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Acts 2
College of Mission
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RTO 51452

College Prospectus

The College

Acts 2 College is a dynamic and engaging learning community that is dedicated to equipping students with the knowledge and practical skills they need to serve in various ministries within the Catholic Church. Students in this college have the opportunity to engage in hands-on learning experiences that bring the teachings of the Church to life in relevant and meaningful ways.

The college is staffed by experienced and passionate educators who are committed to providing an environment where students can grow in their faith, develop their skills, and explore their gifts. With a focus on practical ministry sessions and partnerships with local organisations, this college provides students with the opportunity to make a real difference in the lives of others.

Whether you're looking to deepen your understanding of Catholic teachings, explore your calling to ministry, or gain practical experience that will help you serve in your local community, our college has a program that's perfect for you. So why wait? Join this vibrant and supportive learning community today and discover the transformative power of faith and service!

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The College

Why choose us?

· Our vision is to empower, inspire and equip people to take up the Church's call to holiness and to spread the good news with missionary zeal.
· All our staff are committed Christians who strive to follow Christ in all aspects of their lives.
· We deliver all our courses in the context of Catholic teaching, faithful to the Magisterium.
· As we are a small college, you will receive personal support from the college lecturers to help you achieve success in the course.

What you will gain?

A solid foundation in the teachings of the faith
Practical ministry experience
Strong relationships with staff and other students

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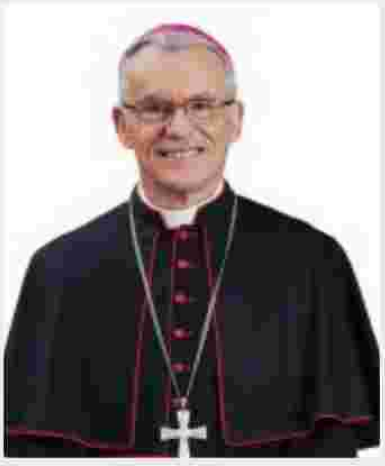
A word from our bishop

Acts 2 College of Mission & Evangelisation has made an important contribution to our Archdiocese since its inception in 2005. The college is the only Catholic ministry training organisation in Perth that is also a registered training organisation delivering accredited Catholic ministry qualifications. Graduates serve in our Archdiocese and across Australia in ministry positions – schools ministry, Parish youth ministry, various chaplaincy services and consecrated life. In addition, there are many other graduates engaged in studies and secular careers who are more grounded in their Catholic faith. This can only strengthen our Church.

The College experience, supported by its curriculum, has at its heart an encounter with the person of Jesus Christ and a response to that encounter of discipleship. Faith formation and practical ministry training enable graduates to share this faith and encounter with others in whatever vocational path they choose.

The content of the presentations and the Catholicity of the College are at all times subject to the approval and scrutiny of the local Ordinary. Acts 2 College has my support and encouragement as it continues its work, and I would encourage all Catholics who want to deepen their faith journey to consider what it has to offer.



Most Rev Timothy Costelloe, SDB DD
Archbishop of Perth

The College

A word from our students

Prior to Acts 2, I was an engineer who had a simple prayer: to know and love God more. By my surprise, it led me to Acts 2. Studying here has been one of the best things that has happened in my life, with the college being a blessing to the city as a tool for inspiring and equipping people for youth ministry, as well as a source for personal transformation. Each day I was exposed to the deep and rich treasures of the Catholic faith and was filled with awe at the new things I was learning. Having learnt many things about youth ministry and our Catholic faith, my hope now is to always be of support to those who are in need. After studying at Acts 2, I began working full-time as a Youth Ministry Worker with Catholic Youth Ministry, Archdiocese of Perth. ***(Theo, class of 2017)***

I came into Acts 2 College seeking to be better informed in my faith to help me navigate through tricky conversations at university and everyday life. Deferring my studies in accounting for a year to study at Acts 2 was challenging, important, humbling, and informative. I'm glad I made the decision. At Acts2, some of the best and most supportive teachers poured into us what they know, provided me a firmer foundation in what I believe as a Catholic and through inspection, reinforced God's movement within my own life. I've really enjoyed my time at Acts 2 College, and it has only expanded upon my relationship with God more by knowing his Word and people. Overall, I'm grateful for the opportunities Acts 2 College has given me and look forward to continuing my spiritual and personal growth at university, the workplace and wider community. ***(Maria, class of 2019)***

