THEOLOGY & APOLOGETICS (B.A.) - GLOBAL STUDIES (B.A.) - RESIDENT

Important: This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2023 through summer 2024. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations, or cognates.

General Education/Foundational Skills Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Communication & Information Literacy [1]		
ENGL 101	Composition and Rhetoric	3
INQR 101	Inquiry	1
Communications Elective		3
Composition Elective		3
Information Literacy Elective		3
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Technological Solutions & Quantitative Reasoning [1]		
UNIV 101	Foundational Skills	1
Math Elective	MATH 114 or higher	3
Technology Competency [2]		0-3
Critical Thinking [1]		
RLGN 105	Introduction to Biblical Worldview [3]	2
RSCH 201	Research	3
Critical Thinking Elective		3
Civic & Global Engagement [1]		
EVAN 101	Evangelism and the Christian Life [3]	2
Cultural Studies Elective		3
Social & Scientific Inquiry [1]		
Natural Science Elective		3
Social Science Elective		3
Christianity & Contexts [1]		
BIBL 105	Old Testament Survey	2
BIBL 110	New Testament Survey	2
THEO 201	Theology Survey I [3]	2
THEO 202	Theology Survey II [3]	2
Liberal Arts Focus [1]		
GREK 201	Greek Grammar I	3
GREK 202	Greek Grammar II	3
GREK 302	Greek Syntax and Reading	3
GREK 401	Greek Exegesis	3
Integrative Elective		3
Total Hours		**62-65**

1. Refer to the list of approved general education electives before enrolling in foundational skill requirements
2. All students must pass the Computer Assessment OR complete applicable INFT course
3. Students transferring in 45 or more UG credit hours will have the requirements of RLGN 105 Introduction to Biblical Worldview (2 c.h.) & EVAN 101 Evangelism and the Christian Life (2 c.h.) waived; Students transferring in 60 or more UG credit hours will also have the requirements of THEO 201 Theology Survey I (2 c.h.) & THEO 202 Theology Survey II (2 c.h.) waived

Major Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Major Foundational Courses		
APOL 201	Apologetics and Cultural Engagement [1]	3
GLST 220	Intercultural Communication and Engagement [1]	3
PHIL 201	Philosophy and Contemporary Ideas [1]	3
Total Hours		**9**

1. Course may fulfill select general education requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Major Core		
APOL 311	Foundational Issues in Apologetics	3
APOL 325	Christianity and the Cults	3
APOL 480	Biblical Studies and Apologetics	3
BIBL 350	Introduction to Biblical Interpretation	3
BIBL 460	New Testament Theology	3
BIBL 461	Old Testament Theology	3
BIBL 480	Hermeneutics	3
CHHI 301	History of the Christian Church I	3
or CHHI 302	History of the Christian Church II	
RLGN 350	World Religions	3
RLST 489	Religious Studies Capstone	3
THEO 350	Methods and Issues in Theology	3
THEO 362	Historical Theology	3
THEO 412	The Spirit, the Church, and Its Hope	3
Religion Elective [1]		3
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Total Hours		**45**

1. Choose a 200-400 level APOL, CHHI, CHMN, RLGN, or THEO course not already required in the major

Code	Title	Hours
Cognate		
GLST 200	Introduction to Global Studies	3
GLST 290	Cultural Anthropology	3
GLST 390	Engaging Oral Communicators	3
GLST 431	Introduction to Islam	3
Total Hours		**12**

Code	Title	Hours
Free Electives		
Choose 0-1 credit hours of Free Electives		0-1
Total Hours		**0-1**

All applicable prerequisites must be met

Graduation Requirements

- **120** Total hours
- **2.0** Overall grade point average
- **30** Hours must be upper-level courses (300-400 level)
- **Grade of 'C'** Minimum required for all upper-level courses in the major
- **25%** Of major and cognate taken through Liberty University
- **30** Hours must be completed through Liberty University
- **Grad App** Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date
- **CSER** All requirements must be satisfied before a degree will be awarded

Course Sequence

Course	Title	Hours
First Year		
First Semester		
BIBL 110	New Testament Survey	2
ENGL 101	Composition and Rhetoric	3
INQR 101	Inquiry	1
RLGN 105	Introduction to Biblical Worldview	2
UNIV 101	Foundational Skills	1
Communications Elective (GLST 220) [1]		3
Social Science Elective [1]		3
GREK 201	Greek Grammar I	3
CSER		0
	Hours	**18**
Second Semester		
BIBL 105	Old Testament Survey	2
EVAN 101	Evangelism and the Christian Life	2
THEO 201	Theology Survey I	2
Composition Elective [1]		3
Information Literacy Elective [1]		3
MATH Elective [1]		3
GREK 202	Greek Grammar II	3
CSER		0
	Hours	**18**
Second Year		
First Semester		
Critical Thinking Elective (PHIL 201) [1]		3
Cultural Studies Elective (APOL 201) [1]		3
Information Literacy Elective [1]		3
Natural Science Elective [1]		3
GREK 302	Greek Syntax and Reading	3
CSER		0
	Hours	**15**
Second Semester		
RSCH 201	Research	3
THEO 202	Theology Survey II	2
Technology Competency [2]		0-3
GREK 401	Greek Exegesis	3
BIBL 350	Introduction to Biblical Interpretation	3
GLST 200	Introduction to Global Studies	3
CSER		0
	Hours	**14-17**
Third Year		
First Semester		
GLST 290	Cultural Anthropology	3
APOL 311	Foundational Issues in Apologetics	3
RLGN 350	World Religions	3
RLST 489	Religious Studies Capstone	3
CSER		0
	Hours	**12**
Second Semester		
CHHI 301 or CHHI 302	History of the Christian Church I or History of the Christian Church II	3
APOL 325	Christianity and the Cults	3
BIBL 460	New Testament Theology	3
THEO 350	Methods and Issues in Theology	3
Elective		1
CSER		0
	Hours	**13**
Fourth Year		
First Semester		
APOL 480	Biblical Studies and Apologetics	3
GLST 390	Engaging Oral Communicators	3
BIBL 461	Old Testament Theology	3
THEO 362	Historical Theology	3
Religion Elective [3]		3
CSER		0
	Hours	**15**
Second Semester		
Integrative Elective [1]		3
BIBL 480	Hermeneutics	3
GLST 431	Introduction to Islam	3
THEO 412	The Spirit, the Church, and Its Hope	3
Religion Elective [3]		3
CSER		0
	Hours	**15**
	Total Hours	**120-123**

1. Refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened before enrolling foundational skills requirements.
2. All students must pass the Computer Assessment OR complete applicable INFT course; refer to www.liberty.edu/computerassessment for more information.
3. Choose a 200-400 level APOL, CHHI, CHMN, RLGN, or THEO course not already required in the major.