

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION and THEOLOGY COURSES
(ACCREDITATION TO WORK, TEACH AND LEAD IN SYDNEY CATHOLIC SCHOOLS POLICY)**

QUALIFICATION	PROVIDER	Category D	Category E	Level 1 REC	Reimbursement	Requirements
Graduate Certificate in Religious Education	ACU	Yes	If you already have Category D	No	May not meet face-to-face requirement	4 Units – to include 2 Theology units. Must include a Biblical Studies unit for Category D
Graduate Certificate in Religious Education	BBI	Yes	If you already have Category D	No	Use intensive mode	4 Units – to include 2 Theology units. Must include THEO800 or THEO801 for Category D
Graduate Certificate in Religious Education Primary	Campion	Yes	If you already have Category D	No	Use face-to-face / intensive mode	4 Units – mandated core units. Already includes Biblical Studies for Category D
Graduate Certificate in Religious Education	Notre Dame	Yes	If you already have Category D	No	Use face-to-face / intensive mode	4 Units – 2 core + 2 Theology units. Already includes Biblical Studies for Category D
Graduate Certificate in Catholic Thought	Notre Dame	Yes	If you already have Category D	No	All modes	4 Units – Theology units. Recommended for Secondary Teachers (Stage 6 Studies in catholic Thought) includes Scripture for Category D
Graduate Certificate in Theological Studies	ACU	Yes	If you already have Category D	No	May not meet face-to-face requirement	4 Units – Theology units. Must include Biblical Studies for Category D
Graduate Certificate in Theological Studies	BBI	Yes	If you already have Category D	No	Use intensive mode	4 Units – Theology units. Must include Biblical Studies for Category D
Graduate Diploma in Theological Studies	ACU	Yes	Yes	Yes	May not meet face-to-face requirement	8 Units – Theology units. Must include Biblical Studies for Category D
Graduate Diploma in Theological Studies	BBI	Yes	Yes	Yes	Use intensive mode	8 Units – Theology units. Must include Biblical Studies for Category D
Graduate Diploma of Theological Studies	Notre Dame	Yes	Yes	Yes	Use face-to-face / intensive mode	8 Units – Theology units. Must include Biblical Studies for Category D
Master of Religious Education	ACU	Yes	Yes	Yes	Online only. May not meet face-to-face requirement	12 Units – to include 6 Theology units. Must include a Biblical Studies unit for Category D
Master of Religious Education	BBI	Yes	Yes	Yes	Use intensive mode	12 Units – to include 6 Theology units. Must include a Biblical Studies unit for Category D
Master of Theological Studies	ACU	Yes	Yes	Yes	May not meet face-to-face requirement	16 Units – Can reduce to 12 units with an RE or Theology major in Bachelor degree. Must include a Biblical Studies unit for Category D
Master of Theological Studies	BBI	Yes	Yes	Yes	Use intensive mode	16 Units – Can reduce to 12 units with an RE or Theology major in Bachelor degree. Must include a Biblical Studies unit for Category D
Master of Divinity	Catholic Institute of Sydney	Yes	Yes	Yes	Use face-to-face / intensive mode	12-16 Units – Must include a Biblical Studies unit for Category D
Master of Theology	Catholic Institute of Sydney	Yes	Yes	Yes	Use face-to-face / intensive mode	12-16 Units – Must include a Biblical Studies unit for Category D
Master of Liberal Arts (Theology with Leadership)	Catholic Institute of Sydney	Yes	Yes	Yes	Use face-to-face / intensive mode	12 Units – Must include a Biblical Studies unit for Category D

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