I've never been in an environment where everyone around me was equally as crazy as me. Crazy in love with God, crazy to learn more about Him, and crazy to do his work here on earth. Acts 2 College not only gave me the knowledge to do this, but it also strengthened my character through the blessing of my peers, lecturers and communities and the memories we made. It has truly been one of the best years of my life. ***(Jerome, class of 2021)***

Studying at Acts College has been a real blessing for me. Even through adversity or challenges, I could still find the joy in life through my class members, mentors and God. I went into Bible College very last minute and I had no real expectation, other than learning more about God and my personal faith. I was met with a class of beautiful, like-minded people, very welcoming and friendly. The lecturers were informative and would occasionally participate in some class banter (when we weren't being too cheeky). I am very grateful for the year and will cherish the leadership skills, confidence, and friendships I have developed throughout the year. ***(Sebastian, Class of 2022)***

I loved studying at Acts 2. It was honestly a year to be remembered. I loved learning about the Catechism and how it relates to the bible. I also loved learning about conflict resolution as I know it's a weak spot for me and so it gave me a chance to work on it. This course really pushed me out of my comfort zone and also gave me the tools to manage while also helping me understand. ***(Caleb, Class of 2023***)

CERTIFICATE II
in Active Volunteering (CHC24015)

Course overview

A key charism of the Catholic Church is our call to love others with Christ's love. As it says in the Catechism of the Catholic Church, "love of neighbour is inseparable from love for God." (CCC 1878)

This call leads many Christians to generously give of their time and gifting in the service of others. However, we also know that our good intentions are not always enough, and it is important to implement good practices that provide appropriate care for people's needs and their right to a safe environment.

To this end, Acts 2 College offers a Certificate II in Active Volunteering from the Community Services training package. This course assists students to understand the skills required to effectively participate in volunteer work, by developing their understanding of the legal and ethical requirements of volunteering and how to consider the diverse needs of those they are working with, while also developing their communication skills.

In addition to this, students can choose any two units offered by Acts 2 College, including our own accredited units in Catholic theology, leadership and ministry skills to support their particular areas of interest. Explore the units listed on our other course pages or contact us for more information.

Units

CHCVOL001 Be an effective Volunteer
BSBCMM201 Communicate in the workplace
CHCDIV001 Work with diverse people
HLTWHS001 Participate in Workplace Health & Safety
FSKOCM07 Interact effectively with others at work
Plus: Any two units offered by Acts 2 College, including our own accredited units in Catholic theology, leadership and ministry skills.

Recommended electives:

NAT11011001 Develop Christian leadership skills
-explore biblical leadership principles and develop your own leadership skills
NAT11011002 Promote the Catholic faith in interactions with others
-explore the key teachings of the Church through a study of the creed. Reach out to the wider community by researching social issues and planning and implementing two service projects to meet those needs.

CERTIFICATE II
in Active Volunteering (CHC24015)

Duration

6-12 months

Delivery Mode

- **Self-paced**
- **Interactive online may be available for some modules**

Entrance Requirements

Must have completed year 9 or equivalent. Background checks may be required before undertaking volunteer work.

Work Placement

Students must complete 20 hours of volunteer work.

Who would this course suit?

This course would suit those who are already actively serving in their community, as well as those who are interested in getting involved in volunteer work.

This course is approved by the Western Australian Schools Curriculum and Standards Authority to contribute to WACE.

Future Pathways

Graduates from this course can enrol in the Certificate III in Catholic Youth Ministry and Leadership and receive credit for 3-6 units of competency, depending on electives chosen. Students can go on to study other Certificates from the Community Services training package.

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CERTIFICATE III
in Catholic Youth Ministry and Leadership (11011NAT)

Course overview

In this program, you will receive faith formation aimed at deepening your understanding and knowledge of the Catholic faith through a systematic study of the Creed and an examination of the principles of leadership as revealed in Sacred Scripture.

You will learn how to interact with and communicate effectively with others, hone your presentation style, and develop a variety of leadership skills in a practical setting. You will also learn practical life skills such as time management, features of a healthy lifestyle and relationships, as well as developing your spiritual gifts and habits of prayer.

You will have the opportunity to put your faith and skills into action by being an effective and reliable volunteer and ensuring the safety of those you work with. You will plan various projects that involve the spiritual and corporal works of mercy. There are also options to equip yourself to mentor other young people in their own faith journey and ministry skills, or to work collaboratively within a team to plan and execute events that support and inspire young people in their walk with Christ.

