

These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's [core regulations for modular taught master's degrees, postgraduate diplomas and postgraduate certificates](#) .

## **MA BIBLICAL STUDIES (V8K207)**

1. Location: Durham City.
2. Duration: full-time (12 months), part-time (24 months).

### **Programme structure**

3. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules:

<b>List A:</b>		<b>Credit value</b>
Resources, Methods and Interpretation	<a href="#">THEO40830</a> ~	30
Dissertation	<a href="#">THEO53160</a> ~	60

4. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 60 credits from List B:

<b>List B:</b>		<b>Credit value</b>
Advanced Hebrew Texts	<a href="#">THEO53230</a>	30
Advanced Aramaic	<a href="#">THEO53430</a>	30
Middle Egyptian *	<a href="#">THEO42830</a>	30
Advanced Hebrew Text and Exegesis *	<a href="#">THEO42730</a>	30
The Dead Sea Scrolls and the New Testament	<a href="#">THEO53830</a>	30
The New Testament and the Social Sciences	<a href="#">THEO41430</a>	30
Gospels and Canon *	<a href="#">THEO42630</a>	30
Paul and his Interpreters	<a href="#">THEO40130</a>	30
Theological Interpretation of Scripture	<a href="#">THEO54130</a>	30

5. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 30 credits from List C:

<b>List C:</b>		<b>Credit value</b>
The Development of Christian Exegesis 100-500	<a href="#">THEO43330</a>	30
Transformative Listening *	<a href="#">THEO41730</a>	30
Patristic Ecclesiology	<a href="#">THEO43230</a>	30
Christian Northumbria 600-750	<a href="#">THEO57630</a>	30
Worship and Reform in Britain 1530-62 *	<a href="#">THEO41530</a>	30
The Anglican Theological Vision	<a href="#">THEO41930</a>	30
Liturgy and Sacramentality	<a href="#">THEO40630</a>	30
Conceiving Change in Contemporary Catholicism *	<a href="#">THEO40230</a>	30
Twentieth-Century Catholic Theology	<a href="#">THEO41630</a>	30
The Practice of Theology in the Catholic Tradition 400-1900	<a href="#">THEO42130</a>	30
Christian Gender	<a href="#">THEO41030</a>	30
Principles of Theological Ethics *	<a href="#">THEO41230</a>	30
Theology, Ethics and Medicine	<a href="#">THEO56930</a>	30
Social Scientific Methods in the Study of Religion	<a href="#">THEO41330</a>	30
Religion, Modernity and Identity	<a href="#">THEO40730</a>	30
Ritual, Symbolism and Belief in the Anthropology of Religion	<a href="#">THEO56730</a>	30
Literature and Religion	<a href="#">THEO55130</a>	30
Christian Formation, Faith Development and Critical Education *	<a href="#">THEO55730</a>	30

The Public Understanding of Science and Religion	<a href="#">THEO40430</a>	30
Specialised Aspects of Practical Theology #	<a href="#">THEO42430</a>	30
A further 30 credits from <b>List B</b>		30
30 credits from another Board of Studies (including appropriate credit-bearing language modules offered by the University's <a href="#">Centre for Foreign Language Study</a> ) ¥		30

### **Assessment, progression and award**

6. Modules marked with \* are not available in 2013-2014
7. Modules marked with ~ must be passed with a mark of 50% or greater. These modules cannot be compensated.
8. Modules marked with # With the approval of the Programme Director of the validated MA in Theology and Ministry and the Degree Programme Director in Theology and Religion.
9. Modules marked with ¥ require approval of the Board of Studies concerned and of the Degree Programme Director in Theology and Religion.