

B.A. in English/Advanced M.Div. | Suggested Pathway

First Year

- BTGE-1725 The Bible and the Gospel* (3)
- COM-1100 Fundamentals of Speech (3)
- ENG-1400 Composition (3)
- GBIO-1000 Principles of Biology (3.5)
- GSS-1100 Politics and American Culture (3)
- HUM-1400 Introduction to the Humanities (3)
- LIT-1990 First-Year Seminar (3)
- PEF-1990 Physical Activity and Healthy Living (2)
- History Elective (3)
- Quantitative Elective (3)
- Social Science/Global Awareness Elective (3)

Total Credit Hours: 32.5

Second Year

- BTGE-2730 Old Testament Literature* (3)
- BTGE-2740 New Testament Literature* (3)
- CWRT-2220 Introduction to Creative Writing (3)
- ENG-2020 Career Development for the English Major (2)
- ENG-2230 Advanced Composition (3)
- LIT-2090 Literary Analysis (3)
- LIT-2390 Survey of American Literature to 1900 (3)
- LIT-2430 Survey of British Literature to 1800 (3)
- LIT-2440 Survey of British Literature from 1800 to Present (3)
- Physical Science Elective (3.5)
- Concentration Requirements (3)

Total Credit Hours: 32.5

Third Year

- BTBL-2510 Elementary Greek I** (4)
- BTBL-2520 Elementary Greek II** (4)
- BTGE-3755 Theology I* (3)
- BTGE-3765 Theology II* (3)
- BTOT-3110 Old Testament 1: Pentateuch*** (3) or
BTOT-3210 Old Testament 2: Former Prophets*** (3) or
BTOT-3XXX or 4XXX Old Testament Elective (3)
- ENG-3180 Visual Rhetoric (2)
- LIT-3350 Shakespeare (3)
- LIT-3440 Multiethnic American Literature (3)
(or LIT-3100 Contemporary Young Adult Literature (3))
- LIT-4310 Literary Theory (3)

- Humanities Elective/Global Awareness Elective (3)
BTPA-2200 Introduction to Philosophy† (3) or
BTPA-2260 World Religions (3)

Total Credit Hours: 31

Fourth Year

- BTBL-3510 Intermediate Greek‡ (3)
- BTNT-3110 New Testament 1: Synoptic Gospels*** (3) or
BTNT-3120 New Testament 2: Acts and NT Epistles*** (3) or
BTNT-3XXX or 4XXX New Testament Elective (3)
- LIT-4220 English Seminar (3)
- Concentration Requirements (12-15)
- Missions or Evangelism Course (3)
- BTBL-6110 Greek Syntax and Exegesis# (3)
- Adv. M.Div. Core# (3-6)

Total Credit Hours: 33

This accelerated pathway assumes prior completion of undergraduate proficiency requirements.

Applicable course to meet up to 30 hours of undergraduate prerequisite work for the Adv. M.Div. program

*Satisfies part of the undergraduate Bible minor.

**Prerequisites for BTBL-3510 Intermediate Greek and satisfies undergraduate elective credits. Successful completion of these courses does not satisfy prerequisite requirements for the Adv. M. Div. program.

***Recommended course(s)

†BTPA-2200 Introduction to Philosophy satisfies the humanities elective, but does not satisfy the global awareness elective.

‡Successful completion satisfies the New Testament Greek language prerequisite for the Advanced M.Div. program.

#Upon achieving undergraduate senior status and appropriate approvals, students may complete two to three graduate courses during their undergraduate program to satisfy requirements for the Adv. M.Div. program. These graduate courses may satisfy requirements for undergraduate elective courses and/or Adv. M. Div. prerequisite courses.

Overview: The 61 hours Adv. M.Div. assumes prior completion of 30 hours of undergraduate prerequisites for the program.

The pathway courses indicated above provide a student with 27 hours of undergraduate credit recognized by the Adv. M.Div. program.

In addition, a student may select 6 hours of graduate credit (potentially resulting in 58 hours of remaining graduate course work).

Students who are not accepted into the Adv. M.Div. program or who decide not to complete the graduate program should switch to the regular English major to complete their undergraduate degree.

Fifth and Sixth Years

See the Advanced Master of Divinity (Adv. M.Div.) curriculum in the online graduate catalog available at cedarville.edu/gradcatalog.