Units

All students
NAT11011001 Develop Christian leadership skills
NAT11011002 Promote the Catholic faith in interactions with others
NAT11011003 Develop spiritual life plans
BSBCMM211 Apply communication skills
FSKOCM007 Interact effectively with others at work

Choose four from the following list:

BSBCMM411 Make presentations (OC, IO, SP)
CHCVOL001 Be an effective volunteer (OC, IO, SP)
NAT11011005 Participate in Christian event management (OC)
BSBTWK201 Work effectively with others (OC, SP)
HLTWHS001 Participate in workplace health and safety (SP)
*NAT11011004 Mentor a young person in their faith journey (SP)
*CHCYTH001 Engage respectfully with young people (SP)
**must be at least 16 years of age to complete these units*

CERTIFICATE III

in Catholic Youth Ministry and Leadership (11011NAT)

Duration **12 months**

Delivery Mode

- **On campus [OC] (1 day on campus & 1 day at home)**
- **Interactive Online [IO] (2 units must be completed in SP mode)**
- **Self-paced [SP]**

Entrance Requirements

- **Must have completed year 9 or equivalent.**
- **Background checks may be required before undertaking volunteer work.**
- **Some electives require students to be at least 16 years of age.**

Work Placement

- **Although there are no minimum hours of work placement required, some assessments must be completed within a youth ministry setting.**
- **Students must complete 20 hours of volunteer work to complete the Volunteering elective.**

Who would this course suit?

This course would suit:

- ***those who want to work in Catholic youth ministry under supervision.***
- ***Young people who want to develop their leadership skills.***
- ***Young people who want to learn more about their faith and how to live it out in today's world.***

This course is approved by the Western Australian Schools Curriculum and Standards Authority to contribute to WACE.

Future Pathways

Graduates from this course can enrol in the Certificate IV in Catholic Ministry and receive credit for 3-6 units of competency, depending on electives completed.

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CERTIFICATE III
in Catholic Youth Ministry and Leadership - On-Site @Acts 2 College for School Students (11011NAT)

*This on-site program is **not** just your ordinary classroom experience!*

Imagine spending one day a week for two years immersing yourself in an environment that not only provides top-notch formation but also gives you the opportunity to put that knowledge into action.

With practical ministry sessions and partnerships with 24:7 School Ministry, you'll have the chance to work with real people and make a meaningful difference in their lives, all while under the guidance of experienced mentors who are passionate about equipping the next generation of ministry leaders.

So, if you're looking for a program that will challenge you, inspire you, and set you on a path towards fulfilling your calling, this on-site program is the perfect fit for you.

Get ready to embark on an exciting journey of **learning, growth, and transformation** as you become **the leader God has called you to be**!

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CERTIFICATE III
in Catholic Youth Ministry and Leadership - On-Site @Acts 2 College for School Students (11011NAT)

Duration 1 day per week for two years

Delivery Mode
- On campus @ Acts 2 College

Entrance Requirements
- Must have completed year 9 or equivalent.
- Background checks may be required before undertaking volunteer work.

Work Placement
- Students will have the opportunity to work in a practical ministry setting within a retreat team

Who would this course suit?

This course would suit:
- ***Students who want to be involved in ministry and service within their school or parish.***
- ***Students who want to develop their leadership skills.***
- ***Students who want to learn more about their faith and how to live it out in today's world.***

This course is approved by the Western Australian Schools Curriculum and Standards Authority to contribute to WACE.

Future Pathways

Graduates from this course can enrol in the Certificate IV in Catholic Ministry and receive credit for 4-6 units of competency, depending on electives completed.

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Course overview

Year 11

In the first year of the program, you will develop foundational skills for ministry and leadership, such as written and oral communication skills, active listening, time management, discipline, interacting with others, and principles for a healthy lifestyle. While building those skills, you will also be able to deepen your understanding and experience of the Catholic faith by studying the Creed, engaging in various forms of prayer, and identifying your spiritual gifts.

