

A **three-year program** (max 9yrs part-time) with a balance of biblical, historical, theological and practical subjects. Each unit is one semester, a normal full-time load being 4 units/semester. A 4<sup>th</sup> year can be added for an honours degree.

## 9 Foundational Units:

Formative Old Testament Traditions (from Genesis to the time of Elijah)#

From Israel to Judea (from 8<sup>th</sup> century prophets, to post-exilic literature)#

The Content and Setting of the Gospel Tradition#

The Early New Testament Church#

Foundations of Theology

Ministry Formation or Foundations for Youth Ministry

or Ministry Formation for Educational Chaplaincy

At least 2 of:

Early Church History (30-451)# The Church from 1550 to Modern Times #

The Continental Reformation (Advanced level)

At least 1 semester of biblical language: NT Greek A or Biblical Hebrew A or Intro to NT Greek

(NT Greek B and/or Biblical Hebrew B may be taken as electives)

## 10 Advanced Units

At least 3 biblical exegesis subjects (*at least 1 from each of OT and NT*)

The Pentateuch

Synoptic Gospels

Former Prophets

The Fourth Gospel

Isaiah

Romans

Jeremiah

Paul and Corinthian Correspondence

The Psalter

The Epistle to the Hebrews

Wisdom Literature

General Epistles

The Doctrine of God and the Work of Christ

At least 1 of: Doctrines of Grace & Eschatology Reformation Issues

Church, Sacraments and Ministry

At least 4 subjects in Ministry and Practice, such as:

Chaplaincy in Education Settings

Intro to Church based Children's Ministry

Church Dynamics and Growth

Issues in Children's Ministry

Evangelism Principles

Mission Perspectives

Living Faiths

Pastoral Skills and Methods

Foundations of Pastoral Care

Introductory Preaching

Foundations for Youth Ministry

Principles of Leadership & Management

Field Education Unit

Mission in the Urban Context

Supervised Experience Based Learning (*single unit taken over 6 semesters*)

## 5 Electives:

From any of the above and others such as:

Intro to Christian Ethics

Christian Apologetics

Christian Faith in Society

# Minimum of 4-core foundation level units must be completed before attempting advanced level

\*The information on this sheet is a guideline for Vose Seminary students enrolling for an ACT award. Detailed requirements are in the ACT Handbooks. Some units are required by Vose and not all units are offered every year. In making enrolment decisions, check information with Vose.