

CFCI Bible College, Wellington Campus

Frequently Asked Questions & Information Sheet

1. **What night of the week will classes take place?**
Year 1 Tuesday evenings – 6.15-9.30 pm. Arrival from 5.45 pm.
Year 2 Thursday evenings – 6.15-9.30 pm. Arrival from 5.45 pm.
2. **How many classes can I take at once?**
Classes for each year of the program occur one night per week. In the 1st Year you are required to complete all subjects before proceeding to the 2nd Year. Completion of the 2nd Year program is compulsory for enrolment in the 3rd Year programme.
3. **How often can I take the classes?**
The subject matter for all Bible College classes is only offered once per year.
4. **Will there be homework? If so what sort of homework and how long will it take to do?**
Yes, there is homework and practical assignments. These include:
 - Review of lecture and course manuals
 - Five practical ministry assignments (Year 1)
 - Two report assignments (Year 1)
 - Test preparation and review
5. **What other time commitments are there?**
 - Regular attendance of Sunday services (minimum of 40 services per year) at your local church
 - Regular attendance of a small group
 - Regular attendance of Bible College
 - Four tests - held on a Saturday morning 10am-12noon at the end of each term
 - One weekend (Friday night & Saturday morning) mid year Leadership Workshop
 - Saturday Leadership workshop
6. **What age do you have to be to attend 1st Year Bible College?**
18 years old or must be enrolled and attending Year 13. Please discuss with the Registrar.
7. **What is accreditation and why is it important?**
TACI “Transworld Accreditation Commission International” has accredited institutions around the world. For more information visit the TACI website. At the end of 3 years upon successful completion of all requirements students receive a Bachelor’s Degree in Practical Ministry. Students successfully completing all requirements and graduating from each year of CFCIBS, the student will receive: 1st Year Certificate, 2nd Year Diploma, 3rd Year (College of Timothy’s qualification), Bachelor’s degree. The successful student will, in addition, receive accreditation from any churches affiliated with CFC International.
8. **What type of a degree will I have when I finish the course work?**
After successfully completing 3 years of Bible College requirements, students will graduate with a Practical Ministry degree with TACI in the USA.

Please note: this is an international degree and is not NZQA accredited.

9. How long will it take to get a degree in Practical Ministry?

Three years.

10. What type of work will students be able to do once they have completed the 3 years?

Students will be equipped to fulfil their ministry within a local church; having obtained in depth bible knowledge, as well as gaining ministry exposure. Modules on leadership principles, church administration, church financial management will equip students to add value to any ministry they become involved in. This includes those called to the 5 Fold ministry.

11. How many classes can I miss in a term?

Students are allowed to miss up to 7 sessions per term provided that a valid letter is submitted and approved. There are three sessions per night. A maximum of 12 sessions per year (or one three session night per term) of absenteeism not accounted for, is also allowed.

12. Can I catch up on missed classes?

CDs of all sessions are available to purchase at the student's own cost. Students are encouraged to use this service if they miss any classes.

13. Can I make up time in any other way?

Yes you can earn extra credits by serving in various areas. This will be set out in writing and available at Orientation. These extra credits can go towards missed classes.

14. What will it cost me to attend Bible College? What are the payment options?

Refer to information on [fees and payment](#).

15. Is there financial aid or scholarships available?

Victory Christian Centre is subsidising the cost of operations for the Bible College. Without this generous subsidy the Bible College would be forced to charge much more. For Non-VCC members contact your local pastor for assistance.

Please note: Our courses are not NZQA accredited therefore students do not qualify for a New Zealand student loan or allowance.

16. Will on-line courses be available?

Not at this stage.

For more information please contact Di Snethlage (Registrar) on registrar@victory.net.nz or call her on 04 5689-479.