

OVERVIEW: MASTER OF ARTS IN YOUTH MINISTRY

AUSTIN PRESBYTERIAN THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY
in partnership with THE CENTER FOR YOUTH MINISTRY TRAINING

The Master of Arts in Youth Ministry is a specialized ministry degree designed to equip and educate aspiring youth pastors in the central Texas region and beyond. Austin, itself a vibrant youth culture with world-class music, arts, and growing ethnic diversity, constitutes a rich environment for exploring the Church's ministry with youth. The degree requires completion of 88 APTS credits (equivalent to 44 standard Carnegie credit hours) including two supervised practice courses.

Upcoming Course Schedule: *

Fall 2018	Engaging Youth in Mission and Evangelism; Advanced Studies in Youth, Church, and Culture
Spring 2019	Moral Questions in Youth Culture; Youth Minister as Pastor and Leader
Fall 2019	Introduction to Old Testament; Communicating the Gospel to Youth
Spring 2020	Introduction to Pastoral Care and Counseling; Theological Methods for Youth Ministry
Fall 2020	God Talk and Youth Ministry; Advanced Studies in Youth, Church, and Culture
Spring 2021	Introduction to New Testament; Youth Minister as Pastor and Leader

* Practicum courses and various electives are offered each semester

MAYM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

(Each course is valued at 6 APTS credits)

Core courses	36 Credits
<input type="checkbox"/> MAYM: Introduction to Old Testament	
<input type="checkbox"/> MAYM: Introduction to New Testament	
<input type="checkbox"/> MAYM: God-Talk and Youth Ministry	
<input type="checkbox"/> MAYM: Moral Questions in Youth Culture	
<input type="checkbox"/> MAYM: Introduction to Pastoral Care and Counseling	
<input type="checkbox"/> MAYM: Engaging Youth in Mission and Evangelism	
Youth Ministry Courses	24 Credits
<input type="checkbox"/> MAYM: Communicating the Gospel to Youth	
<input type="checkbox"/> MAYM: Advanced Studies in Youth, Church, and Culture	
<input type="checkbox"/> MAYM: Theological Methods for Youth Ministry	
<input type="checkbox"/> MAYM: Youth Minister as Pastor and Leader	
Youth Ministry Practicum/Supervised Practice of Ministry	12 Credits
<input type="checkbox"/> MAYM: Youth Ministry Practicum I and II	
Electives (examples)	16 Credits
<input type="checkbox"/> United Methodist Studies (i.e., History or Doctrine or Polity)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Presbyterian Polity	
<input type="checkbox"/> Travel Seminars	
<input type="checkbox"/> Elective Weekend Intensives	
<input type="checkbox"/> Introduction to Worship	
<input type="checkbox"/> Introduction to Church History	
Total	88 Credits