The course program for this year includes:

- *Faith formation aimed at deepening your understanding and knowledge of the Catholic faith through a systematic study of the Creed.*
- *Plan and implementing various service projects that incorporate the spiritual and corporal works of mercy.*
- *Learning how to be an effective and reliable volunteer and ensure the safety of those you work with.*
- *Learning practical life skills such as time management, features of a healthy lifestyle and relationships, as well as developing your spiritual gifts and habits of prayer.*
- *Learning how to interact with and communicate effectively with others and honing your presentation style.*
- *In conjunction with 24:7 School Ministry, you will have the opportunity to work with a team to present sacramental programs in Catholic primary schools throughout Perth.*

Units

NAT11011002 Promote the Catholic faith in interactions with others
CHCVOL001 Be an effective volunteer
NAT11011003 Develop spiritual life plans
BSBCMM211 Apply communication skills
FSKOCM007 Interact effectively with others at work
BSBCMM411 Make presentations

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Course overview

Year 12

In this second year, you will be given the opportunity to use the skills you developed in your first year in variety of ministry and leadership contexts. You will be able to use your communication skills in one-on-one mentoring. Your skills in interacting with others and time management will be used as you work in teams to plan, organise and implement Christian ministry events. You will be able to use your spiritual gifting to further your leadership skills in a ministry setting.

The course program for this year includes:

- *Being equipped to mentor other young people in their own faith journey and ministry skills.*
- *Working collaboratively within a team to plan and execute events that support and inspire young people in their walk with Christ.*
- *Exploring leadership principles as revealed in Sacred Scripture.*
- *Developing your leadership skills through engaging in practical activities designed to prepare you for effective ministry and leadership in the Church.*
- *In conjunction with 24:7 School Ministry, you will have the opportunity to work with a team to present sacramental and leadership programs in Catholic schools throughout Perth. In this second year, you will be given more responsibilities and will be able to take part in additional roles over the ministry days.*

Units

NAT11011001 Develop Christian leadership skills
NAT11011005 Participate in Christian event management
NAT11011004 Mentor a young person in their faith journey

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CERTIFICATE IV
in Catholic Ministry (11012NAT)

Course overview

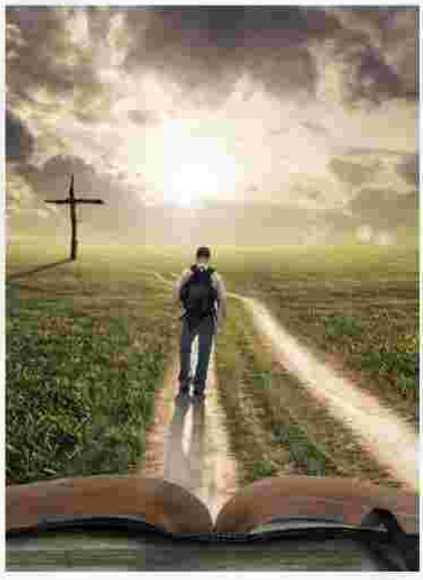
If you're looking to enrich your Catholic faith and make a meaningful impact in your Church community, then the Certificate IV program is perfect for you! This program is designed to equip you with the knowledge and skills needed to give you the confidence to work effectively in various ministries within the Church.

This program is ideal for individuals who wish to enhance their ability to serve within their local Catholic community. Get ready to learn, grow, and make a difference in the lives of those around you!

Throughout the program, you'll study the teachings of the Catholic faith, learn leadership principles from a biblical perspective, and put what you have learned into action through reaching out to others, utilising the works of mercy. You'll encounter Christ through a deep study of scripture, learn how to organise effective liturgy, and develop practical skills in communication, volunteering and ministry.

Units

NAT11011001 Develop Christian leadership skills
NAT11011002 Promote the Catholic faith in interactions with others
NAT11012002 Analyse and apply spiritual lessons from the Apostolic era
NAT11012001 Communicate the life and messages of Jesus Christ to others



Choose five :

BSBTWK201 Work effectively with others (SP only)
CHCVOL001 Be an effective volunteer
HLTWHS001 Participate in workplace health and safety
NAT11011003 Develop spiritual life plans
NAT11012003 Present liturgy in a Catholic context
BSBCMM411 Make presentations

CERTIFICATE IV
in Catholic Ministry (11012NAT)

Duration **6 - 12 months**

Delivery Mode

- **On campus [OC] (2-3 days per week)***
- **Interactive Online [IO]***
- **Self-paced [SP]**

**Depending on enrolment numbers, some units may need to be completed SP*

Entrance Requirements

- **Must have completed year 10 or equivalent.**
- **Background checks may be required before undertaking the ministry placement.**

Work Placement

- **54 hours of Catholic ministry is required.**

Who would this course suit?

