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INFORMATION SHEET – CERTIFICATE IN CHRISTIAN MINISTRY

The NETS Distance Program includes two programs:

- NETS Discipleship Certificate (NDC) – unaccredited (five books)
- Certificate in Christian Ministry (CCM) – accredited level 3 (twenty NBI books)

Students completing the NETS Discipleship Certificate are encouraged to continue into the next program: the Certificate in Christian Ministry (CCM).

Please note that admission into the CCM depends on successful completion of the NDC.

Learning Communities

NETS expects CCM students to be active members of a Learning Community (LC). LC's meet regularly and are guided by a volunteer facilitator who is theologically qualified, can give further explanations and guide discussions. Please note that this is not a paid position, but an opportunity to equip others in the body of Christ.

Book topics Certificate in Christian Ministry (CCM)

The Certificate in Christian Ministry (CCM) consist of twenty topics covered in twenty books (provided by the Nehemiah Bible Institute in SA). The topics are:

Module 1	
A	Study the Bible: Genesis (OT1)
B	Develop your leadership skills
C	The role of women in the church
D	Build a happy marriage
E	Study the Bible: Exodus to Deuteronomy (OT 2)
Module 2	
A	Study the Bible: Gospels (NT 1)
B	God's new world is coming
C	Learn to interpret the Bible
D	Train disciple makers
E	Study the Bible: History & Wisdom literature (OT 3)
Module 3	
A	Study the Bible: Acts, Letters and Revelation (NT2)
B	Bring good news to the world
C	Make a difference in your community
D	Pastoral care and counselling
E	Study the Bible: Prophets (OT 4)
Module 4 – ELECTIVES (5 of the following books will be selected based on the needs of the learning community as advised by NETS office:)	
A	<i>The story of the church</i>
B	<i>Good Church administration</i>
C	<i>Develop a children's ministry</i>
D	<i>Meaningful Worship services</i>
E	<i>Improve your preaching</i>
F	<i>Improve your church music</i>
G	<i>HIV and AIDS: Light a candle of hope</i>
H	<i>Help families to serve God</i>
I	<i>Deal with conflict God's way</i>
J	<i>Reach out to people of other religions</i>



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Each book is tested through an open book test. Successful completion of the program will lead to being awarded the Certificate in Christian Ministry (NQA accredited, level 3).

Costs of the Certificate in Christian Ministry (2026 fees)

The costs for the CCM include a once-off registration fee of NAD150 and an amount of NAD 170 per book. Students are encouraged to pay per module of five books. The total fee for the CCM stands at NAD 3550 (including the registration fee and the total of 20 books).

Further questions

For further questions, please talk with your NDC facilitator or contact NETS Distance Coordinator

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For more information on other levels of training at NETS:

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The Namibia Evangelical Theological Seminary (NETS) is committed to equip believers in Namibia with the knowledge, skills and character required to serve God, the church and the world. As a multidenominational and multicultural institution, we are delighted to be able to serve a wide variety of churches through our Distance Program and other programs.