



## Theology

**Degree Awarded:** Bachelor of Arts

**Requirements for the Major:** 36 credits

The major in Theology is designed to provide students with a broad-based curriculum introducing them to important methodologies in the academic study of religion, to significant texts in the various religious traditions, and to the history of theological and religious reflection.

The Grand View Theology and Philosophy Departments minister with the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America by offering a major in Theology by preparing students wishing to enter seminary, by providing course work for those seeking to be commissioned and rostered as lay professional in ministry, by preparing those wishing to pursue graduate work in religious studies, and by providing an opportunity for all Grand View University students to explore the nature of religious faith.

### Requirements for the Major:

#### Essential Competencies-Outcome Iterations \*\*Transfer courses do not receive outcome iterations\*\*

				CI	IL	W	O	Q	GA	V
	THEO 105	World Religions in Societies and Cultures	3	x	x				x	
	THEO 106	Christian Faith and Life	3	x		x				x
	THEO 201	Old Testament	3	x	x	x	x			
	THEO 202	New Testament	3	x	x	x	x			
	THEO 399	Internship	3							

#### Take 9 credits from:

				CI	IL	W	O	Q	GA	V
	THEO 310	Early Christian Thinkers	3	x	x		x			
	THEO 315	The Life and Thought of Luther	3	x	x	x				
	THEO 322	Modern Christian Thinkers	3	x	x		x			
	THEO 330	Worship and the Arts	3	x	x		x			
	THEO 335	Poverty, Racism, and Power	3	x					x	x

#### Take 9 credits from:

				CI	IL	W	O	Q	GA	V
	PHIL 205	Introduction to Philosophy	3	x		x				
	PHIL 210	Introduction to Ethics	3	x		x				x
	PHIL 311	Ancient and Medieval Philosophy	3	x		x	x			
	PHIL/POLS 312	Modern Philosophy	3	x		x	x			

#### Take 3 credits from:

				CI	IL	W	O	Q	GA	V
	THEO 392	Independent Study	3							
	THEO 430	Special Topics	3							

These courses will be counted in computing the 2.2 GPA required for this major.

This information must be used in conjunction with the 2020-2021 Grand View University Catalog and does not reflect a student's official record of progress. Students are expected to use the Progress tool found on myView > GV Self Service when monitoring and planning coursework. Other available resources include: Course Planning Documents (found on myView under Academics) and the faculty and staff who work with academic requirements.