

**B. A. Philosophy and Religion (PAR)**

(Emphasis - Religion)

*College: Arts & Sciences*

**DEGREE REQUIREMENTS**

Course requirements for all UNCW degrees include: (1) Basic Studies, (2) specific major requirements, and (3) sufficient elective hours for a combined total of a minimum of 124 hours.

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**(1) BASIC STUDIES** (45 semester hours)

See Basic Studies sheet and/or information on the WEB at <http://www.uncw.edu/uc/basicstudies.htm>

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**(2) MAJOR REQUIREMENTS – PAR Religion Emphasis** (Minimum 36 hours)

Check when complete:

- \_\_\_\_\_ +PAR 101 Introduction to Philosophical Thinking (3)
- \_\_\_\_\_ +PAR 103 Introduction to Religion (3)
- \_\_\_\_\_ +PAR 110 Introduction to Logic (3)
- \_\_\_\_\_ +PAR 125 Great Books of the World’s Religions (3)
- \_\_\_\_\_ +PAR 230 Judaism, Christianity and Islam (3)
- \_\_\_\_\_ +PAR 232 Asian Religions (3)
- \_\_\_\_\_ PAR 400 Colloquium for Majors (3) Prerequisite: Junior or senior standing  
(Meets both **Computer Competency** and **Oral Communication Competency Requirements**)
- \_\_\_\_\_ PAR \_\_\_\_\_
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- \_\_\_\_\_ PAR \_\_\_\_\_ Choose 15 additional hours in PAR courses with at least 9 hours at the 300-400 level
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An overall grade point average of “C” (2.00) or better is required in courses counted toward the major.

+ *May also be used to satisfy Basic Studies requirements*

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**(3) ELECTIVES**

\_\_\_\_\_ Elective hours to equal a minimum of 124 hours

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<b>Requirements to declare PAR:</b> Completion of 24 hours
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For further information see the PAR WEB site: <a href="http://www.uncw.edu/par">http://www.uncw.edu/par</a>
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## PHILOSOPHY AND RELIGION COURSES

### PHILOSOPHY COURSES

- PAR 101. Invitation to Philosophical Thinking(3)**  
**PAR 110. Introduction to Logic (3)**  
**PAR 115. Introduction to Ethics (3)**  
**PAR 201. History of Western Philosophy I (3)**  
**PAR 202. History of Western Philosophy II (3)**  
**PAR 205. American Philosophy (3)**  
**PAR 211. Philosophy of Human Nature (3)**  
**PAR 213. Existentialism (3)**  
**PAR 215. Bioethics (3)**  
**PAR 218. Symbolic Logic (3)**  
**PAR 220. Race and Social Justice (3)**  
**PAR 265. Philosophy and Film (3)**  
**PAR 302. Plato (3)** Prerequisite: PAR 101 or 201  
**PAR 303. Aristotle (3)** Prerequisite: PAR 101 or 201  
**PAR 305. Medieval Philosophy (3)**  
**P&R 310. (PLS 310) Legal Philosophy and Jurisprudence (3)** Prerequisite: Junior standing and/or the consent of instructor  
**PAR 313. Social and Political Philosophy (3)**  
Prerequisite: PAR 101, 115, or consent of instructor  
**PAR 315. Media Ethics (3)**  
Prerequisite: PAR 101, 115, or consent of instructor  
**PAR 316. The Philosophy of Art (3)**  
Prerequisite: PAR 101 or consent of instructor  
**PAR 317. Epistemology (3)**  
Prerequisite: PAR 101 or 201-202  
**PAR 318. Metaphysics (3)**  
Prerequisite: PAR 101 or 201-202  
**PAR 320. Philosophy of Mind (3)**  
Prerequisite: PAR 101 or consent of instructor  
**PAR 340. Philosophy of Religion (3)**  
Prerequisite: PAR 101 or 103  
**PAR 345. Philosophy of Science (3)**  
Prerequisite: PAR 101 or consent of instructor  
**PAR 346. Philosophy of Biology (3)**  
Prerequisite: PAR 101  
**PAR 360. Philosophy of Evolution (3)**  
Prerequisite: PAR 101 or consent of instructor  
**PAR 365. Topics in Philosophy and Film (3)**  
Prerequisite: PAR 101 or consent of instructor  
**PAR 400. Colloquium for Majors (3)**  
Prerequisite: Junior or senior standing  
**PAR 401. The Philosophy of Immanuel Kant (3)**  
Prerequisite: PAR 101 or 202  
**PAR 405. Contemporary Philosophical Thought (3)**  
Prerequisite: PAR 101 or 202  
**PAR 491. Directed Individual Study (1-3)** Prerequisite: Overall gpa of at least 2.00, junior or senior standing, and consent of instructor, department chair and dean  
**PAR 495. Seminar (1-3)** Prerequisite: Credit in PAR and consent of department  
**PAR 499. Honors Work in Philosophy (2-3)** Prerequisite: Eligibility for honors program and senior standing

