

About the Anglican Institute

The Anglican Institute is a specialised learning community at Ridley College which seeks to **train and equip future** ordained leaders for the Anglican Church of Australia.

The Anglican Institute has three areas of focus:

1. Missional Leadership Training and Formation – teaching the core competencies required to be effective, as well helping students grow in godly character
2. Research and Publications – providing opportunities for research into Anglican identity and practice, both its history and its contemporary expression and mission
3. Public Lectures and Conferences – assisting churches and leaders be better equipped for future gospel ministry in the world

What do we want our Ridley Ordinands to be like?

- Mission minded - able to create an evangelistic culture in both traditional Anglican contexts as well as in fresh expressions of church and church plants.
- Skilled in teaching the Bible and preaching the gospel
- Effective in leadership and able to build teams and set a creative vision
- Gifted in leading public worship
- Spiritually disciplined – living a life of holiness forged through daily prayer and Bible study
- Strong in interpersonal skills – being self aware and able to develop healthy relationships
- Theologically rigorous – having a mature theological understanding demonstrated in preaching and a commitment to continued reading and study.

How will we achieve this?

- A comprehensive programme of teaching in Bible, Theology, and Practical Ministry subjects leading to a Master of Divinity, Bachelor of Theology or Bachelor of Ministry
- A Monday Anglican formation program leading to a Ridley Certificate in Anglican Studies. This includes units such as Anglican History and Identity; Equipping and Training Others for Ministry; Preaching Workshop; Communication and Interpersonal Skills
- Field placements which include both traditional and missional churches
- Assist students to find a ministry mentor
- Regular leadership and preaching opportunities with feedback

How do I become part of this learning community?

Students who have been accepted as ordination candidates by a Bishop are automatically members of the Anglican Institute. Students who are considering ordination are encouraged to become Associate Members and participate in the Monday program.

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Ordination Candidates Units (ANGLICAN Diocese of Melbourne)

Ordination candidates are required to attend campus on Mondays for at least two years.

In order to meet requirements of the Diocese of Melbourne, candidates must undertake a four-year program leading to a combined BTh/BMin degree for undergraduates, or the MDiv plus a GradDipDiv for graduates.

Ordination candidates need to complete the Diocesan and College requirements for ordination in addition to the requirements for their degree, which is why a 4-year program is normally required.

The learning pathway for ordination candidates is the same as those for the relevant degrees, except that electives must include the following:

EM418/618	Ministry in a Culturally Diverse Context (or)
EM630	Gospel, Church & Australian Society
PC402/602	Foundations of Pastoral Care
PC315/515	Christian Worship
PC435/635	Principles of Leadership and Management
PC447/647	Introductory Preaching
PE502/501	Introduction to Ethics
PC436/636	Clinical Pastoral Education (CPE)
RYM31/51	Introduction to Personal Evangelism
RYM32/52	Ministry Foundations
RYC 42/62	Anglican History and Identity

The four years will then allow for a further six units to be undertaken. These may include units from the full syllabus, including Hebrew language study (usually undertaken in your second year). However, these further units must include:

- 1 - OT & NT Exegesis
(so that you complete total at least 8 exegesis units in 4 years)
- 2 - CH424/624 Reformation Church History

Ordination candidates are also required to complete two supervised placements, one of which will gain credit for Supervised Field Education [PC642/643], and other units and activities of the Anglican Institute. These other units

include Orientation to Youth & Children's Ministry; Educating, Forming and Training Others For Ministry; Preparation for Anglican Ministry; Preacher's Workshop; Communication and Interpersonal Skills.

Anglican Institute Fees

Full Membership of the Anglican Institute is available to candidates for Ordination.

- The Anglican Diocese of Melbourne (ADOM) candidates for Ordination are not required to pay the Anglican Institute Training Fee.
- Anglican Diocese of Melbourne (ADOM) candidates for Ordination not undertaking a minimum of 8cps at Ridley in that year, are required to pay \$300 per each registered Anglican Institute training unit.
- Australian Defence Force and Candidates for Ordination from other Dioceses will pay an Anglican Institute training Fee of \$750 per semester to cover costs for non-FEE HELP Anglican Institute training units.

Associate Membership of the Anglican Institute is available to students in the Year of Discernment.

- Students who are accepted into Associate Membership will pay \$55 per semester for Monday Chapel, Lunch, and Anglican Institute Life and Ministry Group.
- Associate Members may enrol in the Anglican Institute training units at a cost of \$300 per unit.

