

Institutional Goals:

At Mid-South Christian College institutional goals are called Academic Core Learning Threads (ACLT). When a student graduates from Mid-South Christian College they should demonstrate an undergraduate preparation in the following areas:

<i>ACLT</i>	<i>DEFINITION</i>
	As a result of having completed a degree program at MSCC, students will be able to:
AMIN	Demonstrate competence as servant leaders that meet the real needs of our current world through a variety of ministry roles in local congregations as well as the mission fields of the world.
AGFT	Demonstrate an understanding of their unique giftedness as well as that of others and how that giftedness will be used to serve God in community with others.
ABIB	Demonstrate competence in the research, interpretation and application of the inspired Word of God, both the Old and New Testaments, at an undergraduate academic level of scholarship.
ACOM	Demonstrate competence in effective public communication through various forms including listening, preaching, teaching, dialoging and writing.
ASPI	Demonstrate personal spiritual growth and devotion in relationship to God which results in increasing transformation into the likeness of the mind, attitudes and actions of Christ.
ACCL	Demonstrate sensitivity and skill at relationship building, communication and discipleship among the varied cultures of the United States and the world.
AREA	Demonstrate competence in the mental skills of thought, reasoning, reflection, analysis and discovery in seeking God’s truth and application for today’s cultures from a Biblical worldview.

Outcomes Data for the Degree Programs of Mid-South Christian College

Bachelor of Christian Ministry/Preaching

Objectives. Upon completion of a degree program including the courses in this concentration, the student shall:

- Demonstrate ability to use verbal and exegetical skills in an oral presentation of the gospel.
- Demonstrate ability to perform the traditional duties of a Christian minister.
- Demonstrate an undergraduate level of knowledge of the Old and New Testament Scriptures.
- Demonstrate a commitment to the preaching ministry.

Measures and Indicators of Achievement:

- MSCC graduates in the Bachelor of Christian Ministry/ Preaching degree program will score at or above the National Norm for all ABHE schools on the Bible Knowledge Exam.
- At least 75% of MSCC graduates will be employed, pursuing further education, or serving in ministry.
- MSCC graduates will receive on average a GPA of 3.0 or higher in Homiletics and Practical Ministry courses.

Results:

- The last 2 graduating classes have performed at an average of 112% of the National Norm for all ABHE schools on the Bible Knowledge Exam.
- MSCC graduates in the Bachelor of Christian Ministry/Preaching degree score an average GPA of 3.38 in Homiletics and Practical Ministry courses.
- 67% of MSCC Graduates in the last 15 years are currently employed in ministry, pursuing further education, or serving in ministry.

Bachelor of Christian Ministry/Missions

Objectives. Upon completion of a degree program including the courses in this concentration, the student shall:

- Demonstrate an understanding of the Biblical basis, historical development and current trends in missions.
- Demonstrate a commitment to world missions.
- Demonstrate the skills necessary to engage in cross-cultural ministry.

Measures and Indicators of Achievement:

- MSCC graduates in the Bachelor of Christian Ministry/Missions degree program will receive on average a GPA of 3.0 or higher in Missions Courses.
- On average, MSCC graduates in the Bachelor of Christian Ministry/Missions degree program will see at least a 25% increase in their score on the Cross-Cultural Competency self-assessment.

- At least 75% of MSCC graduates in the Bachelor of Christian Ministry/Missions degree program will be employed, pursuing further education, or serving in cross-cultural Ministries

Results:

- MSCC graduates in the Bachelor of Christian Ministry/Missions degree program score an average GPA of 3.0 in Missions courses.
- Over the last 5 years, graduates of Mid-South Christian College have seen an average increase of 20% in their Cross-Cultural Competency.
- 43% of graduates in the Bachelor of Christian Ministry/Missions degree program are currently employed, pursuing further education, or serving in a cross-cultural ministry.

Bachelor of Christian Education

Objectives: Upon completion of a degree program including the courses in this concentration, the student shall:

- Articulate a biblical philosophy of Christian Education.
- Demonstrate commitment to Christian Education.
- Demonstrate ability to teach the Bible effectively.
- Demonstrate the ability to plan and develop a Christian Educational curriculum

Measures and Indicators of Achievement:

- MSCC graduates in the Bachelor of Christian Education degree program will score at or above the National Norm for all ABHE schools on the Bible Knowledge Exam.
- At least 75% of MSCC graduates will be employed, pursuing further education, or serving in Christian Education.
- MSCC graduates in the Bachelor of Christian Education degree program will receive on average a GPA of 3.0 or higher in Christian Education courses.

Results:

- The last 2 graduating classes have performed at an average of 112% of the National Norm for all ABHE schools on the Bible Knowledge Exam.
- 90% of graduates in the Bachelor of Christian Education degree program are currently serving in Christian Education or enrolled in further education.
- MSCC graduates in the Bachelor of Christian Education degree program score on average a GPA of 3.92 in Christian Education Courses.

Bachelor of Christian Leadership

Objectives. Upon completion of a degree program including the courses in this concentration, the student shall:

- Demonstrate ability to initiate a ministry project.
- Demonstrate ability to work on a team of diverse individuals.
- Demonstrate ability to develop resources needed to create and manage a new ministry.

Measures:

- At least 75% of MSCC graduates in the Bachelor of Christian Leadership degree program will be employed, pursuing further education, or serving in Christian Leadership.
- At least 80% of the graduates in the Bachelor of Christian Leadership degree program will have successfully launched a ministry project as part of their academic preparation.

Results:

- 82% of graduates from the Bachelor of Christian Leadership degree program are currently serving in Christian Leadership.
- 86% of graduates from the Bachelor of Christian Leadership launched a new ministry as part of their academic preparation.