

III. Adult and Professional Studies - Certificate Programs



Special programs are available to women and men who have either interrupted or deferred college work and who now wish to continue their education. They may enroll through the Graduate and Adult Studies Office as non-matriculated students or may apply to matriculate toward the Bachelor's degree.

Continuing education is also open to women, men, and high school students with advanced standing who wish to take courses for enrichment or for college credit but who are not degree candidates.

The Adult Degree Program offers evening and Saturday coursework in certain majors. (See the description on page 22.)

CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

Seton Hill University offers six certificate programs: child care, English as a second language, graphic design, pastoral ministry, and sacred music. Certificates are granted at the completion of each of these programs. Credits earned in them may be applied toward a baccalaureate degree.

1. Child Care Certificate Program - Required Courses:

	credits
ED201 Instructional Techniques and Strategies for Inclusive Education	3
ED212 Physical Education Activities for the Handicapped and Non-Handicapped	1
ED316 Art in Elementary Education	3
ED317 Music in Elementary Education + Practicum	2

	credits
FC160 Nutrition for Life	3
FC355 Parenting	3
FC361 Early Childhood Education and Child Care Administration	3
MU127 Fundamentals of Music Theory	1
PY110 Introductory Psychology	3
PY225 Infancy, Childhood, and Adolescence + Lab	3

Total credits: 25

2. Certificate in English Language

This program is offered only in the target country in which Seton Hill has an affiliate agreement with a host academic partner.

	credits
Required Courses:	
ES100 Foundations of English I	3
ES101 Foundations of English II	3
ES102 Tourism and English	3
ES103 Business English	3

Total credits: 12

3. Graphic Design Certificate Program - Required Courses:

	credits
AR115 Drawing I	3
AR120 Design I	3
AR135 Black and White Photography	3
AR180 Digital Imaging	3
AR190 Graphic Design I	3
AR230 Typography I	3
AR290 Typography II	3
AR390 Graphic Design II	3
AR490 Graphic Design III	3
CA100 Communication Theory and Technologies	3
plus 3 additional elective credits	3
Total credits:	33

4. Certificate in Music Therapy

The certificate in Music Therapy is designed for post-baccalaureate students in music who wish to become trained and board-certified music therapists. Students will be required to complete the coursework in music therapy and clinical foundations, demonstrate competency on piano, voice, and guitar, and remedy any deficiencies in music or other coursework in order to meet American Music Therapy Association competencies.

Admission requirements include completion of admissions application, official copies of undergraduate transcripts, and an interview with the music therapy faculty. The applicant may be asked to demonstrate proficiency on piano, voice, and guitar as well as in a major applied area.

Required Courses:

	credits
Music Therapy Courses	
MT100 Repertoire for Music Therapy I	1
MT110 Repertoire for Music Therapy II	1
MT120 The Psychology of Music	3
MT200 Applications in Music Therapy I	2
MT210 Applications in Music Therapy II	2
MT300 Methods in Music Therapy I	2
MT310 Methods in Music Therapy II	2
MT400 Business of Music Therapy	2
MT420 Music Therapy Clinical Practicum (1 credit/4semesters)	4
MT430 Internship	6

credits

Clinical Foundations

AT220 Art Therapy Theories and Methods I	3
BL134 Human Biology and Medicine	3
PY110 Introductory Psychology	3
PY223 Lifespan Development	3
PY270 Introduction to Counseling	3
PY280 Abnormal Psychology	3

Total credits: 43

Faculty will evaluate the student's transcript to determine if equivalent courses have been completed, thereby waiving course requirements in the certificate.

Students who show deficiencies by audition or transcript in coursework or competency in core music areas may be asked to take one or more of the following courses:

	credits
MU126 Class Guitar I and II	2
MU128 Class Piano I and II or private inst.	2
MU129/139 Class Voice or Diction	2
MU136 Percussion	1
MU160 Harmony I	2
MU161 Aural Theory I	2
MU162 Harmony II	2
MU163 Aural Theory II	2
MU18_ Ensembles	4
MU260 Harmony III	2
MU261 Aural Theory III	2
MU262 Harmony IV	2
MU263 Aural Theory IV	2
MU270 Music 1750 to Present	3
MU271 Survey of Music Lit	3
MU272 Music from Antiquity to 1750	3
MU336 Conducting	2
MU34_ Applied Music	14
MU362 Orchestration	2
MU416 Recital Attendance	0

5. Pastoral Ministry Certificate Program:

As a Catholic University, Seton Hill is committed to providing basic theological education, leadership development, ministry training, and spiritual formation for adult laypersons, religious, and clergy to enable them to use their gifts more effectively in service to the church. This certificate is offered in partnership with the Diocese of Greensburg.

Required Courses:

	credits
RT180 Introduction to Pastoral Ministry	3
RT200 The Hebrew Scriptures	3
RT240 Ecclesiology	3
RT250 Liturgy and Sacrament	3
RT260 Contemporary Christian Ethics	3
RT280 Jesus	3
RT390 Pastoral Ministry Seminar	3
RT420 Field Work/Practicum in Ministry	3
SW250 Human Behavior and the Social Environment I	3
SW271 The Helping Relationship	3
Total credits:	30

6. Sacred Music Certificate Program - Choose one emphasis area:

credits

a. Emphasis in Organ - Required Courses:

MU129	Class Voice I	1
MU160	Harmony I	2
MU161	Aural Theory I	2
MU162	Harmony II	2
MU229	Class Voice II	1
MU240	Piano	2
MU242	Organ (includes instruction in Service Playing)	8
MU334	Choral Conducting OR	
MU335	Instrumental Conducting	2
MU356	A Survey of Christian Hymnody	2
RT250	Liturgy and Sacrament	3

Total credits: 25

b. Emphasis in Voice - Required Courses:

MU128	Class Piano I	1
MU129	Class Voice I	1
MU160	Harmony I	2
MU161	Aural Theory I	2
MU162	Harmony II	2
MU228	Class Piano II	1
MU229	Class Voice II	1
MU240	Piano	2
MU241	Voice	4
MU330	Music in the Elementary Schools (with practicum)	2
MU334	Choral Conducting OR	
MU335	Instrumental Conducting	2
MU356	A Survey of Christian Hymnody	2
RT250	Liturgy and Sacrament	3

Total credits: 25