

Certificate of Biblical Studies (CBS)

Mission Statement of the Degree: The IBC Certificate of Biblical Studies graduate will be enabled to grow in relationship to God and others through a foundational knowledge of God and His Word.

Description of the Degree: A total of 33 credit hours are required in Bible, theology, ministry, and General Education for this degree. It is designed to be completed at a pace of one (1) year.

Objective	Assessment Means	Measurements for Success	School Year					
			2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
<p>1- The CBS graduate will have developed:</p> <p>a. a basic understanding of the content and doctrines of Scripture,</p> <p>b. an elementary capacity for personal Bible study and,</p> <p>c. a foundational ability to apply its message in practical ways.</p>	Improvement in their score of the IBC Bible Knowledge Exam	At least a 10% increase in their score on the IBC Bible Knowledge Exam by at least 80% of CBS graduates.	3 out of 5 CBS graduates met the objective 60%	6 out of 9 CBS graduates with comparable data met the objective 67%	7 out of 10 CBS graduates met the objective 70%	3 out of 5 CBS graduates with comparable data the objective 60%	3 out of 3 CBS graduates met the objective 100%	4 out of 5 CBS graduates with comparable data the objective 80%
<p>2- The CBS graduate will possess a growing ability to develop loving, healthy relationships for evangelism and discipleship, church unity, work, and a godly life.</p>	CSA and Spiritual Formation requirements	Earned credits for CSA and SF by 100% of CBS graduates.	5 out of 5 CBS graduates met the objective. 100%	9 out of 10 CBS graduates met the objective. 90%	10 out of 10 CBS graduates met the objective. 100%	6 out of 6 CBS graduates met the objective. 100%	3 out of 3 CBS graduates met the objective. 100%	5 out of 6 CBS graduates met the objective. 83%
<p>3- The CBS graduate will learn basic life skills for success as a college student and beyond.</p>	Life Coach student assessment tool	Progress as shown on the Life Coaching assessment tool as students become more independent and responsible by at least 80% of CBS graduates.					2 out of 3 CBS graduates met the objective 67%	4 out of 5 CBS graduates with comparable data met the objective 80%