DENVER SEMINARY

MASTER OF DIVINITY (Theology, Justice, and Social Advocacy Concentration) 2025-2026

HOURS REQUIRED: 79

Suggested Sequence of Courses

YEAR 1

FALL

Code	Course	Hours
GS 500	Thinking Biblically and Theologically	3 ____
TJA 501	Redemption and Justice in the Old and New Testament	3 ____
NT 501	New Testament Greek I	3 ____
TM 500	Intro to Mentored Formation	1 ____
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS:	**10**

SPRING

Code	Course	Hours
TJA 511	Immersion in Historical and Current Issues[1] **OR**	
TJA 502	Seminar in Cultural Analysis[1]	3 ____
NT 502	New Testament Greek II	3 ____
TM 501	Mentored Formation	1 ____
ELECT	Open Elective	3 ____
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS:	**10**

SUMMER

Code	Course	Hours
NT	NT Language Exegesis[1][2]	3 ____
OT 511	Israel's Early History and Poetry	3 ____
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS:	**6**

YEAR 2

FALL

Code	Course	Hours
TJA 611	Congregational Public Theology and Community Development	3 ____
TJA 600	Justice in the Public Square **OR**	
TJA 612	Non-Profit Leadership, Organization And Social Entrepreneurship	3 ____
OT 501	Learning Hebrew and Its Tools (Hebrew I)	3 ____
TH 501	Survey of Christian Doctrine I	3 ____
TM 601	Mentored Formation	1 ____
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS:	**13**

SPRING

Code	Course	Hours
OT 502	Learning Hebrew and Its Grammar (Hebrew II)	3 ____
OT 512	Kingdom of Israel and Prophets	3 ____
TH 502	Survey of Christian Doctrine II	3 ____
TM 602	Mentored Formation	1 ____
ELECT	Ministry Leadership Elective[3]	2 ____
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS :	**12**

SUMMER

Code	Course	Hours
OT	OT Language Exegesis[2]	3 ____
CH 500	History of the Christian Movement	3 ____
NT 511	Gospels and Acts	3 ____
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS:	**9**

YEAR 3

FALL

Code	Course	Hours
CA 500	Apologetics and Ethics	3 ____
PC 500	Pastoral Care and Counseling Relationships	3 ____
HOM 500	Intro to Expository Preaching	3 ____
TM 603	Mentored Formation	1 ____
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS:	**12**

SPRING

Code	Course	Hours
NT 512	Epistles and Revelation	3 ____
TM 604	Mentored Formation Summative Experience	1 ____
EXMDIV	MDiv Summative Experience	0 ____
ELECT	Ministry Leadership Elective[2]	2 ____
ELECT	Open Elective	3 ____
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS:	**9**

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[1] TJA 511 is only offered during the summer semester and requires travel. Students have the option to replace TJA 511 with TJA 502 but are not required to take both courses.

[2] Students must take one NT Language Exegesis/Bible course and one OT Language Exegesis /Bible course from the following options:

(1) New Testament - NT 611 Using Greek in New Testament Exegesis OR NT 635 Letter to the Romans: Analysis, Hermeneutics, and Theology.

(2) Old Testament - OT 701 Hebrew Exegesis of Old Testament Texts, OT 640 Book of Joshua: Analysis, Hermeneutics, and Theology, OT 648 Book of Genesis OR OT 649 Reading the Psalms for Today

[3] Choose from the following (credits exceeding the four hour requirement can apply as open electives):

(1) SF 602 Spirituality for Leaders in Ministry [2]

(2) EM 604 Teaching for Life Change [2]

(3) IM 610 Mission and Culture [2]

(4) LD 501 Theological and Theoretical Foundations for Leadership [2]

(5) PME 601 Pastoral Theology and Practice of Ministry [2]

(6) PME 603 Evangelism and the Mission of God [2]

(7) PME 604 Worship Theory and Practice [2]

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Master of Divinity Required Courses with Theology, Justice, and Social Advocacy Concentration

Biblical Studies:

Thinking Biblically / Theologically **3**

GS 500	Thinking Biblically and Theologically [3]	

New Testament **6**

NT 511	Gospels and Acts [3]	
NT 512	Epistles and Revelation [3]	

Old Testament **6**

OT 511	Israel's Early History and Poetry [3]	
OT 512	Kingdom of Israel and Prophets [3]	

Christian Thought:

Christian Apologetics **3**

CA 500	Apologetics and Ethics [3]	

Church History **3**

CH 500	History of the Christian Movement [3]	

Theology **6**

TH 501	Survey of Christian Doctrine I (pre/coreq: GS 500) [3]	
TH 502	Survey of Christian Doctrine II (prereq: TH 501) [3]	

Ministry Leadership:

Relational Ministry **3**

PC 500	Pastoral Care and Counseling Relationships [3]	

Homiletics **3**

HOM 500	Intro to Expository Preaching [3]	

Ministry Leadership Electives **4**
Choose two courses from the following:

SF 602	Spirituality for Leaders in Ministry [2]	
EM 604	Teaching for Life Change [2]	
IM 610	Mission and Culture [2]	
LD 501	Theological and Theoretical Foundations for Leadership [2]	
PME 601	Pastoral Theology and Practice of Ministry [2]	
PME 603	Evangelism and the Mission of God [2]	
PME 604	Worship Theory and Practice [2]	

Mentored Formation:

Training and Mentoring (taken in sequence) **6**

TM 500	Intro to Mentored Formation	[1]
TM 501	Mentored Formation	[1]
TM 601	Mentored Formation	[1]
TM 602	Mentored Formation	[1]
TM 603	Mentored Formation	[1]
TM 604	Mentored Formation Summative Exp	[1]

Biblical Languages:

New Testament Greek **9**

NT 501	New Testament Greek I [3]	
NT 502	New Testament Greek II (prereq: NT 501) [3]	

Choose one New Testament course from the following:

NT 611	Using Greek in NT Exegesis (prereq: NT 502) [3]	
NT 635	Romans: Analysis, Hermeneutics, and Theology (prereq: NT 502) [3]	

Old Testament Hebrew **9**

OT 501	Learning Hebrew and Its Tools (Hebrew I) [3]	
OT 502	Learning Hebrew and Its Grammar (Hebrew II) (prereq: OT 501) [3]	

Choose one Old Testament course from the following:

OT 701	Hebrew Exegesis of OT Texts (prereq: OT 502) [3]	
OT 640	Joshua: Analysis, Hermeneutics, and Theology (prereq: OT 502) [3]	
OT 648	Book of Genesis (prereq: OT 502) [3]	
OT 649	Reading the Psalms for Today (prereq: OT 502) [3]	

Concentration:

Open Electives **12**

TJA 501	Redemption and Justice in the Old and New Testament [3]	
TJA 611	Congregational Public Theology and Community Development [3]	

Choose one course from the following:

TJA 502	Seminar in Cultural Analysis [3]	
TJA 511	Immersion in Historical and Current Issues [3]	

Choose one course from the following:

TJA 600	Justice in the Public Square: Christian Advocacy [3]	
TJA 612	Non-Profit Leadership, Organization and Social Entrepreneurship [3]	

Electives:

Open Electives **6**
Choose any course from any department

MDiv Summative Experience **0**

EXMDIV	MDiv Summative Experience (prereqs: TH 501; TH 502) [0]	