

Certificate of Higher Education in Theology, Ministry and Mission (120)

Spiritus Theological College T4: Module Overview Table 2025-26

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Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits	Compulsory	Summary of Content	Teaching and Learning Methods	Learning Hours	Assessment Methods	
1031	Introduction to the Bible	4	20	YES	An overview of the Bible. Prayers in the scriptures, and how to read Pss; exploration of various theological motifs in OT and NT (e.g. prayer, Kingdom of God), incorporating how we might understand different biblical genre (Gospels, including parallels and parables, Epistles, Creation texts, apocalyptic), and different critical approaches (e.g. social scientific, historical and culturally informed readings).	Lectures: live in person 6 x 1.25 hours; 1.5 hrs zoom x 7 + 1.25 hrs x 1 Total = 19.25 hours	Lectures 19.25 Private study 180.75 Total 200	Component 1: 50% Essay 2,500 wds Component 2: 50% 30 minute Bible study resource (1000 wds) and 1,500 word commentary	
1131	Introduction to Christian Doctrine and History	4	20	YES	A number of theological topics (prayer, God as Father, Kingdom, Sin and Forgiveness, Temptation and the problem of evil, sacraments, faith & grace, theology of salvation) will be explored in both historical and contemporary contexts.	Lectures: in person 5 or 6 x 1.25 hours; zoom 1 or 2 x 1.25. Total = 8.75 Asynchronous online learning, -7 x 2 hours = 14	Lectures 8.75 Online learning 14 Private study 177.25 Total 200	Component 1: 50% Essay 2,500 wds, Component 2: 50% Essay 2,500 wds	
1191	Informal Learning with Young People and Children	4	20	NO	0 1 0 0 0	Lectures 7 x 1.25 hours = 8.75 Online learning 7 x 2 hours = 14	Lectures 8.75 Online learning 14 Private study 177.25 Total 200	Component 1: Essay 2500 words; Component 2: Written theological reflection 2,500	
1231	Human Identity, Theology, Vocation and Professional Practice	4	20		Human personhood in scientific and theological perspective; Human identity and the imitation of Christ; healing ministry; baptism, Holy Spirit, spiritual gifts and identity; theology of ministry; Eucharist and inclusivity; family community in the world; church and the common good.	Lectures in person 12 x 1.25 hours; zoom 2 x 1.25. Total = 17.5	Lectures 17.5 Placement/contextual learning and private study 182.5 Total 200	Component 1: 50% Theological Reflection, 2,500 words Component 2: 50% resource and commentary	
1287	Independent Learning Project (short)	4	10	YES for I, Me & Mt	Both I and Mt pathways will sit in 2121 and use topics from that as a basis for the ILPMe will sit in on TMM2021 and do an ILP based on evangelism in the Bible.	Supervision 2 x 60 mins (in person or by Zoom) I and Mt to be focussed on a doctrinal topic and accompanied by attendance at 7 x 1.25 hours TMM2121. Me on a biblical topic; to be accompanied by attendance at TMM2021.	Lectures 8.75 Supervision 2 Private study 89.25 Total 100	ILP comprising a written assignment of 3000 words	
1291	Independent Learning Project (long)	4	20	YES for I, Mp & Mt	Both I and Mt pathways will sit in TMM2021 and use topics from that as a basis for the ILP. For the Mp pathway there will be a pastoral care focus	Supervision 4 x 45mins (in person or by Zoom) For I and Mt to be focussed on a biblical topic and accompanied by attendance at 7 x 2.5 hours TMM2021.	Lectures 17.5 Supervision 3 Private study 179.5 Total 200	ILP comprising a portfolio of 5000 words	
1317	Elements of Ministry and Mission in Context	4	10	YES for Me & Mt	Subjects covered here include: Belief; models of mission; Five Marks of Mission; Pioneer ministry; missional liturgy; ministry; reflections on faith, hope and love.	Lectures: in person, 5 or 6 x 1.25 hours; zoom 1 or 2 x 1.25 .Total = 8.75	Lectures, 8.75 Placement/contextual learning and private study 91.25 Total 100	Written theological reflection, 2500 words	

