



DON BOSCO SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY
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ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Don Bosco Ecclesiastical Institute of Theology (DBEIT)

Baccalaureate in Theology (BTh)

The BTh course is a four-year ecclesiastical degree program affiliated with the Faculty of Theology of the Salesian Pontifical University in Rome and duly recognized by the Sacred Congregation for Catholic Education. A Bachelor's degree in Philosophy (PhB or AB Philosophy), or completion of the required Philosophy subjects is essential to take this course.

Application Requirements

1. Photocopy / Scan of the Original Transcript of Records (TOR) or Certificate of Grades (in pdf file) from the previous school (undergraduate or graduate and Philosophical Studies) and its English translation if the TOR is in a foreign language (For evaluation purposes only)
2. One 2×2 picture (jpeg file)
3. Letter of Recommendation (from the Religious Superior or Formator-in-charge, Bishop) (pdf file)
4. Copy of the Course Description from the last Theology school attended. (additional Requirements for Transfer Students)
5. Entrance Examination Fee

Additional Requirements for INTERNATIONAL APPLICANTS

1. Copy of the Certificate of Graduation indicating the Degree Title and Date of Graduation (Philosophical Studies) (pdf file)
2. Copy of the Transcript of Records
3. Copy of Passport Information (showing photo, data, latest admissions and validity of stay) (pdf file)
4. Copy of Visa (Student or Missionary Visa) (pdf file)

Admission Requirements (To be submitted after passing examination)

1. Original Transcript of Records of (Bachelor's Degree in Philosophy [PhB] or Bachelor of Arts degree in Philosophy [AB Philosophy] (PURPOSE: FOR

DON BOSCO SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY) for local students.

Original Transcript of Records of (Bachelor's Degree in Philosophy [PhB] or Bachelor of Arts degree in Philosophy [AB Philosophy])(for foreign student)

2. Transfer Credential Certificate or Eligibility to Transfer from the school last attended (for local students)
3. Three [3] copies of 2x2 pictures with white background

Institute of Pastoral Formation (IPF)

Master of Arts in Theology (MATH)

The MATH course is a civil degree program duly recognized by the Commission on Higher Education (CHED). SThB students may opt to take the MA-Th simultaneously with the ecclesiastical program.

Application Requirements

1. Photocopy / Scan of the Transcript of Records (TOR) of Collegiate Studies/ Bachelor's Degree (in pdf file) with a general weighted average of at least 2.00 or its equivalent and its English translation if the TOR is in a foreign language (For evaluation purposes only)
2. Completion of 18 credits of Philosophy
3. Letter of Recommendation (from the Religious Superior or Formator-in-charge, Bishop for Religious or Parish Priest or Current Employer or President/Head of Lay Organization) (pdf file)
4. One ID picture (2"x2") (jpeg file)
5. Entrance Examination Fee
6. Proficiency in English Language
7. Qualifying Exam and Interview

N.B.

1. You may scan your documents into pdf with your mobile using Adobe Scan, Simple Scanner or Cam Scanner.
2. Application requirements must be uploaded in the DBST SMS Orange Apps

Additional Requirements for Transferees:

Copy of the Course Description from the school last attended.

Additional Requirements for INTERNATIONAL APPLICANTS

1. Copy of the Certificate of Graduation indicating the Degree Title and Date of Graduation (Philosophical Studies) (pdf file)

2. Copy of Passport Information (showing photo, data, latest admissions and validity of stay) (pdf file)
3. Copy of Visa (Student or Missionary Visa) (pdf file)

Admission Requirements (To be submitted after passing examination)

1. Original Transcript of Records of (Bachelor's Degree in Philosophy [PhB] or Bachelor of Arts degree in Philosophy [AB Philosophy] (PURPOSE: FOR DON BOSCO SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY) for local students.
Original Transcript of Records of (Bachelor's Degree in Philosophy [PhB] or Bachelor of Arts degree in Philosophy [AB Philosophy])(for foreign student)
2. Transfer Credential Certificate or Eligibility to Transfer from the school last attended (for local students)
3. Three [3] copies of 2x2 pictures with white background

Diploma in Theological Studies

This is a two-year diploma program in Theology designed especially for lay and religious. The course consists of fifteen subjects for a total of 42 credits.

Application Requirements

1. Photocopy of Transcript of Records or Certificate of Grades (not lower than 2.00)
2. Photocopy of Certificate of Graduation
3. Letter of Recommendation from Local Superior or Formator-in-Charge (*for Religious*), Current Employer (*for Employed*), Parish Priest (*for Catechists*), President/Head of Organization (*for Lay*)
4. 2x2 picture or passport size (with white background)
5. Entrance Examination Fee

Admission Requirements (To be submitted after passing the examination)

1. Official Transcript of Records (Original) of Collegiate Studies with REMARKS: COPY FOR DBST
2. Transfer Credential Certificate or Eligibility to Transfer from the school last attended

Additional Requirements for INTERNATIONAL APPLICANTS

1. Photocopy of passport bio-page (showing photo, latest admissions, and authorized of stay)
2. Photocopy of ACR (Alien Certificate of Registration) & CRTS (Certificate of Residence for Temporary Student)
3. Photocopy of Student or Missionary Visa

Diploma in Catechetics (Evangelium)

This is a two-year non-degree formation program for those who desire to become catechists in public schools, parishes, and basic ecclesial communities. The course consists of modules given in our four semesters that covers faith content, methodology in catechesis, psychology of learner, and spirituality for catechists.

Admission Requirements

1. Age bracket: 18 to 50 years old
2. Completion of Senior High School or High School
3. Diagnostic Test on the Christian Doctrine
4. Good grasp of the English language
5. 2×2 picture
6. Letter of Recommendation from Parish Priest or Employer (*for Lay*)
7. Diagnostic Test Fee

Additional Requirements for INTERNATIONAL APPLICANTS

1. Photocopy of passport bio-page (*showing photo, latest admissions, and authorized stay*)
2. Photocopy of ACR (*Alien Certificate of Registration*) & CRTS (*Certificate of Residence for Temporary Student*)
3. Photocopy of Student or Missionary Visa

Institute of Religious Formation (IRF)

Theological Pastoral Studies for Salesian Brothers

This is a two-year program designed according to the norms of the specific formation of the Salesian Brother and aimed at providing the lay Salesian preparation appropriate to his specific vocation (SOB const. 116). It comprises courses on “Christian morality, the Theology of consecrated life, deeper insights on the bible and liturgy, aspects of pastoral theology and catechesis, and the social teachings of the Church” (Ratio 10.2.3.1). It further offers the student a deepening in his knowledge of the spiritual heritage of the Salesian Congregation (Special General Chapter 688).

Theological Pastoral Studies for Junior Sisters

This is a two-year theological formation certificate program for Junior Sisters, open to all major Religious Congregations. A unique study plan is designed by the Dean / President to best suit the needs of the Junior Sister. The schedule would depend on the study plan designed. Philosophy units are a

plus factor for greater ease in comprehension of theological subjects but are not required.

Admission Requirements

1. Recommendation letter from Provincial Superior
2. Recommendation letter from Junior Sister Directress
3. Photocopy of Transcript of Records or Certificate of Grades (if available)

Additional requirements for FOREIGN students

1. English Exam or a Level B2 Certification in English Proficiency