

The following suggested schedule is based on full-time enrollment for students who do not require any 0-level coursework. This Completion Guide is for students interested in pursuing a major in Political Sciences as part of a baccalaureate degree. Students should check with their transfer institution for specific requirements for their major.

First Semester							
Course	Title	Credit Hours	Mode of Delivery	Pre Requisites	Term(s) Offered	Notes	
PSCI 101	American National Government	3	T,W	Appropriate placement score or minimum grade "C" in one of the following: ENG 021 and ENG 099 ; ENG 022 and ENG 099 ; or the EAP course sequence ENG 079 and ENG 089 ; or ENG 096 .	FL/SP/SM	Counts as Social Science Gen. Ed. 3 Soc. Sci. courses required from 2 different areas for AA degree.	
Eng 101	Rhetoric	3	T,W,H		FL/SP/SM	Must earn a "C" or better to meet degree requirements.	
Social Science Gen. Ed. Course	Refer to AA degree Social Science general education category for choices.	3	T,W,H	Varies by course	FL/SP/SM	3 Soc. Sci. courses required from 2 different areas for AA degree.	
Math 128	Elementary Statistics	4	T,W,H	Appropriate placement score or minimum grade of C in MATH 098.	FL/SP/SM		
Life Science	Refer to AA degree general education category for choices.	3-5*	T,H	Varies by course	FL/SP/SM	AA degree requires one Life Science and one Physical Science. One must be a lab (4-5 credits). <i>Some transfer schools suggest Bio 125 for this major. Consult with transfer school for preference.</i>	
Total Semester Hours:		16-18				Depends on Math and Life Science choices.	
Second Semester							
Course	Title	Credit Hours	Mode of Delivery	Pre Requisites	Term(s) Offered	Notes	
PSCI 102	American State/Local Government	3	T	Minimum grade "C" in ENG 101	FL/SP	Counts as Social Science Gen. Ed. Course. Three Soc. Sci. courses required from 2 different areas for AA degree. Consult with transfer school for preference.	
Eng 102	Rhetoric	3	T,W,H		FL/SP/SM	Must earn a "C" or better to meet degree requirements.	
Fine Arts Gen. Ed. Course	Refer to AA degree general education category for choices.	3	T,W		FL/SP/SM		
Physical Science	Refer to AA degree general education category for choices.	3-5*	T,W	Varies by course	FL/SP/SM	AA degree requires one Life Science and one Physical Science. Of must be a lab (4-5 credits).	

IAI Elective	Choose from approved IAI Electives for the AA degree	3	T,W,H	Varies by course	FL/SP/SM	Consult with transfer institution for suggestions based on
	Total Semester Hours:	15-17				Depends on Physical Science choice.

Third Semester						
Course	Title	Credit Hours	Mode of Delivery	Pre Requisites	Term(s) Offered	Notes
PSCI 103	Intro to Comparative Government	3	T		FL/SP	Counts as IAI elective. 27 credits of electives are required for the AA deg. Consult transfer institution for preferences.
Comm-101	Principles of Speech Communication	3	T,W,H	Placement testing into ENG 101 or minimum grade "C" in one of the following: ENG 021 and ENG 099; ENG.022 and ENG 099; or the EAP course sequence ENG 079 and ENG 089; or ENG 096.	FL/SP/SM	
Humanities Gen. Ed. Course	Refer to AA degree Humanities general education category for choices.	3	T,W,H	Varies by course	FL/SP/SM	<i>Students may want to consider Soc-240 if recommended by transfer</i>
IAI Elective	Choose from approved IAI Electives for the AA degree	3	T,W,H	Varies by course	FL/SP/SM	Consult with transfer institution for suggestions based on
IAI Elective	Choose from approved IAI Electives for the AA degree	3	T,W,H	Varies by course	FL/SP/SM	major. Consult with transfer institution for suggestions based on major.
	Total Semester Hours:	15				

Fourth Semester						
Course	Title	Credit Hours	Mode of Delivery	Pre Requisites	Term(s) Offered	Notes
Humanities or Fine Arts	Refer to AA degree general education category for choices.	3	T,W	ENG 101, minimum grade C, or consent of department	FL/SP/SM	AA degree requires one Humanities, one Fine Arts, and then a 3rd course from either area.
IAI Elective	Choose from approved IAI Electives for the AA degree	3	T,W,H	Varies by course	FL/SP/SM	Consult with transfer institution for suggestions based on
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IAI Elective	Choose from approved IAI Electives for the AA degree	0-2*	T,W,H	Varies by course	FL/SP/SM	major. Consult with transfer institution for suggestions based on major. Total IAI electives depend on whether there are carry over credits from math and/or science gen. ed. categories.
	Total Semester Hours:	15-17*				Depends on IAI Elective choices.

* The AA degree requires 3 credits in Math and 7 credits from Science (one Life Science course, one Physical Science course; one of those must be a lab). If a student takes more than the required number of credits in either category, the additional credit(s) will count in the IAI Elective category which requires a total of 27 credits.

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