

St Stephen's House Common Awards

T3: Programme Regulations 2024-25

Graduate Diploma Theology, Ministry and Mission (120 Credits)

This programme is available at **St Stephen's House, Oxford,** in full time mode of study for one year for full-time ordinands as part of their ministerial formation and for eligible candidates part-time over two years. Some modules may be delivered online, or in a blend of online and in-person teaching. Any decision to deliver some or all of a module online will be taken in consultation with the relevant tutor(s) and all students scheduled to take it. Consultation will begin at least six weeks before the start of teaching, and will include consideration of factors, such as demand, numbers, the situations of those involved and wider circumstances. A decision to deliver some or all of a module online will be published at least four weeks before the module commences. It is expected that ordinands in residential training at St Stephen's House will be able to receive in-person tuition for at least 50% of their overall credits.

Level 6 (Minimum of 80 credits)

All candidates shall study and be assessed in the following compulsory modules to the value of 60 credits:

Compulsory Modules	Module code	Credit value
Dissertation in Theology, Ministry and Mission	TMM3362	40
Further Reflective Practice in Context (Long)	TMM3491	20

2. Candidates shall study and be assessed in modules to a minimum value of 20 and a maximum value of 60 credits from the following optional modules:

Optional Modules	Module code	Credit value
Issues in Biblical Theology	TMM3061	20
Key Issues in Christian Faith and Ethical Living	TMM3177	10
Independent Learning Project (Short)	TMM3337	10
Pastoral Psychology	TMM3647	10
Christian Doctrine in Focus	TMM3101	20
Philosophical Theology	TMM3131	20
Church History in Focus	TMM3141	20
A Key Christian Figure	TMM3167	10
Texts and Traditions in Christian Spirituality	TMM3551	20
Sacramental Theology and Ministry *	TMM3111	20
Specialist Themes in Christian Worship	TMM3561	20
Independent Learning Project (Long) – Level 6	TMM3341	20
Reflective Practice: Law and the Public Minister	TMM3671	20
Further New Testament Text Study	TMM3787	10
Further Old Testament Text Study	TMM3797	10
Preaching	TMM3407	10
Key Issues in Anthropology and Christian Mission	TMM3847	10
Up to 40 Common Awards Credits from other TEIs at level 6		

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Levels 4 and 5

3. Candidates may study and be assessed in modules to a maximum value of 40 credits from the following two lists:

Optional Modules Level 4	Module code	Credit value
Creeds and Councils	TMM1121	20
Introduction to Christian Doctrine	TMM1111	20
Introduction to Christian Worship	TMM1537	10
Introduction to Pastoral Care	TMM1421	20
Elements of Ministry and Mission in Context	TMM1317	10
Elementary New Testament Greek	TMM1067	10
Elementary Biblical Hebrew	TMM1087	10
Creating New Christian Communities	TMM1397	10

Optional Modules Level 5	Module code	Credit value
Old Testament Studies	TMM2061	20
New Testament Studies	TMM2051	20
Topics in Church History	TMM2157	10
Christian Faith and Ethical Living	TMM2171	20
Christian Worship: Principles and Practice	TMM2617	10
Church and Sacrament *	TMM2627	10
Corporate Engagement with Context B	TMM2551	20
Intermediate Biblical Hebrew	TMM2097	10
Intermediate New Testament Greek	TMM2107	10
Independent Learning Project (Long) – Level 5	TMM2301	20
Selected Topic in Christian Doctrine	TMM2117	10
Aspects of Spirituality and Ministry	TMM2577	10
New Testament Text Study	TMM2687	10
Old Testament Text Study	TMM2697	10

^{*} Denotes excluded combination of modules.