



DEGREE WORKSHEET FOR:
Political Science B.A.
2022-2023 Catalog
Degree Requirements – 120 credits

| YEAR 1 - FALL (15 credits) | | YEAR 1 - SPRING (15 credits) | |
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| PSCI 105 Fundamentals of Politics (LAB1*) | 3 credits | PSCI 100 US National Government (LAB1*) | 3 credits |
| PSCI 110 Global Issues (LAB1, LAIS*) | 3 credits | LAC or University Wide Electives | 12 credits |
| ENG 122 College Composition (LAW1*) | 3 credits | | |
| ENG 123 College Research Paper (LAW2*) | 3 credits | | |
| HIST 121 Western Civilization from 1689 to present (LAH1*) | 3 credits | | |
| YEAR 2 - FALL (15 credits) | | YEAR 2 - SPRING (15 credits) | |
| PSCI 220 Intro to International Relations | 3 credits | LAC or University Wide Electives | 12 credits |
| PSCI 240 Globalization | 3 credits | PSCI 315 Comparative Public Policy | 3 credits |
| LAC or University Wide Electives | 9 credits | | |
| YEAR 3 - FALL (15 credits) | | YEAR 3 - SPRING (15 credits) | |
| PSCI 317 Dictatorship to Democracy | 3 credits | University Wide Electives | 9 credits |
| PSCI 331 Political Philosophy I | 3 credits | ENST 205 Environment, Politics, and Law | 3 credits |
| University Wide Electives | 9 credits | PSCI 332 Political Philosophy II | 3 credits |
| YEAR 4 - FALL (15 credits) | | YEAR 4 - SPRING (15 credits) | |
| PSCI 303 Public Policy in the US | 3 credits | University Wide Electives | 12 credits |
| PSCI 306 Constitutional Law | 3 credits | PSCI 405 Sr. Seminar in American Politics <u>OR</u> | 3 credits |
| PSCI 392 Internship | 3 credits | PSCI 435 Sr. Seminar in Political Philosophy | |
| University Wide Electives | 6 credits | | |

*See the [Liberal Arts Curriculum](#) webpage for more information

This four-year plan is one possible recommended schedule to complete your bachelor's degree in 4 years. Every UNC student must meet the following requirements in order to graduate with a bachelor's degree: earn a minimum of 120 semester credit hours; possess a minimum of a 2.00 cumulative grade point average; have at least 31 credit hours in courses designated as Liberal Arts Curriculum; meet all degree requirements in the student's major field of study. Each major and/or concentration may have additional requirements necessary for graduation. **Students must consult with their major advisor to receive information on any additional graduation requirements.**

Admission Requirement – Academic Good Standing.

Minor Required – No minor required.

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Notes –

1. Students may take up to 13 credits in the Political Science Internship Program, but only a maximum of 3 credits can apply toward the political science major. Admission to the Internship Program is selective. Applications are available in the program office and must be submitted to the director, Internship Program, no later than the time of preregistration for the semester of the proposed internship. Students must have accumulated 9 hours in political science at time of application.
2. Qualified students are invited to enroll in the Honors Program in Political Science. Consult the director, Honors Program in Political Science.

| *Liberal Arts Curriculum Course Indicators | | | |
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| LAA1 | Arts & Humanities: Arts & Expression | LAIS | International Studies |
| LAA2 | Arts & Humanities: Literature & Humanities | LAMS | U.S. Multicultural Studies |
| LAA3 | Arts & Humanities: Ways of Thinking | LAS1 | Natural & Physical Sciences |
| LAA4 | Arts & Humanities: World Languages | LASL | Natural & Physical Sciences LAB |
| LAB1 | Social & Behavior Sciences: Economic or Political Systems | LAW1 | Introductory Written Communication |
| LAB2 | Social & Behavior Sciences: Geography | LAW2 | Intermediate Written Communication |
| LAB3 | Social & Behavior Sciences: Human Behavior, Culture or Social Frameworks | LAW3 | Advanced Written Communication |
| LAH1 | History | LAX1 | Mathematics |