

**Requirements for the associate of arts degree:****Youth ministry concentration**

## I. Core Requirements: 21 credit hours

English	3
History	3
Science	3
Philosophy: one ethics and one logic	6
Social science: Recommended - introductory courses in sociology, psychology, social work, economics	3
Core elective	3

## II. Professional Requirements: 18 credit hours

THL 200 Foundations of Theology	3
THL 220 New Testament	3
THL 250 Principles of Catholicism	3
THL 312 Old Testament/Hebrew Scripture	3
THL 362 The Sacraments	3
THL 476 Theology of Ministry	3

## III. Concentration: 9-12 credit hours

Introduction to Youth Ministry*	3
THL 496 Fieldwork/Internship	6-9

## IV. Related Elective: 6-9 credit hours

**Total: 57 credit hours**

\*Offered by the Youth Ministry Institute of the Diocese of Providence.

**ORGANIZATIONAL COMMUNICATION**

The focus of this degree is on preparing individuals to work in a variety of organizational communication capacities including public relations, marketing, advertising, publications, and journalism. The organizational context includes business and professional organizations, as well as public, nonprofit, and political entities.

Course work for this program centers on writing, graphics, media, and human and interpersonal communication. Both a theoretical and an applied focus underscore each course. Courses include: Introduction to Human Communication, Writing for Communications, Public Speaking, Mass Media and Society, and Communications Research.

**Requirements for the bachelor of science degree**

## I. Core Requirements: 60 credit hours

English	12
History	6
Philosophy	12
Theology	12
Science	6
Social science	6
Fine arts	3
Mathematics	3

## II. Organizational Communication Core

## Concentration Core: 27 credit hours

COM 101 Introduction to Human Communication	3
COM 103 Public Speaking	3
COM 120 Writing for Communications I	3
COM 122 Writing for Communications II	3
COM 200 Ethics and the Practice of Organizational Communication	3
COM 201 Mass Media and Society	3
MGT 301 Organizational Behavior	3
COM 325 Public Relations	3
COM 403 Communications Research	3

## III. Practicum in Organizational Communication:

6 credit hours

COM 450 Practicum in Organizational	
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Communication I	3
COM 451 Practicum in Organizational Communication II	3

V. Communication Electives: 9 credit hours  
(choose three)

ART 101 Visual Design I	
ART 102 Visual Design II	
ART 105 Computer Art	
ART 171 Photography I	
ART 181 Graphic Art and Design	
ENG 161 Introduction to Journalism	
ENG 282 Reading and Writing the Short Story	
COM 210 Business Communications	
MGT 375 Intercultural Communications	
MKT 192 Broadcast Advertising	
MKT 205 Principles of Marketing	

V. Free Electives: 15 credit hours

**Total: 117 credit hours**

**Requirements for the certificate program**

I. Professional Core Requirements: 18 credit hours

COM 101 Introduction to Human Communication	3
COM 103 Public Speaking	3
COM 120 Writing for Communication I	3
COM 200 Ethics and the Practice of Organizational Communication	3
COM 201 Mass Media and Society	3
COM 403 Communications Research	3

II. Communication Electives: 3 credit hours (choose one)

ART 101 Visual Design I	
ART 102 Visual Design II	
ART 105 Computer Art	
ART 171 Photography I	
ART 181 Graphic Art and Design	
ENG 161 Introduction to Journalism	
ENG 282 Reading and Writing the Short Story	
COM 210 Business Communications	
MGT 375 Intercultural Communications	
MKT 192 Broadcast Advertising	
MKT 205 Principles of Marketing	

**Total: 21 credit hours**

**ORGANIZATIONAL LEADERSHIP**

The Organizational Leadership program provides students with the opportunity to study leadership within the context of business organizations. This interdisciplinary curriculum is in keeping with adult students' professional development needs, particularly for those who are already working in for-profit and non-profit organizations, often in leadership roles.

Leadership studies is a broad-based approach to understanding the process of social influence. Participants in this program are equipped with the understanding of how to influence communities, workplaces, and society in order to contribute to an ever-changing world.

**Requirements for the bachelor of science degree**

Core Requirements: 60 credit hours

Fine arts	3
History	6
English: (including COM 210)	12
Math: MTH 107	3
Philosophy (PHL 306 or LDR 303 required)	12
Science	6
Social science: ECN 101 or 102	6
Theology	12

II. Business Core: 27 credit hours

ACC 203 Financial Accounting	3
FIN 207 Managerial Finance I	3
LDR 101 Leadership Theory	3
MGT 201 Statistical Analysis for Business Decisions I	3
MGT 301 Organization Behavior	3
MGT 330 Legal Environment for Business I	3
MKT 205 Principles of Marketing	3
LDR 402 Capstone: Leading Change	3
One elective course in related areas	3

Choose from related topics in Accounting, Communications, Economics, Leadership, Management, Psychology, and Sociology.