**GENERAL EDUCATION CORE**

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<td>Communication (9 hours)</td>
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<td>(010) English 1310 #</td>
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<td>(011) Communication 1310 (grade of “B” or better)</td>
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<td>Mathematics (3-4 hours)</td>
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<td>(020) Math 1315, 1317, 1319, 1329, 2321, 2417, or 2471 #</td>
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<td>Natural Science (7-8 hours)</td>
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<td><em>If both courses are from the same science, one course may be non-laboratory. Choose from the following:</em></td>
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<td>(030) Anthropology 2414</td>
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<td>(030) Biology 1320, 1421 (for non-science majors)</td>
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<td>(030) Biology 1330/1130, 1331/1131</td>
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<td>(030) Chemistry 1310, 1430 (for non-science majors)</td>
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<td>(030) Chemistry 1341/1141, 1342/1142</td>
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<td>(030) Geography 1305/1105</td>
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<td>(030) Geology 1410, 1420</td>
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<td>(030) Physics 1110, 1310, 1320, 1140, 1430, 1350, 1315/1115, 1325/1125, 1430, 2425</td>
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<td>Humanities &amp; Visual and Performing Arts (9 hours)</td>
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<td>(040) English 2310, 2320, 2330, 2340, 2359, or 2360</td>
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<td>(041) Philosophy 1305 (WI) or 1320 #</td>
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<td>(050) Art, Music, Dance, or Theatre 2313</td>
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<td>Social and Behavioral Sciences (15 hours)</td>
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<td>(060) History 1310 (satisfied in minor)</td>
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<td>(080) Economics 2301 or 2314 #</td>
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<td>Texas State Component (3 hours)</td>
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<td>(090) University Seminar 1100</td>
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**ADDITIONAL BA REQUIREMENTS**

**Modern Language (6 hours)**
(American Sign Language, Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, or Spanish)
- (1410*)
- (1420*)
- 2310
- 2320
*Most students will need to complete 1410 and 1420 as prerequisites before attempting 2310.

**Additional English Literature (3 hours)**
English 2310, 2320, 2330, 2340, 2359, or 2360

**POLITICAL SCIENCE MAJOR (30 HOURS) #**

- Political Science 2310
- Political Science 2320
- Political Science 3300 or 3301

**Choose 4 of the 5 Groups (12 hours):**
- Group I: Political Theory and Methodology
- Group II: American Government
- Group III: Public Law and Public Administration
- Group IV: Comparative Politics
- Group V: International Relations

**Political Science Advanced Elective (3 hours)**
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**Political Science 4398 (WI) @**

**HISTORY MINOR (21 HOURS) #**

- History 1310 (WI)
- History 1320 (WI)
- History 2311 (WI)
- History 2312 (WI)
- History Group A: World (see catalog for options)
- History Group B: European (see catalog for options)
- History Group C: American (see catalog for options)

**GEOGRAPHY 3rd FIELD (10 HOURS) #**

- Geography 1309 or 1310
- Geography 2410 Prerequisite: Math 1315 or above (excluding Math 1316) with a grade of “C” or higher
- Geography 3303 or 3309 (WI)

**TEACHER CERTIFICATION (21 HOURS) #**

- Curriculum and Instruction 3325
- Curriculum and Instruction 4332
- Curriculum and Instruction 4343 @
- Curriculum and Instruction 4370 @
- Reading 3323 @
- Education Student Teaching 4681 (8th-12th Grade)

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# A grade of “C” or better is required in these courses

@ Courses in “The Block”
Bachelor of Arts (BA) – Political Science (Social Studies Composite Teacher Certification: History Minor)
Catalog Year 2012-2014
For Advising Purposes Only

General Lower-Level Courses
2310 Principles of American Government
2320 Functions of American Government
3300 Basic Political Ideas
3301 Basic Political Institutions

Group I: Political Theory and Methodology
3331* American Political Thought
3332* Ancient and Medieval Political Thought (Greeks to 1600)
3333* Modern Political Theory (1600-1900)
3334* Contemporary Political Theory
3377 Analytical Techniques - Prerequisites: MATH 1315 or higher with a grade of C or better, POSI 3301 and 3316 with a grade of C or better
4328* The Holocaust – May be used to satisfy Group IV
4335* Politics and Personality

Group II: American Government
3305 The American Founding
3306* Religion and American Public Life
3307* Parties and Party Politics
3308* Congress and the Legislative Process
3309* The American Presidency
3314* State and Local Government
3319* Metropolitan Politics
3340 Urban Policy and Administration
3395* Ethnicity and Nation Building
4301* Politics in Film
4320* Issues and Interest Groups: Power and Pressure in America – Prerequisite: POSI 2310
4330* Women in Politics
4331* Minority Politics
4336* Campaigns and Elections
4337 Topics in American and State Politics:
   4337A* Texas Politics
   4337B* The Politics of the American Working Class
   4337C* Media and Public Opinion
4345* American Foreign Policy – May be used to satisfy Group V
4362 Government and American Business

Group III: Public Law and Public Administration
3310 Constitutional Law: Basic Structures and Principles
3311 Constitutional Law: Individual Liberties – May be used to satisfy Group II
3316* Introduction to Public Administration
3318* Public Personnel Administration
3320* Comparative Public Administration – May be used to satisfy Group IV
3328* Public Finance Administration - Prerequisites: MATH 1315 or higher with a grade of C or better, POSI 3301 and 3316 with a grade of C or better
4302 Legal Theories and Research
4303 Civil Law in American Society
4304 Issues in Law and Public Policy
4311* The Supreme Court and the Judicial Process
4322* Public Policy Formulation – Prerequisites: POSI 2310 & 3301
4361* Administrative Law

Group IV: Comparative Politics
3325 Economic Development in Latin America
3335 Comparative Politics
3337 Politics of Modern Southeast Asia
4313* Islamic Law and Politics – May be used to satisfy Group I
4314* Revolution and Nationalism
4327* Theories of International Politics – Prerequisite: POSI 3322
4338* Government and Politics of Latin America
4339 Canadian Government and Politics
4340* Government and Politics of Europe
4341* Government and Politics of Russia
4349 Special Topics in Comparative Politics:
   4349A* Spanish Democracy in Comparative Context
   4349C* Liberty and Property: A Comparison of Australia and the United States
   4349D* Organization of American States – May be used to satisfy Group V
   4349E* Politics of Mexico
   4349F* Politics of Democratization in Developing Countries
4350* Government and Politics of Asia
4351* African Politics
4354* The Politics of Extremism

Group V: International Relations
3322* Introduction to International Studies
3336 Civil-Military Relations in Comparative Perspective – May be used to satisfy Group IV
4315* The Arab-Israeli Conflict
4326* Issues in World Politics
4327* Theories of International Politics
4356* International Law – May be used to satisfy Group III
4357* International Organization
4358* United States-Latin American Relations
4359* Politics of International Economic Relations – Prerequisite: POSI 3322
4367 International Conflict and Security

General Upper-Level Courses
4379* Independent Study: Independent reading and/or research on various problem areas of political science.
4380 Internship in Government: The student will participate in the ongoing work of a selected governmental unit.
4398* Practicum in Political Science: Concepts, Resources, and Applications in the Study of Politics
4680 Internship in Government: The student will participate full time (40 hours per week) in the ongoing work of selected governmental units.

* Indicates a Writing Intensive (WI) Course