Fee discounts and subsidies (applicable to tuition fees only)

- Ordination candidates for the Anglican Diocese of Melbourne (ADOM) receive a \$1,500 subsidy (\$750 per semester) to cover the Anglican Institute Training Fee.
- Hunter Scott Scholarships: Available for training of ordinands or ordained ministers.
- Ellen Margaret Taylor Bursary: Available for women studying theology, with preference given to women from country Victoria.

Study Pathways for Ordination

Four year program – Diocese of Melbourne Ordinand Learning Pathways

BTh/BMin (double degree) or MDiv/GradDipDiv (without Hebrew)				
32 units 128 cps	Ministry & Practice	Christian Thought	Bible	Non-award Ordination Requirements
First Year	RYM31/51 Intro to Personal Evangelism (0.5) RYM32/52 Ministry Foundations (0.5) Ministry elective (BMin only)	CH305/505 Early Church History	LA004A Greek OR LA002 Greek (BMin only) LA004B Greek (not BMin) OT301/501 OT Foundations OT302/502 OT Prophets & Writings NT301/501 Content & Setting of Gospels NT302/502 Early NT Church	
Second Year	PC315/515 Christian Worship PC447/647 Introductory Preaching	TH401/601 The Knowledge of God TH402/602 God & Christ CH424/624 Reformation CH	Gospel (Eng or Gk) Epistle (Eng or Gk) OT Exegesis (Eng)	Communication and Interpersonal Skills Major Placement Chapel Team & LMG
Third Year	PC402/602 Foundations of Pastoral Care EM418/618 Ministry in a Culturally Diverse Context PC442/642 Congregational Field Ed RYC42/62 Anglican Identity	TH403/603 Grace & Eschatology TH404/604 Church, Ministry & Sac'ments	NT Exegesis (Gk) OT Exegesis (Eng)	Field Education Preaching Workshop Power and Trust Seminars Major Placement Chapel Team & LMG
Fourth Year	CPE or ICT PC445/645 Leadership and Management EM630 Gospel, Church & Aust Culture	PE301/501 Introduction to Christian Ethics	NT Exegesis (Gk) OT Exegesis (Eng)	Preaching Workshop Minor Placement Chapel Team & LMG

BTh/BMin (double degree) or MDiv/GradDipDiv (with Hebrew)				
32 units 128 cps	Ministry & Practice	Christian Thought	Bible	Non-award Ordination Requirements
First Year	RYM31/51 Intro to Personal Evangelism (0.5) RYM32/52 Ministry Foundations (0.5)	CH305/505 Early Church History	LA004A Greek LA004B Greek OT301/501 OT Foundations OT302/502 From Israel to Judea NT301/501 Content & Setting of Gospels NT302/502 Early NT Church	
Second Year	PC447/647 Introductory Preaching	TH401/601 The Knowledge of God TH402/602 God & Christ CH424/624 Reformation CH	LA003A Hebrew LA003B Hebrew OT Exegesis (Heb) Gospel OR Epistle (Gk)	Communication and Interpersonal Skills Major Placement Chapel Team & LMG
Third Year	PC402/602 Foundations of Pastoral Care EM418/618 Ministry in a Culturally Diverse Context PC315/515 Christian Worship RYC42/62 Anglican Identity	TH403/603 Grace & Eschatology TH404/604 Church, Ministry & Sac'ments	OT Exegesis (Heb) Gospel OR Epistle (Gk)	Field Education Preaching Workshop Power and Trust Seminars Major Placement Chapel Team & LMG
Fourth Year	CPE or ICT EM430/630 Gospel, Church & Aust Culture PC445/645 Leadership and Management	PE301/501 Introduction to Christian Ethics	OT Exegesis (Heb) or NT Exegesis (Gk)	Preaching Workshop Minor Placement Chapel Team & LMG

Learning Community Application Form

Personal Details

Name _____

Address _____

Email _____

Mobile _____

Ministry Plans

Please include as appropriate:

- Ordination Candidate for Diocese of _____
- Enrolled in/Currently undertaking Year of Discernment
- Interested in Parish Ministry
- Interested in Chaplaincy – School, Hospital, Prison, Other: _____
- Interested in Church Planting
- Interested in Missionary Service/Overseas Ministry

Study Plans

Please indicate the course you are currently involved in:

- Master of Divinity
- Graduate Diploma of Divinity
- Bachelor of Theology
- Bachelor of Ministry

Expected year of completion of studies _____