This course would suit:

- ***those who are keen to serve in various lay ministries within the Church***
- ***those who want to develop their leadership skills.***
- ***those who want to encounter Christ in a deeper way through a study of His word.***

Future Pathways

Graduates from this course can enrol in the Diploma of Catholic Youth Ministry and receive credit for 1 -6 units of competency, depending on electives chosen.

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DIPLOMA OF CATHOLIC YOUTH MINISTRY
(11013NAT)

Course overview

Join us in a transformative journey of faith and service, as you learn to make a meaningful impact in the lives of young people.

In this Diploma, you'll have the opportunity to explore the key teachings of the Church in a way that's relevant to youth culture. You'll get to dive into scripture and discover the events that form the foundation of our faith. You'll also have the chance to develop your communication skills and share your own faith journey with others. You'll create and present dynamic youth evangelistic programs that will inspire and engage young people. And as you grow in your own spiritual life, you'll also learn important life skills like self-care and goal setting that will serve you well in all areas of your life.

As you research and plan events and programs, you'll gain valuable experience in logistical planning and organisation, while also deepening your understanding of Catholic teachings and practices. And as you mentor other young people, you'll have the opportunity to pass on what you've learned and help others grow in their own faith and ministry skills. But above all, you'll be part of creating a safe environment where young people can grow in their faith and connect with others who share their values.

So, if you're ready to make a difference in the lives of young people and grow in your own faith journey, this program is the perfect fit for you!

On campus students will have the opportunity to put their learning into action with a practicum partnership with 24:7 Youth Ministry that includes working with a team to lead school retreat programs and collaborating with parish-based youth groups.

Units

All Students (*On campus, Interactive Online & Self-paced*)

NATI1013001 Interpret biblical passages and apply to contemporary life
NATI1013002 Present the Catholic faith to others
NATI1013003 Engage in spiritual development
NATI1013005 Plan a strategy for Catholic youth ministry
CHCCOM002 Use communication to build relationships
CHCYTH001 Engage respectfully with young people
NATI1013004 Operate legally in Catholic ministry leadership
NATI1012002 Analyse and apply spiritual lessons from the Apostolic Era
NATI1012004 Plan and implement an evangelisation strategy
BSBPEF401 Manage personal health and wellbeing
HLTWHS001 Participate in workplace health and safety
BSBCMM411 Make presentations

On campus only

CHCYTH021 Support Youth Programs
NATI1012003 Present liturgy in a Catholic context

Self-paced only (*Interactive Online students must also complete these in SP mode*)

NATI1011004 Mentor a young person in their faith journey
BSBTWK201 Work effectively with others

DIPLOMA OF CATHOLIC YOUTH MINISTRY
(11013NAT)

Duration 1 year

Delivery Mode

- On campus [OC] (3 days per week on campus & 1 day per week ministry placement)
- *Interactive Online [IO]
- Self-paced [SP]

**Two units will need to be completed in SP mode*

Entrance Requirements

- Must have completed year 11 or equivalent.
- Background checks may be required before undertaking the ministry placement.

Work Placement

- 220 hours of placement in Catholic youth ministry is required.

Who would this course suit?

This course would suit:

- *those who are keen to work in youth ministry within the Church*
- *those who want to learn more about Christ through a deep study of scripture and the teachings of the Church*
- *those who want to develop their practical ministry skills*

Future Pathways

Graduates from this course are eligible for one-year full credit in the Bachelor of Theology at Notre Dame University (Fremantle or Sydney) and the University of Divinity (which includes Catholic Theological College in Melbourne).

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Delivery modes

Delivery Mode	Description	Technology Requirements
On Campus (OC)	Students attend classes on campus. On campus students are also required to attend college prayer from 9-10am on days that they have classes.	On campus students must have access to a computer or tablet. It is strongly desired that they have access to a webcam and microphone so that they can participate in activities with the Interactive Online students.
Interactive Online (IO)	Students connect to the on campus classes via Microsoft Teams meetings. Interactive Online students receive live lectures and participate in group activities with other online students as well as with the on campus students.	Interactive Online students must have access to an internet-connected computer or tablet with a webcam and microphone. Interactive Online students are expected to keep their videos on and to actively participate in the classes.
Self-Paced (SP)	Students receive access to all course materials and assessments related to the module they are completing. Course materials include videos, reading material and written activities. Self-paced students can choose when they begin each module and then have three months to complete it. Self-paced students are assigned a course trainer for each module that they complete and can contact that trainer for assistance with the course material and assessments. Self-paced students can also request to meet with their trainer via video call.	Self-paced students must have access to an internet-connected computer or tablet.

