

Political Science

Department Information

- **Department Web Site:**
www.ndsu.edu/politicalscience/ (<http://www.ndsu.edu/politicalscience/>)
- **Credential Offered:**
B.S.; B.A.; Minor
- **Official Program Curriculum:**
catalog.ndsu.edu/undergraduate/program-curriculum/political-science/ (<http://catalog.ndsu.edu/undergraduate/program-curriculum/political-science/>)

Sample Program Guide

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To ensure proper program completion, enrolled students should utilize Degree Map (<https://www.ndsu.edu/registrar/degreemap/>) and Schedule Planner (<https://www.ndsu.edu/onestop/degree-map-and-planning/>) in Campus Connection and consult regularly with their academic advisor to ensure requirements are being met.

First Year			
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
POLS 110 or 115		3 POLS 220 or 225	3
MATH 104 or 103		3 HUM/Fine Arts and Cult Div Gen Ed	3
ENGL 110		3 ENGL 120	3
HUM/Fine Arts and Glob Persp Gen Ed		3 Science/Tech Gen Ed	3
COMM 110		3 Minor	3
		15	15
Second Year			
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
POLS 240		3 POLS 325	3
POLS 200-300 level elective		3 AHSS Requirement	3
STAT 330		3 Wellness Gen Ed	3
Science w/ Lab Gen Ed		4 Minor	3
Minor		3 General Elective	3
		16	15
Third Year			
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
POLS 300-400 Area Elective ¹		3 POLS 300-400 Area Elective ¹	3
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Minor		3 Science/Tech Gen Ed	3
Upper division Writing		3 AHSS Requirement	3
AHSS Requirement		3 Minor	3
		15	15
Fourth Year			
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
POLS elective		3 Elective	4

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POLS elective	3	POLS 300-400 Area Elective ¹	3
Minor	3	Elective	3
300-400 level general elective	4	300-400 level general elective	3
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	16		13

Total Credits: 120

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Select a minimum of five courses from at least three of the four areas (Areas 1-4)