

FACULTY OF THEOLOGY

GUIDELINES AND PROCEDURES FOR ENROLMENT MANAGEMENT

The Faculty of Theology currently offers the following undergraduate programmes:

- BTh general
- BTh youth work
- BTh Part-time
- BDiv
- Extended Curriculum Programme (ECP)

The faculty can accommodate approximately 80 newcomer first year students. The number of students who register for the ECP programme is limited, as this programme requires intensive academic support.

See the faculty's yearbook at <https://www.sun.ac.za/english/Documents/Yearbooks/Current/2023-Theology.pdf> for further information.

SELECTION PROCESS

1. Closing date

The closing date for all applications is 31 July.

3. Admission requirements

Students are selected provisionally and must comply with the minimum admission requirements of the programme in order to register.

- National Senior Certificate (NSC) aggregate of at least 60% (excluding Life Orientation)
- Students applying for the BTh Part-time programme need to comply with the above requirements and also the following:
 - 30 years old or older.
 - Second career student (a student who is or was serving in another career) or serving in ministry.
 - Successful completion of the faculty's introductory and computer literacy short course on NQR level 5.
 - Proof of ministry experience or a letter of motivation from a denominational head.
- Students with an NSC aggregate of at least 55%, but less than 60%, may be considered for the extended curriculum degree programme (ECDP) after an interview with the Dean or his/her representative.
- Applicants who wrote Grade 12 in 2008 or earlier may contact the Client Services Centre on 021 808 9111 to obtain the relevant admission requirements.

3. Selection lists

A first round of selection will take place in November, in which the following will be taken into consideration:

- First choice applicants only
- Academic achievement
- Supporting documents for a ministerial vocation in a partner church

A waiting list will also be compiled according to these considerations.

A second round of selection will take place late in January according to acceptances or rejections by newcomer first year students, and according to the final matric results, incorporating candidates from the waiting list as positions become available.

4. Students from other universities

Students who want to transfer from another university to SU will be considered on condition that they meet the minimum Matric requirements.

The accreditation of modules done at the previous institution cannot be guaranteed.