

# Political Science

## Degree Type

Bachelor of Arts

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Requirements for **Major in Political Science** (not including General Education Core).

## Required Courses (6 @ 3 credit hours each)

Item #	Title	Credits
PSC 121	U. S. Government	3
PSC 222	State and Local Government	3
PSC 225	Comparing Politics Across the World	3
PSC 262	Justice, Civic Virtue, and Political Theory	3
SSC 220	Research Methods for the Social Scientist	3
PSC 462	Seminar in Political Theory	3

## Choose one statistics course:

Item #	Title	Credits
SSC 230	Introduction to Statistics for Social Scientists	3
MAT 200	Applied Statistics	3

## Choose one of the following:

Item #	Title	Credits
PSC 300	International Relations	3
PSC 310	Public Policy	3

## Choose one application course:

Item #	Title	Credits
PSC 228	Introduction to Public and Non-Profit Administration	3
PSC 340	Public and Non-Profit Personnel Management	3
PSC 341	Public Budgeting	3
PSC 380	Public Opinion	3

## Required Capstone Course:

Choose one capstone.

Item #	Title	Credits
SSC 402	Capstone	3
SSC 403	Capstone	3

## Choose five electives from the following (5 @ 3 credit hours each)

Item #	Title	Credits
PSC 123	Current Issues and Global Controversies	3
PSC 228	Introduction to Public and Non-Profit Administration	3
PSC 240	Non-Profits and NGOs	3
PSC 300	International Relations	3
PSC 310	Public Policy	3
PSC 325	War and Peace	3
PSC 340	Public and Non-Profit Personnel Management	3
PSC 341	Public Budgeting	3
PSC 343	Constitutional Law: Civil Liberties and Civil Rights	3
PSC 348	International Law and Organization	3
PSC 350	Political Parties and Elections	3
PSC 355	Advanced Topics in Political Science	3
PSC 360	Introduction to the Principles and Practices of Urban Planning	3
PSC 270	African Politics	3
PSC 380	Public Opinion	3
PSC 385	U.S. Foreign Policy	3
PSC 450	Human Rights	3
PSC 491	Independent Study	1-3
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SSC 495	Internships	3
SSC 496	Internships	3

## Choose two courses from an approved foreign language (unless exempt)

Item #	Title	Credits
	Foreign Language Sequence	3
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	<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>45-51</b>