

OLD TESTAMENT COGNATE LANGUAGES (OTCL)

OTCL 505 Hebrew Language Tools 3 Credit Hour(s)

An introduction to the biblical Hebrew alphabet, word formation, the verbal system, and syntax. Emphasis is placed on developing skills in the use of concordances and lexicons, as well as the use of various linguistic helps and differing English translations.

Offered: Resident and Online

OTCL 511 Advanced Hebrew Language Tools 3 Credit Hour(s)

Online Prerequisite: OTCL 505

An enhancement and development of the exposure to Hebrew word formation, the verbal system, and syntax. Emphasis is placed on developing skills for the use of various linguistic helps in performing Hebrew language word studies (semantic range studies and semantic domain studies). Pragmatic use of Hebrew for Bible exposition is emphasized.

Offered: Online

OTCL 515 Old Testament Bible Study Tools 3 Credit Hour(s)

Online Prerequisite: SEMI 505 and SEMI 510

This course will introduce students to resources, concepts, and essential procedures related to exegeting Old Testament passages at the seminary level. There will be an emphasis placed on implementing the use of biblical Hebrew language resources, commentaries, background resources, and English translations as they are made available through the Logos Bible Software.

Offered: Online

OTCL 520 Beginning Hebrew I 3 Credit Hour(s)

The basic elements of Hebrew grammar with stress upon morphology and vocabulary.

Offered: Resident and Online

OTCL 525 Beginning Hebrew II 3 Credit Hour(s)

Prerequisite: OTCL 520

A study of Hebrew tools and syntactical principles that will serve as guides to sound exegetical procedure.

Offered: Resident and Online

OTCL 640 Hebrew Syntax and Exegesis 3 Credit Hour(s)

Prerequisite: OTCL 525

The development of exegetical principles (including text critical, grammatical, historical, and theological factors) and their application to selected readings from the Hebrew Old Testament.

Offered: Resident and Online

OTCL 643 Hebrew Exegesis Elective 3 Credit Hour(s)

Prerequisite: OTCL 520 and OTCL 525

An exegetical analysis of various selections of the Hebrew Text of the Old Testament with an emphasis on literary and structural discourse strategies in the Hebrew text.

Offered: Resident and Online

OTCL 660 Biblical Aramaic 3 Credit Hour(s)

The elements of Aramaic with reading of the biblical and extra-biblical texts.

Offered: Resident

OTCL 695 Directed Research in Hebrew 1-3 Credit Hour(s)

Designed for the advanced student in good standing who has demonstrated an ability to work independently. The student will work with the instructor in developing a proposal for guided research in a specified area of Hebrew.

OTCL 697 Seminar in Old Testament Language 1-3 Credit Hour(s)

An intensive study in a distinctive language related to the Hebrew Old Testament. This course will vary considerably in approach and course content.

Offered: Resident