	Winter Quarter	Spring Quarter
	CH21 Patristic & Medieval History	CH22 History of the Reformation	CH23 Modern Church History
	OT01 Elementary Hebrew I	OT02 Elementary Hebrew II (2 hours)	OT03 Elementary Hebrew III
	NT21 New Testament Exegesis I	NT22 New Testament Exegesis II	BC13 Counseling Role Play (2 hours)
	ST21 Doctrine of God	ST22 Doctrine of Salvation	BC23 Advanced Biblical Counseling
		BC12 Counseling Observation (2 hours)	
		BC22 Marriage & Family Counseling	
12 hours	16 hours	11 hours	
Third Year / Seniors	Fall Quarter	Winter Quarter	Spring Quarter
	ST31 Doctrine of Human Nature	ST32 Doctrine of Civil Government	ST33 Doctrine of the Church
	NT23 Acts and Pauline Epistles	OT32 Intro. to Old Testament Exegesis	OT33 Old Testament Exegesis
	PT32 Care & Administration of the Local Church	PT42 Readiness for Pastoral Ministry	CH31 Reformed Presbyterian Church History
	BC31 Supervised Counseling+ (2 hours)		MS23 Evangelism
11 hours	9 hours	12 hours	

In addition:

- Three preaching practicums must be taken, normally in the last two years (6 hours).
- One internship must be completed (2 hours).
- Fifteen (15) hours of electives are required.

* Students not from a Reformed background should take Introduction to Reformed Theology (ST11) instead of Introduction to Biblical Counseling (BC11) in their first year, and should take Introduction to Biblical Counseling in their Middler year.

+ Supervised Counseling (BC31) may be spread over the entire senior year, but officially the course will be counted as a fall quarter course.