



Master of Science in Biblical Psychology

Catalog Year 2026–2027 · 100% Online · *We don't teach what to think. We awaken truth and walk in love.*

36 TOTAL CREDITS	12 COURSES	3 CREDITS PER COURSE	VARK FOUR WAYS TO LEARN
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Program Overview

The Master of Science in Biblical Psychology advances the integration of psychology and theology through study of psychopathology, neuroscience, research, and religious experience. Graduates can bring psychological insight to ministry, education, and faith-based programs.

How EACU Is Different

Students study the mind and behavior through Scripture and science side by side, asking what each reveals about the human soul. Rather than choosing one over the other, students weigh the research, the biblical text, and the ancient understanding of body, soul, and spirit, and draw their own conclusions.

At the graduate level, students weigh the biblical text, ancient witnesses, research, and later interpretation side by side, then build and defend their own position with scholarly rigor while remaining grounded in the foundation of truth.

Required in every EACU degree: Biblical Interpretation (Rightly Dividing the Word), Biblical Finance and Stewardship, and Biblical Mindset and Mental Health. Every course is built with visual, auditory, reading and writing, and hands-on learning.

Please note: This degree studies psychology from a biblical perspective. It does not lead to state licensure as a psychologist, counselor, or therapist.

Program Outcomes

1. Integrate psychology and theology at an advanced level.
2. Recognize psychopathology and provide appropriate spiritual care and referral.
3. Design and interpret behavioral research.
4. Explain the neuroscience of emotion in light of Scripture.
5. Complete and defend graduate-level research.

Where This Degree Can Lead

- Faith-based program director
- Ministry researcher or consultant
- Instructor in psychology and faith
- Further study in the D.Min. in Biblical Psychology

Admission

A completed bachelor's degree. See Admissions for full requirements.

EACU Required Core12 credits			
CODE	COURSE	CR	TERM COMPLETED
☐ EACU 500	Graduate Orientation and Research	3	
☐ BIBL 501	Biblical Interpretation III: Advanced Rightly Dividing the Word	3	
☐ FINC 501	Biblical Finance and Stewardship II	3	
☐ MHLT 501	Biblical Mindset and Mental Health II	3	

Bible Core6 credits			
CODE	COURSE	CR	TERM COMPLETED
☐ BIBL 510	The Old Testament in Its Ancient Near Eastern and Second Temple Context	3	
☐ BIBL 520	The New Testament in Its Second Temple and Greco-Roman Context	3	

Major: Biblical Psychology15 credits			
CODE	COURSE	CR	TERM COMPLETED
☐ PSYC 610	Advanced Integration of Psychology and Theology	3	
☐ PSYC 620	Psychopathology and Spiritual Care	3	
☐ PSYC 630	Behavioral Research and Statistics	3	
☐ PSYC 640	Neuroscience, Emotion, and the Renewed Mind	3	
☐ PSYC 650	Religious Experience, Consciousness, and the Mind	3	

Capstone3 credits			
CODE	COURSE	CR	TERM COMPLETED
☐ PSYC 690	Master's Thesis or Applied Project	3	

Students complete either a research thesis or an applied project, such as a program, curriculum, or book manuscript, and defend it before faculty. With advisor approval, one major course may be replaced by a course from the EACU Approved Elective List.

Credit Summary	
EACU Required Core	12
Bible Core	6
Major	15
Capstone	3
Total Required	36

Suggested Sequence			
Term 1 Graduate Orientation, Advanced Rightly Dividing the Word	Term 2 Bible Core, Finance II, Mental Health II	Term 3 Major courses	Term 4 Remaining major courses and Capstone