

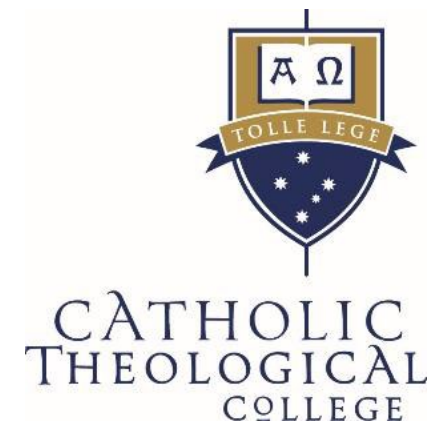
Information Session

“Theology for Teachers”

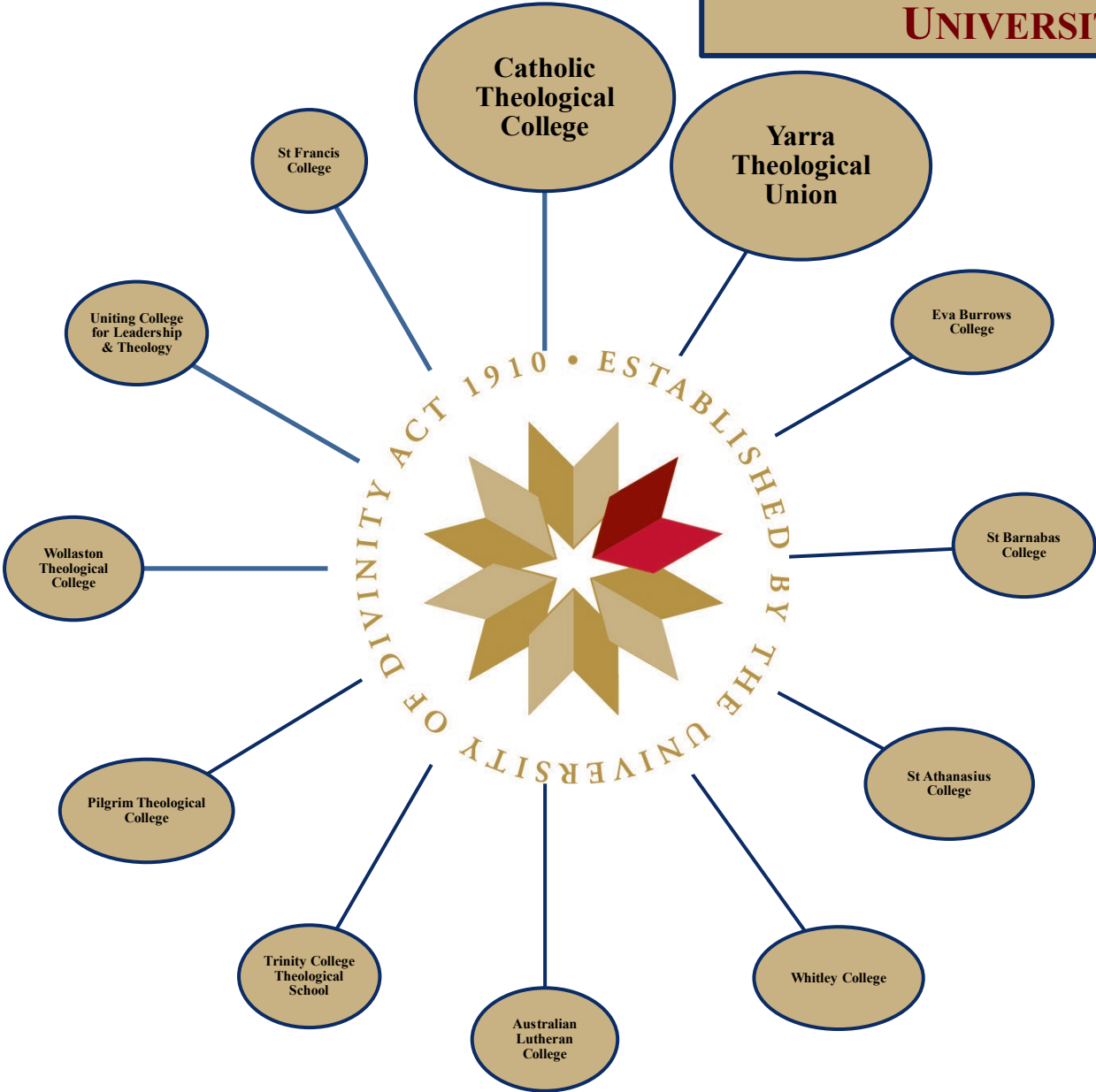
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**CATHOLIC THEOLOGICAL COLLEGE IS
ONE OF 12 COLLEGES OF THE
UNIVERSITY OF DIVINITY**



