

Diploma of Higher Education in Theology, Ministry and Mission

1. This programme is available at SWMTC in part-time (3 year) mode of study for ordinands on a three-year training programme (M); there is also a slightly different part-time pathway for those who embark on studies as independent students but are subsequently accepted for a two-year ordinand training programme and so do a hybrid of independent and ministerial training (H). A third, four-year route (I) is available for those who remain as independent students. The fourth route (D) is for those who complete a Cert (180) before ordination as a deacon and wish to continue to complete their Diploma during their curacy. All modules listed for a pathway are compulsory for that pathway and 'ALL' means it is compulsory for all pathways. Modules not listed for a pathway are optional for it. A module may appear in more than one list but may only be taken once.
2. Most of these modules are taught through a blend of face-to-face classes (in person or on zoom) supported to varying extents by small groups meeting for reflective practice seminars; those marked * also have a significant amount of supported online learning, both synchronous and asynchronous. The exceptions are the Independent Learning Projects which are supervised in person or by zoom, and those modules marked ** which are entirely supported learning online, although some elements may be synchronous.

Level 4 (120 credits M pathway, 120 credits I pathway, 110 credits H pathway)

3. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following compulsory module to the value of **20 credits** from List A: Biblical Studies

List A: Biblical Studies	Module code	Pathway	Credit value
Introduction to the Bible	TMM1031	ALL	20

4. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following compulsory module to the value of **20 credits** from List B: Christian Tradition

List B: Christian Tradition	Module code	Pathway	Credit value
Introduction to Christian Doctrine and History*	TMM1131	ALL	20

5. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules up to the value of **60 credits** from List C: Ministry and Mission

List C: Ministry and Mission	Module code	Pathway	Credit value
Foundations for Ministry and Mission in Context	TMM1301	M & H	20
Human Identity, Theology, Vocation and Professional Practice*	TMM1231	ALL	20
Foundations for Ministry and Worship in Context*	TMM1321	ALL	20

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6. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in further modules to at least the value of **10 credits** (for H and I) or **20 credits** (for M) selected from List D: Theological Reflection and Reflective Practice:

List D: Theological Reflection and Reflective Practice	Module code	Pathway	Credit value
Foundations for Reflective Practice in Context (long)	TMM1451	M	20
Introducing Theological Reflection**	TMM1437	H & I	10

7. Candidates may also study and be assessed in further modules up to the value of **30 credits** selected from List E: Optional Modules:

List E: Optional Modules	Module code	Pathway	Credit value
Independent Learning Project (long)	TMM1291	I	20
Independent Learning Project (Short)	TMM1287	I	10

Level 5 (120 credits M pathway, 120 credits I pathway, 60 credits D pathway, 130 credits H pathway)

8. Candidates shall study and be assessed in modules up to the value of **40 credits** from List F: Biblical Studies

List F: Biblical Studies	Module code	Pathway	Credit value
Bible in Context	TMM2011	M, H & I	20
Biblical Studies	TMM2021	M & H	20

9. Candidates shall study and be assessed in modules up to the value of **40 credits** from List G: Christian Tradition

List G: Christian Tradition	Module code	Pathway	Credit value
Topics in Christian Doctrine* ❖	TMM2121	ALL	20
Further Topics in Christian Doctrine* ❖	TMM2131	M & H	20

10. Candidates shall study and be assessed in following module to the value of **20 credits** from List H: Ministry and Mission

List H: Ministry and Mission	Module code	Pathway	Credit value
Developing Ministry and Mission in Context	TMM2311		20
Pastoral Care*	TMM2471	M, H & I	20

11. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in the following module to the value of **20 credits** selected from List I: Theological Reflection and Reflective Practice:

List I: Theological Reflection and Reflective Practice	Module code	Pathway	Credit value
Reflective Practice in Context (Short)	TMM2527	D	10
Reflective Practice in Context (Long)	TMM2531	M, D & H	20
Developing Theological Reflection**	TMM2567	I	20

12. Candidates may also study and be assessed in further modules, to make up a total of **240 credits**, selected from List J: Optional Modules:

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List J: Optional Modules	Module code	Pathway	Credit value
Developing Ministry and Mission in Context	TMM2311		20
Independent Learning Project (Short)	TMM2297	H & D	10
Independent Learning Project (Long)	TMM2301	I & D	20
Topics in Church History**	TMM2157		10
New Testament Text Study in Context	TMM2077		10
Old Testament Text Study in Context	TMM2087		10

❖ denotes co-requisite modules