



ACADEMY OF INTEGRATED CHRISTIAN STUDIES

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MTh. APPLICATION FORM 2025

**[APPLICATION FEES ₹250.00 CAN BE PAID THROUGH ONLINE OR CASH TO THE ACCOUNTANT,
APPLICATION WILL NOT BE ENTERTAINED WITHOUT PAYMENT OF APPLICATION FEES]**

Last date of Form submission	: 7 th March, 2025
(With late fee Rs. 200/-	: 14 th March, 2025)
Tentative Date of Entrance Exam and Interview	: 23 rd – 25 th April, 2025

Course to which admission is sought for: (Tick whichever is applicable)

- i) New Testament []
ii) History of Christianity []

1. Application's Name (in Capital letters): _____
2. Father's / Guardian's Name : _____
3. Married or Unmarried : _____
4. Gender (Male / Female) : _____
5. Date of Birth : _____
6. Academic Qualification : _____
7. Mother Tongue : _____
8. Nationality : _____
9. Adhar No. : _____
10. Church Affiliation : _____
11. Locality (with H/No.) : _____
12. Village / Town : _____
13. District : _____
14. State : _____
15. Pin code : _____
16. Mobile No. (Whatsapp) : _____
17. Email ID : _____
18. If married,
 - a) Is the applicant planning to bring the family along with him/her during the studies? : _____
 - b) Will the applicant come alone if family quarters is not available? : _____

19. REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO M.Th. (NT/HC) PROGRAMME

A person who has passed the BD Examination of the Senate of Serampore College in Second Class with B Grade (57.5% and above) and obtained B+ Grade (62.5% and above) average in the cluster/branch in BD Studies, including the optional papers and thesis (if so written), under which the branch of candidate's choice is clustered. A Candidate's grade of B (62.5%) is accepted either in the Cluster or Branch provided that the candidate has the adequate number of courses and language requirements in the intending MTh. branch. The Candidate must have completed two courses in a particular branch.

19.1. BD Grade : _____ Percentage : _____

19.2. Branch / Cluster Grade : _____ Percentage : _____

19.3. Indicate the name of paper done in New Testament / History of Christianity at the BD level or in the MTh. Qualifying examination, along with marks secured in the examination.

- i) _____
- ii) _____
- iii) _____
- iv) _____
- v) _____

19.4. Whether the candidate wrote thesis at the BD level? : _____

19.5. If yes, indicate the title of the thesis : _____

19.6. Area of interest for research in the M.Th Studies. : _____

20. Name of Local Church : _____

21. Church Affiliation / Denomination : _____

22. Is the applicant being recommended by any Church/Theological Institution/Organisation? : ____

23. If yes, name of the recommending body? : _____

24. Is the recommending Church / Theological Institution / Organisation sponsoring the applicant financially? : _____

24.1. If yes, give the name of the Church / Theological Institution / Organisation responsible for the Financial sponsorship. : _____

24.2. If no, is the applicant seeking financial sponsorship from the Baptist Church of Mizoram? : ____

(Signature of the candidate)

Date : _____

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

FOOD AND LODGING :

During the entrance examination, 'Food and Lodging' will be provided – on payment – to students, especially coming from outside the state of Mizoram.

If food and lodging are needed, then kindly fill up the following : -

- i) Name : _____
- ii) Male / Female : _____
- iii) Expected date & time of arrival : _____
- iv) Expected date & time of departure : _____

Check List

Before sending the application, please check and tick the following :

- i) Duly filled-in Application Form, including check list []
- ii) Copies of Transcript and Certificate of BD []
- iii) Recent Passport size photograph []
- iv) Letter of Recommendation from recommending Church / Body []
- v) Conduct Certificate from the Principal / Academic Dean / Registrar of the college from where the candidate completed BD []
- vi) If the applicant is already assured of financial support, a letter of agreement from the concerned body/person []
- vii) Medical Fitness Certificate []
- viii) Conduct Certificate from the previous College []

Kindly send the duly filled-in Application Form and other necessary documents, including Check List, to the Address given below :

The Dean of Post Graduate Studies
Academy of Integrated Christian Studies
Shekina Hill, Tanhril, MZU Road, Post Box – 80, Aizawl – 796001
Mizoram : India, Mb : 7005067757

Besides sending the hard copy of the Application form, the soft copy (pdf) may also be sent to the Academic Dean by E-Mail (dean@postgraduatestudies.aics.edu.in)

NB:

- *The applicant has to write two subjects in the Entrance test.*
 - i) *English : 100 Marks*
 - ii) *Departmental Paper : 100 Marks*
- *Original copies of all academic documents to be produced at the time of personal interview.*
- *Incomplete documents shall be liable to rejection of the application.*
- *Without paying application fees, form will be rejected.*
- *Application Fee ₹250.00 can be paid through online or cash to the Accountant during submission of application form. (Please attach payment receipt/Slip)*

Account No : **25052033825**

IFSC : **SBIN0RRMIGB**

Account Holder : Academy of Integrated Christian Studies

Payment Details :-

Date of Payment : _____

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RECOMMENDED BOOKS AND ARTICLES FOR MTH. ENTRANCE EXAMINATION, 2025

I. NEW TESTAMENT

1. New Testament Greek texts for translation, grammar and exegesis (from 2014 BD Syllabus): 1 Cor 14:26-33; 15:20-28; Gal 3:15-27; Eph 2:11-22; Phil 2:1-11; Mk 3:1-6; 4:10-12; 10:41-45; 14:22-25; Mt 5:1-13; 10:5-15; 18:10-14; 27:32-44; Lk 4:16-19; 11:1-4; 18:1-8; 24:13-27
2. Burkett, Delbert. *An Introduction to the New Testament and the Origins of Christianity*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2002.
3. "Biblical Criticism," in *Anchor Bible Dictionary*, Vol. 1. New York: Doubleday, 1992.
4. Kiangte, Vanlalchawna. "An Analysis of Recent Development in New Testament Criticism with special focus on Sociological Criticism, Narrative Criticism, Rhetorical Criticism, and Feminist Hermeneutics." *Sathri Journal* VII/2 (2013): 28-66.
5. Siang, Kecziuying. "Evaluation of Recent Interpretive Methods in New Testament Studies." *AICS Journal* 1/1 (2019):11-24.
6. James Chuaukailiana, *The Spirit of Truth: The Holy Spirit in Johannine Literature* (Delhi: Christian World Imprints, 2024).

II. HISTORY OF CHRISTIANITY

1. Downs, Frederick S. *History of Christianity in India, Vol. V, Part 5: North East India in the Nineteenth and Twentieth Centuries*. Bangalore: Church History Association of India, 1992.
2. Webster, John C.B. *The Historiography of India*: New Delhi: Oxford University Press, 2012 (Read chapter 1, pp. 14-63).
3. Zeliang, Elungkiebe. "Christian Involvement in Peacebuilding in North East India: A Historical Perspective." *Asia Journal of Theology* 34/2 (October 2020): 86-99.
4. Haokip, M. Thongkhosei. *A History of Ecumenical Movement in North East India: With Special Reference to the North East India Christian Council*. Delhi: ISPCK, 2015.