

## FAQS

### HOW MUCH TIME IS NEEDED PER SUBJECT OF STUDY?

Each unit of study has about 40 minutes of content to watch and some material to read each week with assessments to work on. We encourage you to meet with other students in your church with a designated church leader to discuss what you are learning and apply it to your context. You should set aside about 6 – 8 hours each week including the time when you meet as a group.

### WHAT KIND OF ASSESSMENTS WILL I NEED TO COMPLETE?

For many of the units there will be a short multiple choice weekly quiz based on your reading. You will be given several attempts on each of these. In addition you will have 2 to 3 other assessments to complete. These will range from essays, reflective papers, devotional tasks and projects.

### WHAT IS INVOLVED WITH THE PLACEMENT UNITS?

Placement units require you to have a mentor to relate to and an area of ministry to serve in at your church. There is no content to watch as you are expected to engage in practical ministry instead. Assessment includes a portfolio of work that is due at the end of the unit. The WHS unit is considerably shorter than the other placement units, and could be completed in a few weeks.

### WHERE CAN THIS COURSE TAKE ME?

Completion of a Certificate IV in Ministry meets the requirement for credentialing in the Australian Christian Churches and ACTS Global Church (formerly Apostolic Churches Australia). You also receive credit into the Diploma of Ministry or leadership courses at AC enabling you to take your study journey further.

### HOW DO I APPLY?

Go to the AC website ([www.ac.edu.au/apply-now](http://www.ac.edu.au/apply-now)) and click on 'apply now' under Local Church College and complete the [online application form](#). Don't wait another day!

### WE ARE HERE TO HELP WITH YOUR ENQUIRY

**VISIT** [www.ac.edu.au/awards/certificate-iv-ministry-leadership](http://www.ac.edu.au/awards/certificate-iv-ministry-leadership)

**CALL** 1300 228 355

**EMAIL** [churchpartnerships@ac.edu.au](mailto:churchpartnerships@ac.edu.au)

## CERTIFICATE IV IN MINISTRY

Equipping while you serve | Hosted in your local Church



# COURSE STRUCTURE

**THE CERTIFICATE IV IN MINISTRY (LEADERSHIP) HAS 10 UNITS,  
TWO OF THESE ARE ELECTIVES.**

- Christian Disciplines
- Christian Worldview (theology)
- Introduction to the Old Testament
- Introduction to the New Testament
- Participate in Christian Ministry (placement unit)
- Pastoral Ministry
- Christian Leadership
- Teamwork (placement unit) **OR** WHS (short placement unit)

## **ELECTIVE SUBJECTS (CHOOSE TWO)**

- Public speaking
- Evangelism
- Work in a ministry team (placement unit)
- Indigenous awareness

## **DURATION**

Full time: 1 year

Part time: 2 - 4 years

## **START DATES**

Multiple intakes during the year, please check with your church liaison

## **Study Mode**

Online hosted in your local church

## **ENTRY REQUIREMENTS**

Completion of Year 10 level preferred. Parental/Guardian permission required for under 18 years of age.

**At Alphacrucis College (AC) we are passionate about equipping Christian leaders to change the world. We have designed a course with you in mind – practical in its outworking, biblically and theologically grounded and designed to be done with others in your local church.**

**We want to see you flourish. We desire to see the Kingdom of God grow in your community. As you study with us, you will outwork what you are learning in your local context. AC provides all of the content and learning tools for you to successfully complete your studies, with flexibility so you can study at a pace and sequence that works for you. Your local church leadership enhances your learning, encouraging and contextualising learning to your specific situation.**