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Semester One: [16 Credit Hours]

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| UCO 1200 | 3 | | | May take fall or spring of first year |
| PS 1100 | 3 | | X | Counts as Liberal Studies Experience Course 1 and SS Designation |
| PS 2120 | 3 | | X | |
| Gen Ed Quantitative Literacy | 4 | | | STT 2820 meets Gen Ed & the STT 1810 required in Semester 2 |
| Integrative Learning Experience Course 1 | 3 | | | HS or LS or FA Designation |

Semester Two: [15 Credit Hours]

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| RC 1000 | 3 | | | May take fall or spring of first year |
| STT 1810 | 3 | | X | If took STT 2820 for Gen Ed Quant Lit, take Free Elective |
| Liberal Studies Experience Course 2 | 3 | | | HS or LS or FA Designation |
| Integrative Learning Experience Course 2 | 3 | | | HS or LS or FA Designation |
| Free Elective | 3 | | | |

Semester Three : [16 Credit Hours]

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| PS 2240 | 3 | | X | |
| Int'l & Comparative Politics Concentration Course 1 | 3 | | X | Choose from courses International & Comparative Politics Concentration area on POS; some courses may meet Gen Ed requirements (depends on choices) |
| Gen Ed Science Inquiry | 4 | | | |
| Liberal Studies Experience Course 3 | 3 | | | |
| Integrative Learning Experience Course 3 | 3 | | | If Integrative Learning Experience is complete, take Free Elective |

Semester Four: [16 Credit Hours]

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| RC 2001 | 3 | | | May take in fall or spring of sophomore year |
| Int'l & Com Politics Concentration Course 2 | 3 | | X | Choose from courses International & Comparative Politics Concentration area on POS; some courses may meet Gen Ed requirements (depends on choices) |
| Minor Course 1 | 3 | | | A minor is required for this degree. |
| Gen Ed Science Inquiry | 4 | | | |
| Free Elective | 3 | | | |

Semester Five: [16 Credit Hours]

Student must take a [WID] course when choosing courses to meet International Relations or Comparative Politics or Required PS Elective Courses on POS. [WID courses: PS 3280, 3320, 3370, 3550, 3570, 4230, 4723, 4748 (Pre: RC 2001)]

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| Int'l & Com Politics Conc Course 3 | 3 | | X | Choose from courses International & Comparative Politics Concentration area on POS; some courses may meet Gen Ed requirements (depends on choices) |
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| Political Science Elective 1 | 3 | | X | Total of 6 hours (2 courses) required |
| Theory & Methodology Course | 3 | | X | Choose one course from Theory & Methodology area on POS |
| Minor Course 2 | 3 | | | |
| Liberal Studies Experience Course 4 | 3 | | | If Liberal Studies Experience is complete, take Free Elective |
| Gen Ed Wellness Literacy | 1 | | | |

Semester Six: [16 Credit Hours]

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| PS/CJ 3115 | 4 | | X | |
| Political Science Elective 2 | 3 | | X | |
| Minor Course 3 | 3 | | | |
| Minor Course 4 | 3 | | | |
| Free Elective | 3 | | | |

Semester Seven: [12 Credit Hours]

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| Comparative Politics Course 1 | 3 | | X | Choose course from list in Comparative Politics area on POS; A total of 6 hours (2 courses) required |
| International Relations Course 1 | 3 | | X | Choose course from list in International Relations area on POS; A total of 6 hours (2 courses) required |
| Minor Course 5 | 3 | | | |
| Minor Course 6 | 3 | | | If needed for 18 hour minor; otherwise take Free Elective |

Semester Eight: [13 Credit Hours]

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| PS 4800 | 1 | | X | CAPSTONE |
| Comparative Politics Course 2 | 3 | | X | Choose course from list in Comparative Politics area on POS; A total of 6 hours (2 courses) required |
| International Relations Course 2 | 3 | | X | Choose course from list in International Relations area on POS; A total of 6 hours (2 courses) required |
| Minor Course 7 | 3 | | | If needed for 21 hour minor; otherwise take Free Elective |
| Free Elective | *2 | | | *Take enough Free Electives to reach the minimum 120 required for the degree. |
| Gen Ed Wellness Literacy | 1 | | | |

| General Requirements Summary | | | | |
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| Minimum Total Hours | Gen Ed. Hours | Writing | Minimum | |
| | | | Major GPA | Overall GPA |
| 120 | 44 | RC 1000 and RC 2001 | 2.0 | 2.0 |



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All PS courses and all courses in Major Requirements area on Program of Study count in major GPA.

| General Education Program Model - 44 Semester Hours Total | | |
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| Program Categories | Hours | Important Notes – <i>Be sure to check for Gen Ed courses required in your major</i> |
| First Year Seminar | 3 | Can be taken first or second semester of freshman year |
| Wellness Literacy | 2 | |
| Quantitative Literacy | 4 | |
| First Year Writing | 3 | Can be taken first or second semester of freshman year |
| Sophomore Writing | 3 | |
| Integrative Learning Experience | 9 | Must choose a minimum of two disciplines |
| Liberal Studies Experience | 12 | Must choose a minimum of three disciplines |
| Science Inquiry | 8 | |
| <p>You must also meet the Fine Arts, Literary Studies, Historical Studies, and the Social Science Designations. Those may be met within the Integrative Learning Experience and the Liberal Studies Experience.</p> | | |

Additional Notes:

- A minor is required for this degree. Please go to the Dean's Office in 100 I G Greer Hall to add this minor to your official record.
- May take extra courses from the concentration area list as Free Electives.
- Consult advisor regarding choices.
- Please consult with your advisor to ensure you will complete the appropriate number of free electives as needed to reach the 120 total hours required for your degree.
- Residency Requirements:
 - 30 hours must be from ASU
 - 18 hours in the major must be from ASU
 - 9 hours in the minor must be from ASU