



2025 Bachelor of Ministry Unit Selection Guide

24 units = 288 credit points (12cps each)

No more than 12 units (144cps) at level 5, and including at least 6 units (72cps) at level 7

Allowed time for completion: 3 years F/T, up to 9 years P/T

2025 cost per unit: \$2853

Semester 1 Start date: Monday 10 February

Semester 2 Start date: Monday 21 July

*Courses started before 2025 do not require Interpreting and Preaching Scripture

Unit Code	Unit Title	Sem	Delivery Mode	Delivery Location	Delivery Slot	Pre/corequisites
4 foundational Bible units						
OT001-512	Old Testament Foundations	S1 S1	Semester Intensive (19-23 May)	On-Campus, Off-Campus	Day	
OT002-512	Old Testament Prophets and Writings	S2 S2	Semester Intensive (29 Sep-3 Oct)	On-Campus, Off-Campus	Day	
NT001-512	Jesus and the Gospels	S1	Semester	On-Campus, Off-Campus	Day	
NT002-512	The Early New Testament Church	S2	Semester	On-Campus, Off-Campus	Day	
1 foundational Ministry and Mission unit*						
PC+++512	Interpreting and Preaching Scripture	S1	Semester	On-Campus, Off-Campus	Day	
2 Christianity in History units						
CH001-512	Christianity in History to 1550	S1	Semester	On-Campus, Off-Campus	Day	
CH002-512	Christianity in History from 1550	S2 S2	Semester Intensive (14-18 July)	On-Campus, Off-Campus	Evening Day	
4 Theology units						
TH001-6/712	Knowledge of God	S1	Semester	On-Campus, Off-Campus	Day	24cps OT/NT
TH002-6/712	Doctrine of God, Work of Christ	S2	Semester	On-Campus	Day	24cps OT/NT
TH103-6/712	Doctrines of Grace and Eschatology	S2	Semester	On-Campus, Off-Campus	Day	24cps OT/NT
TH104-6/712	The Church and its Ministry	S1 S2	Semester Intensive (8-12 Sep)	On-Campus, Off-Campus	Evening Day	24cps OT/NT
4 Old Testament exegesis units						
OT008-6/712	The Pentateuch (English)	S1	Semester	On-Campus, Off-Campus	Evening	OT001
OT014-6/712	Exilic Prophecy (English)	S2	-	Not available in 2025		OT002
OT016-6/712	Wisdom Literature (English)	S1	Semester	On-Campus, Off-Campus	Day	OT002
OT020-6/712	The Psalter (English)	S2	Semester	On-Campus, Off-Campus	Day	OT002
4 New Testament exegesis units						
NT008-6/712	The Synoptic Gospels (English)	S2	Semester	On-Campus, Off-Campus	Day	NT001
NT016-6/712	The Fourth Gospel (English)	S1	Semester	On-Campus, Off-Campus	Day	NT001
NT018-6/712	Pauline Theology & Romans (English)	S1	-	Next available in 2026		NT002
NT024-6/712	Other Writings (English)	S2	Intensive (29 Sep-3 Oct)	On-Campus, Off-Campus	Day	NT002

1 Spiritual Formation unit						
EM017-6/712	Spiritual Formation for Cross-Cultural Settings	S1	Semester	On-Campus	Day	
PC076-6/712	Personal and Spiritual Formation for Christian Ministry	S1	Semester	On-Campus	Day	
4 Ministry & Practice units - with at least one EM***-712 unit, and another PC/EM/DE***-712 unit.						
DE014-6/712	Chaplaincy in Educational Settings	S1	-	Not available in 2025		
EM008-6/712	Cross-Cultural Communication	S1	Semester	On-campus	Day	
EM014-6/712	Teaching in Intercultural Settings	S2	Semester	On-Campus, Off-Campus	Evening	
EM021-6/712	Living Faiths	S1 S2	Intensive (20-24 Jan) Semester	On-Campus, Off-Campus On-Campus	Day	
EM025-6/712	Applied Evangelism	S2	Semester	On-Campus, Off-Campus	Day	
EM026-6/712	Church Planting (Cross-Cultural)	S2	Semester	On-Campus, Off-Campus	Day	
EM040-6/712	Cross-Cultural Field education	S1	Semester	On-Campus	Day	
EM060-6/712	God's Mission and the Local Church	S2	Semester	On-Campus	Day	
PC003-6/712	Pastoral Skills and Methods	S2	Semester	On-Campus, Off-Campus	Day	
PC&&&-6/712	Practical Foundations for Pastoral Ministry	S2	Semester	On-Campus	Day	
PC058-712	Conflict Management for Ministry Workers	S2	-	Next available in 2026		
PC070-712	Empowering Leadership	S2	Intensive (14-18 July)	On-Campus, Off-Campus	Day	
PC***-6/712	Advanced Preaching	S2	Semester	Off-Campus, On-Campus	Day	PC+++
The Bridge Ministry and Practice units – transferable EM credits from The Bridge						
EM001-512	Mission Perspectives	S1				
EM055-524	Cross-cultural Ministry Immersion	S2				

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Unit times can be found on the timetable. Visit <https://www.smbc.edu.au/resources/timetables>

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