

# Bachelor of Divinity

Delivered by North-West University.

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By obtaining this qualification at the North-West University (NWU) you will accelerate your career and improve your effectiveness.

## Why NWU?

NWU is a leading educational institution in South Africa and worldwide that offers you:

- Limitless learning: With state-of-the-art facilities and leading academics, your education will know no bounds.
- Community and support: You'll find a vibrant community and a support system to help you through every challenge and celebrate every victory.
- A future of opportunities: Our graduates are sought after, ready to make an impact in their careers from day

#### Why NWU Distance Learning?

- Your learning, your way: At NWU, we understand life doesn't follow a one-size-fits-all schedule. Tailor your learning to your life, allowing you to study when and where it suits you best.
- Earn while you learn and build transferable skills through experience.
- More than academic support: We don't just care about your results; we care about you. Our dedicated support team is here to guide you through every step, ensuring your academic and personal success.

Get familiar with your essential study resources!

Student resources: https://distance.nwu.ac.za/help - Access helpful resources and information for administrative queries.



Student Support: https://services.nwu.ac.za/ctl - Find guidance and assistance to optimize your academic experience.



Student Counselling and Development: https://services.nwu.ac.za/student-counsellingand-development - Access support services to nurture your personal and academic growth.



#### Method of Delivery

This is a unique and creative way, in which you yourself determine the place, time and tempo of your learning. It allows you to study full-time while you work and gives new momentum to your career through professional training. Electronic as well as telephonic support is available, with personal contact facilitation at learning support centres if you desire it.

The qualification programme is completed on a correspondence basis with direct contact between the lecturer and the student through the NWU's eFundi platform. Study material is available electronically. Students are responsible to buy prescribed text books. All examination papers are set, assessed and moderated by NWU staff members.

Studies are available in both Afrikaans and English.

#### **Application**

Applications are done online and are open from 1 April to 31 August for the next year. Theology has 1st semester intakes only.

Application is done online at https://distance.nwu.ac.za/apply-online

### Registration

Students whose applications were successful, register annually. The process is online and involves payment of the prescribed registration fee and minimum payable fee.

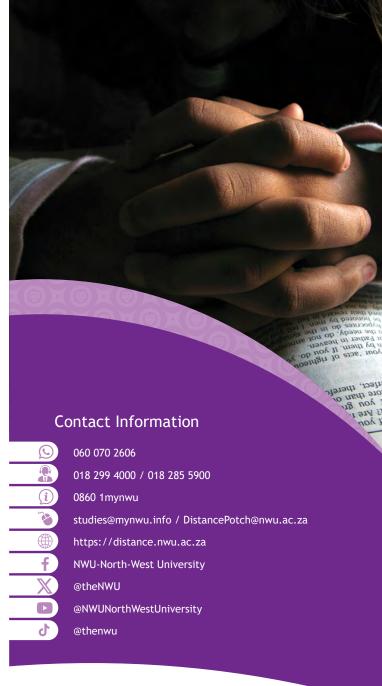
#### Fees

Email PC-Studyfees@nwu.ac.za or phone 018 299 2667/8/9 for a quote of the qualification programme you are interested in or visit: https://services.nwu.ac.za/student-accounts-and-bursaries/quotations.

# Programme Specifications for Bachelor of Divinity

Programme of study	Duration	Admission requirements	Further studies
Bachelor of Divinity (NQF 8 qualification)  This programme prepares ministers for ecclesiastical ministry in the reformed churches. The student will be able to do valid interpretation and application of the Bible. The student will also be equipped for pastoral counselling and will be able to think and act in an ethical manner, be value driven, and engaged in community development.  Purpose of programme - Specific training for pastors in the Reformed Churches as it has the required languages included.	The minimum study period for this qualification is 4 years of study. The maximum period is 8 years. In extraordinary cases, students can apply for an extension of the study period.	NS(C) or NC(V) for degree studies, or with full matriculation exemption     English level 4 (50-59%)	The BDiv degree provides admission to an applicable Masters Degree (provided the final year of the BDiv curriculum was completed with an average of at least 65%).





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