

Foundation Award in Theology, Ministry and Mission

South West Ministry Training Course T4: Module Overview Table 2023-2024

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits	Compulsory	Summary of Content	Teaching and Learning Methods	Learning Hours	Assessment Methods	
1031	Introduction to the Bible	4	20	YES	An overview of the Bible. Prayers in the scriptures, and how to read Pss; exploration of various theological motifs in OT and NT (e.g. prayer, Kingdom of God), incorporating how we might understand different biblical genre (Gospels, including parallels and parables, Epistles, Creation texts, apocalyptic), and different critical approaches (e.g. social scientific, historical and culturally informed readings).	Lectures: in person 5 or 6 x 1.5 hours; zoom 8 or 9 x 1.5 hrs. Total = 21 hours	Lectures 21 Private study 179 Total 200	Component 1: 50% Essay 2,500 wds Component 2: 50% 30 minute Bible study resource (1000 wds) and 1,500 word commentary	
1131	Introduction to Christian Doctrine and History	4	20	YES	A number of theological topics (prayer, God as Father, Kingdom, Sin and Forgiveness, Temptation and the problem of evil, sacraments, faith & grace, theology of salvation) will be explored in both historical and contemporary contexts.	Lectures: in person 5 or 6 x 1.5 hours; zoom 1 or 2 x 1.5. Total = 10.5 Asynchronous online learning, 7 x 2 hours = 14	Lectures 10.5 Online learning 14 Private study 175.5 Total 200	Component 1: 50% Essay 2,500 wds, Component 2: 50% Theological reflection -2,500 wds	
1287	Independent Learning Project (short)	4	10	NO	To enable students to explore in depth a topic in theology, ministry or mission that has particularly engage them during their training.	Supervision 4 x 60mins (in person or by Zoom)	Supervision 4 Private study 96 Total 100	ILP comprising a written assignment of 3000 words	
1291	Independent Learning Project (long)	4	20	NO	To enable students to explore in depth a topic in theology, ministry or mission that has particularly engage them during their training.	Supervision 4 x 90 mins (in person or by Zoom)	Supervision 6 Private study 194 Total 200	ILP comprising a portfolio of 5000 words	
1321	Foundations for Ministry and Worship in Context	4	20	NO	This will include teaching and reflection on topics including leading prayer, the history of Anglican worship, different forms of worship (e.g. missional, sacramental) and communication skills including listening. There will be a focus on preaching throughout the module.		Lectures 10.5 Reflective practice seminars 18 Online learning 14 Placement/contextual learning and private study 157.5 Total 200	Component 1 written theological reflection 1250 words (25%) Component 2 written theological reflection 1250 words (25%) Component 3 essay 2500 words (50%)	
1347	Introduction to Preaching	4	10	NO	Introduction to listening and communication skills in the context of worship and preaching. Overview of the history and different forms of Anglican worship (e.g. missional, sacramental). Preaching in different contexts.	Lectures 7 x 1.5 hours (5 or 6 in person, 1 or 2 by zoom) = 10.5 Reflective Practice seminars 18 hours Online learning, some synchronous, some asynchronous 3 x 1.5 hours = 4.5		Oral Presentation (10 mins) + Commentary/written reflection on practice, 2000 words 100%	
1437	Introducing Theological Reflection	4	10	NO	Introducing methods of theological reflection in the areas of faith and spirituality, theology, and ministerial skills. Instilling reflective, self-critical habits and encouraging students to integrate their learning experiences into their lives and ministry. e.g. regarding Covid and church and countryside rural affairs.	supported on-line learning 6 x 2 hours	Online activities 12 Private study 88 Total 100	Component 1: essay 1500 words; Component 2: Written theological reflection 1000 words	

1447	Foundations for Reflective Practice in Context (Short)	4	10			Lectures 10.5 Refl Practice seminars 10	Component 1: essay 1500 words;	
	ractice in context (chort)					Placement & Private study 79.5 Total 100	Component 2: Written theological reflection 1000 words	
1451	Foundations for Reflective Practice in Context (Long)	4	20	congregations; forgiveness, reconciliation and understanding conflict; Lent reflections, temptation and evil; pastoral care; spirituality and the sacraments;	(mostly in person with up to 6 hours by zoom)	Lectures 21 Refl Practice seminars 10 Private study 169 Total 200	Portfolio of 5000 words	