### RELIGION COURSES

- PAR 103. Introduction to Religion (3)**  
**PAR 125. Great Books of the World's Religions (3)**  
**PAR 140. Research Tools for Historical and Textual Criticism - Hebrew (3)**  
**PAR 141. Research Tools for Historical and Textual Criticism - Greek (3)**  
**PAR 142. Intermediate Greek (3)**  
**PAR 225. Women and Religion (3)**  
**PAR 230. Judaism, Christianity and Islam (3)**  
**PAR 231. Primitive and Classical Religions (3)**  
**PAR 232. Asian Religions (3)**  
**PAR 233. African Religions (3)**  
**PAR 235. Introduction to the Old Testament (3)**  
**PAR 236. Introduction to the New Testament (3)**  
**PAR 238. History of Christianity I: Early and Medieval (3)**  
**PAR 240. History of Christianity II: Modern (3)**  
**PAR 242. Religion in America (3)**  
**PAR 243. Afro-American Religion (3)**  
**PAR 244. Caribbean Religions (3)**  
**PAR 245. Judaism (3)**  
**PAR 246. Islam (3)**  
**PAR 247. Religions of India (3)**  
**PAR 248. Buddhism (3)**  
**PAR 325. Psychology of Religion (3)**  
Prerequisite: PAR 103 or consent of instructor  
**PAR 330. Religion and Literature (3)**  
**PAR 334. Old Testament Literature (3)**  
**PAR 336. New Testament Literature (3)**  
**PAR 337. Apocrypha and Pseudepigrapha (3)**  
Prerequisite: PAR 235 or 236  
**PAR 340. Philosophy of Religion (3)**  
Prerequisite: PAR 101 or 103  
**PAR 342. Evil and Suffering (3)**  
Prerequisite: PAR 101 or 103 or consent of instructor  
**PAR 343. Atheism and Unbelief (3)**  
Prerequisite: PAR 101 or 103 or consent of instructor  
**PAR 350. Native American Religions Traditions (3)**  
Prerequisite: PAR 103 or 242  
**PAR 351. (HST 351) Religion in Early America (3)**  
Prerequisite: PAR 242 or HST 201  
**PAR 352. (HST 345) Religion in Antebellum America (3)**  
Prerequisite: PAR 242 or HST 201 or consent of instructor  
**PAR 353. (HST 359) Religious Reform in Modern America (3)** Prerequisite: PAR 242 or HST 202, or consent of instructor  
**PAR 355. Southern Religion (3)**  
Prerequisite: PAR 103 or consent of instructor  
**PAR 362. Archaeology of Ancient Israel (3)** Prerequisite: PAR 103 or 235, or consent of instructor  
**PAR 370. Tibetan Buddhism (3)**  
Prerequisite: 232 or 248 or consent of instructor  
**PAR 400. Colloquium for Majors (3)**  
Prerequisite: Junior or senior standing  
**PAR 421. Contemporary Religious Thought (3)**  
Prerequisite: PAR 103  
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