

Sample Course Sequence for the  
**RS: Biblical Studies\* [40 credits\*\*]**

	<b>Fall</b>	<b>Spring</b>
<b>Freshman</b>	RS 210AF8 <i>Biblical Literature: Hebrew Bible</i> (4) Eng 110 College Writing <sup>1</sup> (4) Math 101 or 111 <sup>1</sup> (3) Phil 101 Logic (3) F3 (3)	RS 210BF8 <i>Biblical Literature: Gospels</i> (4) RS 220 <i>Jewish Life &amp; Thought: Torah</i> (2) COMMS 101 Speech (3) Phil 101 Logic (3) [F2 (3)]
<b>Sophomore</b>	RS 210C <i>Biblical Literature: Letters/Acts</i> F1 (4) F7 (3) [Hebrew/Greek I RS or Minor Elective ] (4)	RS 225 <i>Major Religious Traditions</i> (4) RS 221 <i>Jewish Life &amp; Thought: Prophets</i> (2) F6 [Hist 108/11/115/120 ] (4) [Hebrew/Greek II <i>or</i> RS or Minor Elective] (4)
<b>Junior</b>	RS 230F8 <i>History of Christianity</i> (4) RS 240 or 242 or 247 (4) RS 300-400 (4) F5 Semester I (4)	RS 222 <i>Jewish Life &amp; Thought: Writings</i> (2) RS 300-400 in Area A, B, or C (4) RS OR Minor Elective F 5 Semester II (4) F 2 (3)
<b>Senior</b>	RS 414 <i>Scripture: Advanced Studies</i> (4) RS/HI 305 (2) Minor Elective (4) Other Elective (4)	RS 498 <i>Senior Seminar</i> (4) RS/HI 405 (2) Minor Elective RS or other Elective

\* The Biblical Studies Concentration may emphasize Hebrew Bible and/or the Christian New Testament.

\*\*Note: the total of 40 credits in this concentration includes a minimum of 20 credits in Area A, a minimum of 8 in each of the other two areas, and Senior Seminar. Students are encouraged to take additional electives in Biblical Hebrew or Greek (which may fulfill the World Language requirement)

\*\*\*In addition to the 40 credits, all Religious Studies Majors will:

- ❖ prepare an *Academic Portfolio* to be reviewed by the Religious Studies faculty at the end of each academic year.
- ❖ complete the appropriate sections of the *RS Computer Competency Checklist* for each year in the program.
- ❖ submit at least one major research paper for presentation at an Edgewood Student Research, Religious Studies, or similar conference during their last 4 semesters.
- ❖ complete the minimum 120 credits required by the college with a cumulative GPA of at least 2.85.

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<sup>1</sup> Or other placement