CATHOLIC
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MACS
Sponsored
Study

LRE
Pathway

Bachelor of
Theology

Master of
Theology

Master of
Theological
Studies

Master of
Education
and
Theology

Graduate
Certificate
in Teaching
Meditation

Graduate
Certificate
in Teaching
Religious
Education

Master of Education and Theology

9 units of study

Offered in a variety of locations and modes

Credit available

Admission

An undergraduate degree

+

VIT accreditation

+

2 years full-time teaching experience

Typical enrolment

Leadership for
Mission

Scripture or
Theology

Education or
R.E.

Education or
R.E. or
Theology

Credit

Capstone

Elective unit

Graduate Certificate in Teaching Religious Education



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GCTRE: Graduate Certificate in Teaching Religious Education

Course Description:

The Graduate Certificate in Teaching Religious Education prepares graduates to teach religious education and lead in a Catholic school.

It provides graduates with knowledge of the disciplines, principles, practices and traditions that form the basis for:

- religious education.
- leadership



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GCTRE: Graduate Certificate in Teaching Religious Education

Course outcomes: Graduates will

1. have a foundational knowledge and skills in theological disciplines of importance for teaching religious education.
2. have enhanced their capabilities to engage with particular faith traditions and spirituality.
3. have ability to communicate religious traditions to students by drawing critically on appropriate sources.
4. apply knowledge of contemporary approaches to the learning and teaching of religious education
5. apply their knowledge to religious awareness and faith formation of students and the formation of religious identity in a school community.



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GCTRE: Graduate Certificate in Teaching Religious Education

Meets formal study requirements for:

Accreditation to Teach Religious Education or Lead in a Catholic School (gain). (CECV Jan 2020). Successful completion can be used for credit to a Masters.

Course structure:

- Four units over **two years**.
- **One unit** studied per semester

Modes in 2024:

- **Fully online:** 16 hours OLS : 8 hours ONA



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GCTRE @Catholic Theological College

Units studied:

1. BS8602C Introducing the Bible
2. CT8605C In Dialogue with the Catholic Tradition: Foundational Theology for Teachers
3. CT9606C Being Followers of Christ: Sacramental and Moral Life
4. DR8600C Introduction to the Principles and Practice of Religious Education

Assessment:

- Units 1, 2, & 4: each 4000 words
- Unit 3: 7000 words assessment



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Other Courses for Teachers

Graduate Certificate in Teaching Meditation

3 units offered online via Zoom
synchronous online on Saturdays

Admission

An
undergraduate
degree

or

Approved
equivalence

Other Courses

Undergraduate

Audit

Single Unit

Graduate
Certificates

Graduate
Diplomas

Masters

Higher Degrees
by Research



Leadership and Religious Education (LRE) Pathways

What is the Program?

- The LRE Pathway is comprised of 6 modules of online in-service learning.
- Each module includes 5 hours of attendance via Zoom plus 25 hours personal learning.
- Activities may include synchronous online sessions, discussion groups, directed readings, videos and other resources.
- In each module, participants design and present a personal project related to both the topic and school-based practice.



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How To Enrol

Tuition Fees

Options for Payment of Fees

- 1 Sponsorship: MACS; School; Student
- 2 FEE-HELP
- 3 Upfront payment

Fees 2024:

- 16-point units - \$2,115 per unit
- 24-point units - \$3,172 per unit
- Minor Thesis - \$6,344



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Enrolment Process: with sponsorship

Enrolment Process:

a. If you are applying for Sponsorship

1. Apply for Sponsorship – via
CEVN website in OPL as advertised by Friday 6th October.

2. When you are notified by MACS that your Sponsorship Application has been successful

APPLY IMMEDIATELY to CTC for an Enrolment Package:

GCTRE: gctre@ctc.edu.au

Other courses: postgrad@ctc.edu.au



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Enrolment Process: without sponsorship

Enrolment Process (without sponsorship)

b. You may use Fee-Help or pay upfront fees

Apply for Enrolment Package after Tuesday, Nov 7.
(After Melbourne Cup Day!)

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Documentation Required

- Proof of citizenship: either your Birth Certificate or current Passport
- Academic/VCE transcripts
- Unique student Identifier (USI) number (students studying in Australia only)
- Other documents (as required)
 - Evidence of any change of name (if applicable)
 - Australian Citizenship Certificate (if applicable)
 - Sponsor Statement (if a third party is paying some of your tuition fees)



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For further information or to enrol



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