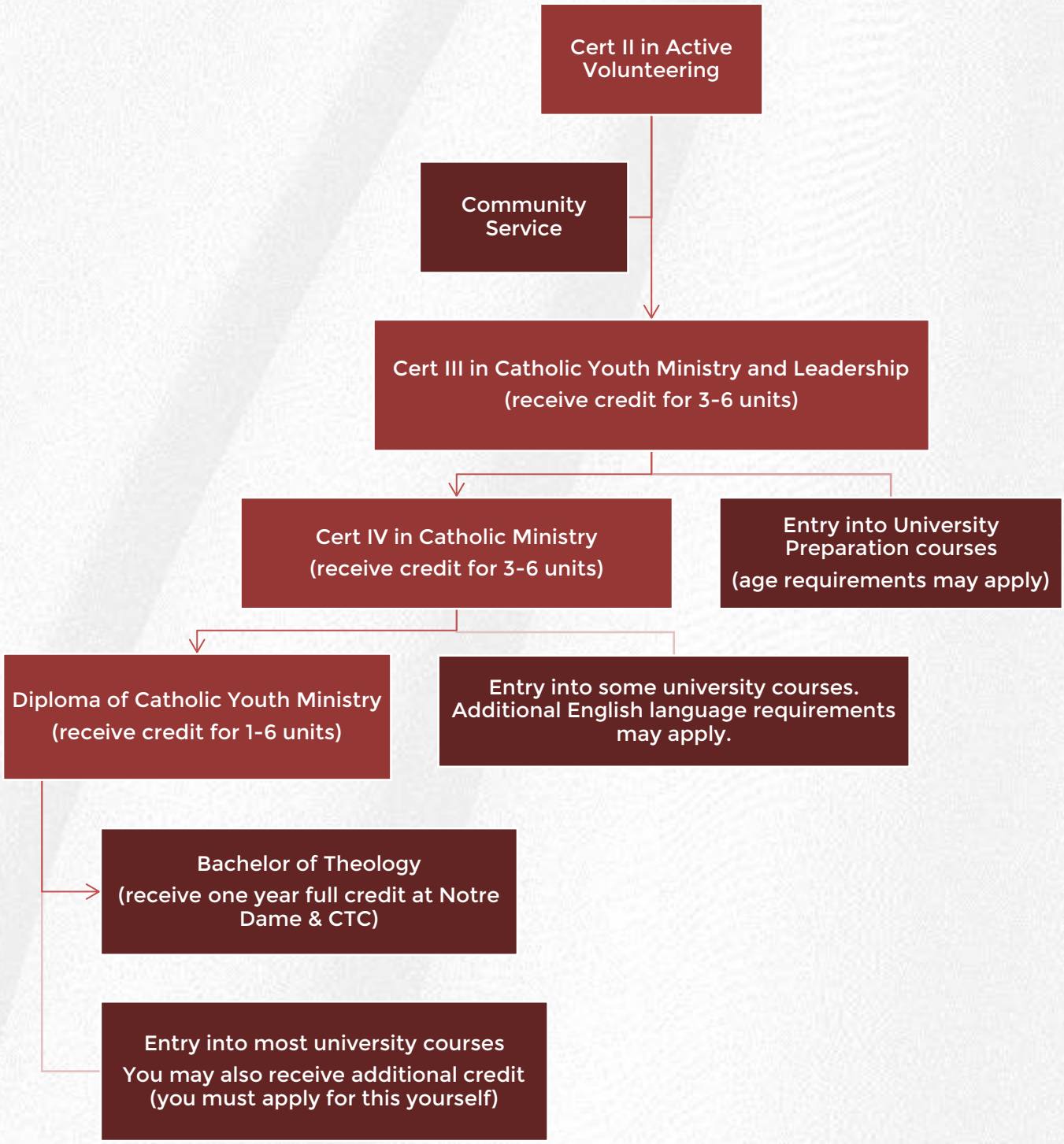
Fees

See https://acts2come.wa.edu.au/fees-charges for the current course fees.

Scholarships

Acts 2 College has a scholarship program for full-time, on campus Diploma students. See https://acts2come.wa.edu.au/scholarships-and-bursaries for further details.

Pathways



No lower level Acts2 courses are prerequisites for higher level Acts2 courses.
Some units may be able to be credited to a higher level course.