

B.A. in Biblical and Theological Studies 2016-2017: Option 1 - CWILT

First Year					
Fall	Credits	Interim	Credits	Spring	Credits
GES106 Introduction to Liberal Arts	1	Elective	3	GES110 College Writing	3
GES130 Christianity Western Culture	4			GES125 Introduction to the Creative Arts	4
BIB101 Introduction to the Bible	3			Mathematics (M) course	3
Nature of Persons (N) course	3			PEA100 Physical Wellness for Life	1
Elective	3			Contemporary Western Life and Thought (L) course	3
	14		3		14
Second Year					
Fall	Credits	Interim	Credits	Spring	Credits
THE201 Christian Theology	3	World Cultures (U) course	3	Text or Context course choice	3
Text or Context course choice	3			Jesus or Paul course choice	3
Laboratory Science (D) course	4			THE263 Christian Social Ethics	3
Elective or 1st Semester of Language	4			Second Language (S) course *1	4
Artistic Experience (A) course	0-3			Leisure and Lifetime Sports (Q) course	1
	14-17		3		14
Third Year					
Fall	Credits	Interim	Credits	Spring	Credits
BIB321 Issues in Biblical Studies	3	Elective	3	THE315 Contemporary Theological Issues	3
REL202 Introduction to Religious Studies	3			Interpreting Biblical Themes (J) course	3
THE311 Early Church to Reformation Theology	3			Comparative Systems (G) course	3
Jesus or Paul course choice	3			200-Level Theology Elective course	3
200-Level Elective or Biblical or Theological Studies course	3			Elective	3
	15		3		15
Fourth Year					
Fall	Credits	Interim	Credits	Spring	Credits
300-400 Level Elective Biblical or Theological Studies course	3	Interim Off		BIB499 or GRK 498 (or Elective) Seminar: Biblical Studies	3-4
Science, Technology, and Society (K) course	3			300-400 Level Theology Elective course	3
Contemporary Christian Issues (P) course	3			Electives	9
THE499 (or Elective)	3				
Cross-Cultural Experience (Z) course	0-3				
	12-15		0		15-16

Total Credits: 122-129

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If a student chooses to use major requirements to also count as General Education requirements, the number of elective hours will be increased accordingly.

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B.A. in Biblical and Theological Studies 2016-2017: Option 2 - Humanities

First Year					
Fall	Credits	Interim	Credits	Spring	Credits
GES106 Introduction to Liberal Arts	1	GES147 Humanities II: Renaissance and	4	GES244 Humanities III: European Enlightenment and American Culture to 1877	4
GES145 Humanities I: Greco-Roman through Middle Ages	4			PEA100 Physical Wellness for Life	1
BIB101 Introduction to the Bible	3			Mathematics (M) course	3
Nature of Persons (N) course	3			Electives	6
Elective	3				
	14		4		14
Second Year					
Fall	Credits	Interim	Credits	Spring	Credits
GES246 Humanities IV: Modern and Contemporary Western Culture	4	World Cultures (U) course	3	Text or Context course choice	3
Text or Context course choice	3			Jesus or Paul course choice	3
Laboratory Science (D) course	4			THE263 Christian Social Ethics	3
Electives	4			Second Language (S) course *1	4
Artistic Experience (A) course	0-3			Leisure and Lifetime Sports (Q) course	1
	15-18		3		14
Third Year					
Fall	Credits	Interim	Credits	Spring	Credits
BIB321 Issues in Biblical Studies	3	Elective	3	THE315 Contemporary Theological Issues	3
REL202 Introduction to Religious Studies	3			Interpreting Biblical themes (J) course	3
THE311 Early Church to Reformation Theology	3			Comparative Systems (G) course	3
Jesus or Paul course choice	3			200-level Theology elective course	3
200-level elective biblical or theological studies course	3			Elective	3
	15		3		15
Fourth Year					
Fall	Credits	Interim	Credits	Spring	Credits
300-400 level major elective	3	Interim Off		BIB499 or GRK 498 (or Elective) Seminar: Biblical Studies	3-4
Science, Technology and Society (K) course	3			300/400-level Theology elective course	3
Contemporary Christian Issues (P) course	3			Electives	7
THE499 (or Elective)	3				
Cross-Cultural Experience (Z) course	0-3				
	12-15		0		13-14

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