

### Bible & Religion Major (36 credit hours)

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Courses in this major are drawn from the related areas of theology, Bible, and religion as students explore the biblical sources of Christian religion and its theology, practice, and relation to life and culture. This major is especially valuable for pre-seminary students.

#### **Major Requirements:**

- BIBL 2000, Introduction to the Bible, 3 credit hours
- BIBL 2050, Methods in Biblical Exegesis, 3 credit hours\*\*
- RLGN 2000, Introduction to Religion, 3 credit hours
- RLGN 2060, History of Christianity, 3 credit hours
- RLGN 2130, Introduction to Christian Ethics, 3 credit hours\*\*
- RLGN 2150, Hermeneutics: The Practice of Interpreting, 3 credit hours\*\*
- RLGN 3040, Introduction to Christian Theology, 3 credit hours\*\*
- RLGN 3320, A World of Religions, 3 credit hours\*\*\*
- RLGN 3300, Beginnings of Christianity, 3 credit hours\*\*
- Upper Division Bible or Religion Course, 3 credit hours
- Hebrew Bible Exegetical Course, 3 credit hours
- New Testament Exegetical Course, 3 credit hours

\*\*BIBL 2000 is a prerequisite for this course

\*\*\*Upper division standing required

- BIBL 2000, Introduction to the Bible, is a Biblical Literacy course in the Liberal Arts Program.
- RLGN 3320, A World of Religions, is a Global/Intercultural course in the Liberal Arts Program.
- Biblical Greek (BIBL 2210 and BIBL 2220) and Biblical Hebrew (BIBL 2110, 2120) may NOT be applied toward the major, but they do meet the Liberal Arts Program's Global/Intercultural Ways of Knowing: Ancient Foreign Languages.

### Religion Minor (15 credit hours)

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- RLGN 2000, Introduction to Religion, 3 credit hours
- RLGN 2060, History of Christianity, 3 credit hours
- RLGN 3320, A World of Religions, 3 credit hours

Remaining hours from RLGN-captioned courses not applied to liberal arts requirements.

**NOTE:** All students must complete 120 total credit hours to graduate from Anderson University.

Questions? Please contact the [School of Theology and Christian Ministry](#).

Proposed 4 year course sequence:

Freshman: BIBL 2000, RLGN 2000; BIBL 2050

Sophomore: RLGN 2060, RLGN 2150; RLGN 3040

Junior: RLGN 2130, RLGN 3300, Exegetical Course; RLGN 3320, Exegetical Course

Senior: Upper Division Elective in either BIBL or RLGN

### Bible & Religion 4 Year Suggested Course Sequence

SEMESTER 1		SEMESTER 2	
BIBL 2000	3 Hours	BIBL 2050	3 Hours
RLGN 2000	3 Hours	ENGL 1120	3 Hours
ENGL 1100/ENGL 1110	3-4 Hours	Quantitative Reasoning	3 Hours
LART 1050	1 Hour	Additional Class	3 Hours
Foreign Language	4 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours
Personal Wellness	2 Hours		

SEMESTER 3		SEMESTER 4	
RLGN 2060	3 Hours	RLGN 3040	3 Hours
RLGN 2150	3 Hours	Civic Ways of Knowing	3 Hours
Scientific Ways of Knowing	4 Hours	Social & Behavioral Way of Knowing	3 Hours
COMM 1000	3 Hours	Aesthetic Ways of Knowing	3 Hours
Additional Class	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours

SEMESTER 5		SEMESTER 6	
RLGN 2130	3 Hours	RLGN 3320	3 Hours
RLGN 3300	3 Hours	Exegetical Course	3 Hours
Exegetical Course	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours
Christian Ways of Knowing	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours
Additional Class	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours

SEMESTER 7		SEMESTER 8	
Upper Division Elective BIBL or RLGN	3 Hours	Speaking Intensive	3 Hours
Writing Intensive	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours
Additional Class	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours
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Proposed 3 year course sequence:

Freshman: BIBL 2000, RLGN 2000, RLGN 2060; BIBL 2050

Sophomore: RLGN 2130, RLGN 2150; RLGN 3040; Exegetical Course

Junior: RLGN 3300, Exegetical Course; RLGN 3320; Upper Division Elective in either BIBL or RLGN

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SEMESTER 1		SEMESTER 2	
BIBL 2000	3 Hours	BIBL 2050	3 Hours
RLGN 2000	3 Hours	ENGL 1120	3 Hours
RLGN 2060	3 Hours	Quantitative Reasoning	3 Hours
LART 1050	1 Hour	Additional Class	3 Hours
ENGL 1100/ENGL 1110	3-4 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours
Additional Class	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours

SUMMER 1	
Additional Class	3 Hours
Additional Class	3 Hours
Additional Class	3 Hours

SEMESTER 3		SEMESTER 4	
RLGN 2130	3 Hours	RLGN 3040	3 Hours
RLGN 2150	3 Hours	Exegetical Course	3 Hours
Foreign Language	4 Hours	Aesthetic Ways of Knowing	3 Hours
COMM 1000	3 Hours	Civic Ways of Knowing	3 Hours
Personal Wellness	2 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours
Additional Class	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours

SUMMER 2	
Additional Class	3 Hours
Additional Class	3 Hours
Additional Class	3 Hours

SEMESTER 5		SEMESTER 6	
Exegetical Course	3 Hours	RLGN 3320	3 Hours
RLGN 3300	3 Hours	Upper Division Elective BIBL or RLGN	3 Hours
Writing Intensive	3 Hours	Speaking Intensive	3 Hours
Scientific Ways of Knowing	4 Hours	Social & Behavioral Ways of Knowing	3 Hours
Christian Ways of Knowing	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours
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