**Religious Studies  
Minor Study Plan Form**

**Name:** Click or tap here to enter text. **G#:** Click or tap here to enter text.

**GVSU Email Address:** Click or tap here to enter text.

**Note: (**Study plans are not valid unless approved by a Religious Studies advisor. When listing transfer courses, please list the course number and course name from previous institution as well as the GVSU transfer number/name.)

REL 100: Religions of the World (Credits: 3)

REL 200: Understanding Religions in Human Experience (Credits: 3)

REL 300: Religions in the World Today; Theories, Methods, Issues (Credits:3)

REL 482: Integrative Statement (Credits:1)

Three courses from designated Electives (Credits:9)

**Core Semester Grade**

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REL 482: Integrative Statement Click or tap here to enter text.

**Electives: Choose 3 Courses**

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3. Click or tap here to enter text.Click or tap here to enter text.

**Signed: Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Student:** Click or tap here to enter text.Click or tap here to enter text.

**Advisor:** Click or tap here to enter text.Click or tap here to enter text.

**Coordinator, Religious Studies:** Click or tap here to enter text.Click or tap here to enter text.

**Chair, IRIS:** Click or tap here to enter text.Click or tap here to enter text.

**Electives:**Select 3 from the following list of ELECTIVE COURSES:

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| * REL 305: Christianity: Scriptures and Tradition * REL 306: Hinduism and South Asian Religions (SWS) * REL 310: Jewish Scriptures and Traditions * REL 335: Sacred Texts – Global Contexts * REL 340: Religion and Popular Culture in the United States * REL 380: Special Topics in Religious Studies * INT 314: Life Journey (SWS) * INT 330: Ideas of Nature | * INT 400/401/401: Visionary Leadership/Thinkers * IDS 350: Civil Discourse * AHS 352: Intro to Holistic Health * ANT 315: Comparative Religions * ANT 421: Social Movements * CJ 405: Terrorism * CLA 315: World Mythology * ENG 386: Literary Responses to Death and Dying |
| * HRT 335: Theory of Human Rights * HST 311: History of Religion in the United States * HST 337: The Age of Islamic Empire * HST 342: History of East Asian Religions * HST 376: History of Witch Hunts * HTM 368: Geotourism * MES 350: Islam: Scriptures and Rituals * MGT 340: Ethics in Business, Social Justice, and Sustainability * PA 360: Voluntarism and Nonprofit Sector | * PHI 306: Eastern Great Philosophers * PHI 312: Medieval Great Philosophers * PHI 341: Philosophy of Death and Dying * PHI 343: Philosophy of Religion * PHI 400: Wisdom of the East: Advanced Topics in Asian Philosophy * PLS 330: Religion and Politics in America * PSY 385: Psychology of Religion |
| Students can also use courses from the Honor’s College “Alliance & Conflict” sequence (which includes HNR 151, 152, 153, and 154) or one of the following upper-division Honor’s courses to meet the elective requirement within the REL Minor. Those upper division courses include: HNR 350: Textual Tease HNR 350: The Terror of Monotheism HNR 350 Prophetic Critique in the Modern World | Have a course that you think should be on this list but isn't? Please contact the [REL Program Coordinator](mailto:maodushd@gvsu.edu?subject=Question%20about%20REL%20Minor%20Electives) to discuss further. Additional options for elective credit could include REL general credits (from transferred courses), independent readings (REL 399) or independent research (REL 499). |