

Terms of Agreement

The agreement is subject to review at least every two years, with mutually agreed upon changes to the current agreement. The agreement shall commence August 2021. The agreement may be terminated by either party with a six month written notification.

Advanced Standing for The Nehemiah Teams Students in the NOBTS Graduate Program:

New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary agrees to accept the courses listed in the table below as advanced standing towards any Master's degree. These courses have been deemed comparable or equivalent to courses offered by New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary.

The chart below indicates how NT students may gain advanced standing at NOBTS. No more than 25% of the total hours required for the degree may be applied.

Nehemiah Teams	NOBTS Courses and (Credit Hours)
Advance Operations Training	Mentoring in Gospel Ministry (6 hours)
Advance Operations Training	Mentoring in Discipleship Ministry (6 hours)
Advance Operations Training	Discipleship Strategies (2 hours)
Advance Operations Training	Supervised Ministry 1 (2 hours)
Advance Operations Training	Supervised Ministry 2 (2 hours)
Advance Operations Training	Spiritual Formation (1 hour)

Upon acceptance into NOBTS, each student will consult with the Dean of Graduate Studies to determine which of the hours possible will count towards his/her chosen degree. The student can receive no more than 25% of their degree. For example, an **MDiv Standard** student can receive **up to 19 hours** of transfer credit towards their 84 hour degree. An **MA in Pastoral Ministry** student can receive **up to 9 hours** of transfer credit towards their 36 hour degree.

Additional Advanced Standing Guidelines

1. Nehemiah Teams (NT) students must apply and meet the admissions requirements of New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary.
2. The student must have earned at least a "B" in the courses applied toward their chosen degree.
3. The student must be within five years of his/her completion of the Nehemiah Teams program to be eligible for the advanced standing credit.