Christian Studies with an Emphasis in Biblical Languages

**Liberal Arts Core (47 total hrs)**

All undergraduates at CSU must take the following classes related to the Liberal Arts Core.

- English 111
- English 112
- English 202, 203, or 204 (choose one)
- Foreign Language or Language Literature (choose any one below)
  - French 201 (Prerequisites: FREN 101 and 102)
  - Spanish 201 (Prerequisites: SPAN 101 and 102)
  - French Literature 213
  - Spanish Literature 213
  - Chinese Literature 213
  - World Literature 213
- Communication 110
- Art 201, 202, or Music 171 (choose one)
- Old Testament Survey
- New Testament Survey
- History 111, 112, or 113 (choose one)
- Another History or Political Science 201 (choose one)
- Computer 209 or approved COINS (choose one)
- Mathematics 105 or higher (choose one)
- Social Science (choose any one below)
  - Economics 211 or 212
  - Sociology 101, 203, or 205
  - Political Science 101
  - Criminal Justice 210
  - Kinesiology 201
  - Psychology 110
- Natural Science (choose any two with its corresponding lab; each is worth 4 credit hrs)
  - Biology and Biology Lab
  - Chemistry and Chemistry Lab
  - Geology and Geology Lab
  - Physics and Physics Lab
Christian Studies with an Emphasis in Biblical Languages Required Courses (12 hrs)
For this degree students must successfully complete (grade of “C” or higher) the following four classes:

- CHST 200- Christian Discipleship
- CHST 310- Hermeneutics
- CHST 303- Church History I, CHST 304- Church History II, CHST 417- History of Religion in America, CHST 418- Baptist History, HIST 402- Ancient Greece and Rome, HIST 327- Renaissance and Reformation Europe (1347-1588), or HIST 374- Colonial History (choose one)
- CHST 325- Systematic Theology I or CHST- 326 Systematic Theology II (choose one)

Required Biblical Languages Courses (12 hrs)
For this degree students must successfully complete (grade of “C” or higher) the following four biblical language classes:

- CHST 121- Introduction to Biblical Hebrew I
- CHST 122- Introduction to Biblical Hebrew II
- CHST 131- Elementary Koine Greek I
- CHST 132- Elementary Koine Greek II

Note: at least 15 hours of the 36 hours of the Christian Studies major must come from courses on the 300/400 level.

Additional Christian Studies Courses (9 hrs)
All students pursuing a Christian Studies with an Emphasis in Biblical Languages degree must successfully complete (grade of “C” or higher) 9 additional hours of Christian Studies courses from three major areas: Historical (3 hrs), Theological (3 hrs), and Ministry (3 hrs). Note: the systematic theology or history course completed to meet the requirements for the Christian Studies Required Courses (listed above) cannot be used to meet the requirements of the Additional Christian Studies Courses listed below.

Area II: Historical (choose one, 3 hrs)
- CHST 207- Christian Classics
- CHST 303- Church History I
- CHST 304- Church History II
- CHST 315- History and Practice of Missions
- CHST 402- History of the Bible
- CHST 417- History of Christianity in America
- CHST 418- Baptist History
- HIST 402- Ancient Greece and Rome (*History Department)
HIST 327- Renaissance and Reformation Europe (1347-1588) (*History Department)
HIST 374- Colonial History (*History Department)

Area III: Theological (choose one, 3 hrs)
- CHST 240- Introduction to Philosophy and Worldview
- CHST 323- Philosophy of Religion
- CHST 325- Systematic Theology I
- CHST 326- Systematic Theology II
- CHST 329- World Religions
- CHST 407- Christian Apologetics
- CHST 411- Contemporary Theology
- CHST 423- Christian Ethics

Area IV: Ministry (choose one, 3 hrs)
- CHST 200- Christian Discipleship
- CHST 204- Biblical Teaching and Preaching
- CHST 209- Survey of Christian Education and Administration
- CHST 230- Introduction to Student Ministry
- CHST 239- Introduction to Church Planting
- CHST 301- Introduction to Christian Leadership
- CHST 313- Christian Worship
- CHST 314- Christian Counseling
- CHST 352- Ministry to Children and Family
- CHST 400- Missions Area Study
- CHST 405- Change and Conflict Management in Christian Ministry
- CHST 469- Student Ministry Internship
- CHST 470- Christian Studies Internship

Christian Studies Electives (3 hrs)
Students pursuing a Christian Studies with an Emphasis in Biblical Languages degree must successfully complete (grade of “C” or higher) a 3 hour of elective from areas I-IV (Biblical, Historical, Theological, Ministry).
- CHST elective

General Electives (24 total hrs)
Christian Studies majors with an Emphasis in Biblical Languages may take elective courses from any area inside or outside Christian Studies. Worldview and Critical Thinking (1 hr), which all students must take, counts toward one’s General Electives.
Minor (18 total hrs)
Students pursuing a Christian Studies with an Emphasis in Biblical Languages degree must choose a minor. *NOTE: One cannot major and minor in the School of Christian Studies.*