1317	Foundations for Ministry and Worship in Context	4	20	YES for I	This will include teaching and reflection on topics including leading prayer, the history of Anglican worship, different forms of worship (e.g. missional, sacramental) and communication skills including listening. There will be a focus on preaching throughout the module.	Lectures 7 x 1.25 hours (1 or 2 by zoom) = 8.75 Online learning, some synchronous, some asynchronous: 7 x 2 hours = 14	Lectures 8.75 Online learning 14 Placement/contextual learning and private study 177.25 Total 200	Component 1 written theological reflection 1250 words (25%) Component 2 written theological reflection 1250 words (25%) Component 3 essay 2500 words (50%)
1321	Foundations for Ministry and Worship in Context	4	20	YES for I & M	This will include teaching and reflection on topics including leading prayer, the history of Anglican worship, different forms of worship (e.g. missional, sacramental) and communication skills including listening. There will be a focus on preaching throughout the module.	Lectures 7 x 1.25 hours (1 or 2 by zoom) = 8.75 Online learning, some synchronous, some asynchronous: 7 x 2 hours = 14	Lectures 8.75 Online learning 14 Placement/contextual learning and private study 177.25 Total 200	Component 1 written theological reflection 1250 words (25%) Component 2 written theological reflection 1250 words (25%) Component 3 essay 2500 words (50%)
1347	Introduction to Preaching	4	10		Introduction to listening and communication skills in the context of worship and preaching. Overview of the history and different forms of Anglican worship (e.g. missional, sacramental). Preaching in different contexts.	Lectures 7 x 1.25 hours (5 or 6 in person, 1 or 2 by zoom) = 8.75 Online learning, some synchronous, some asynchronous 3 x 1.5 hours = 4.5	Lectures 8.75 Online 4.5 Placement and Private study 86.75 Total 100	Oral Presentation (10 mins) + Commentary/written reflection on practice, 2000 words 100%
1381	Evangelism in Practice	4	20	YES for Me	This will explore different approaches to evangelism within the context of the local church and the ministry and mission of the church more widely. It will develop both practical experience of evangelism and skills for theological reflection about it.	Lectures 7 x 1.25 hours = 8.75 Online learning, some interactive 7 x 2 hours = 14	Lectures 8.75 Online learning 14 Private study 177.25 Total 200	Component 1: essay 2500 words; Component 2: Written theological reflection OR reflective learning journal 2,500 words
1421	Introduction to Pastoral Care	4	20	YES for M	This will introduce some major issues of pastoral care, consider contextually appropriate use of theological and biblical resources in pastoral situations, and encourage development of skills for pastoral ministry.	Lectures 7 x 1.25 hours = 8.75 Online learning, some interactive 7 x 2 hours = 14	Lectures 8.75 Online learning 14 Private study 177.25 Total 200	Component 1: essay 2500 words; Component 2: Written theological reflection 2,500 words
1437	Introducing Theological Reflection	4	10	YES for 1 & M	Introducing methods of theological reflection, including:the Pastoral Cycle/Let's do theology spiral, the Movement Towards Insight model, the Critical Correlation method, the Scriptural Cycle and theological writing. Instilling reflective, self-critical habits and encouraging students to integrate their learning experiences into their lives and ministry.	supported on-line learning 6 x 2 hours	Online activities 12 Private study 88 Total 100	Component 1: essay 1500 words; (60%) Component 2: Written theological reflection-1000 words (40%)

1447	Foundations for Reflective Practice in Context (Short)	4	10		An introduction to reflective practice, reflexivity, theological reflection and journalling, as well as topics that are especially relevant to their contexts, such as understanding congregations, forgiveness, temptation, sanctity of creation, and sustaining faith in ministry.		Lectures 8.75 Placement & Private study 91.25 Total 100	Component 1: book review 1000 words (40%) Component 2: Written theological reflection 1500 words (60%)
1451	Foundations for Reflective Practice in Context (Long)	4	20	YES	An introduction to reflective practice, reflexivity and theological reflection, as well as practices such as journalling and the examen. Topics relevant to their ministerial formation are also explored such as congregations, power and leadership, forgiveness and humility, temptation, sanctity of creation, sustaining faith and the dark night of the soul.	Lectures 7 x 2.5 hours = 17.5 (mostly in person with up to 6 hours by zoom)	Lectures 17.5 Private study 182.5 Total 200	Portfolio 5000 words
1451	Foundations for Reflective Practice in Context (Long) Chaplaincy Version	4	20	YES for I focusing on Chap.	An introduction to reflective practice, reflexivity and theological reflection, as well as practices such as journalling and the examen. Topics relevant to their ministerial formation are also explored such as congregations, power and leadership, forgiveness and humility, temptation, sanctity of creation, sustaining faith and the dark night of the soul.	Lectures 7 x 1.25 hours = 7 (6 in person with 1 on Zoom) Supported online learning 7 x 1.5 hours = 10.5	Lectures: 8.75 Online activities: 10.5 Private study: 180.75 Total 200	Portfolio of 5000 words
1781	Foundations in Chaplaincy Studies	4	20		Key developments in chaplaincy ministry; theologies of chaplaincy ministry; current debates in chaplaincy studies; pastoral, ethical and professional considerations in chaplaincy ministry; different forms of chaplaincy ministry; working in multidisciplinary and multi-faith teams; leading public worship as chaplain in different contexts.	Lectures: 7 x 1.25 hours = 8.75 (6 in person, 1 on Zoom), online learning: 7 x 2 hours = 14, Total = 22.75 hours	Online learning: 14	Component 1: 50% Essay, 2500 wds Component 2: 50% Oral presentation (15 minutes) and commentary (1500 words)