

Curriculum Guide for AA to BS Political Science at WCU

Freshman/First Year

1st Semester*					2nd Semester				
Fall					Spring				
CC Course	WCU Course Equivalent	LS Cat.	Credit Hours	Required/Notes	CC Course	WCU Course Equivalent	LS Cat.	Credit Hours	Required/Notes
ENG 111	ENGL 101	C1	3		ENG 112	ENGL 202	C1	3	
MAT 152	MATH 170	C2	3	Preferred	COM 231	COMM 201	C3	3	
History	History	P3	3		Humanities/Fine Arts	Fine & Performing Arts	P5	3	
Humanities/Fine Arts	Humanities	P4	3		POL 120	PSC 101	P1	3	Required
Social/Behavioral Sciences	Social Sciences	P1	3		Natural Science	Physical & Biological Sciences	C5	4	
ACA 122	USI 130		1						
Total Credit Hours					Total Credit Hours				
16					16				

Sophomore/Second Year

3rd Semester					4th Semester				
Fall					Spring				
CC Course	WCU Course Equivalent	LS Cat.	Credit Hours	Required/Notes	CC Course	WCU Course Equivalent	LS Cat.	Credit Hours	Required/Notes
HEA 110, PED 110	HEAL 111, HEAL 123, H	C4	3		Natural Science	Physical & Biological Sciences	C5	4	
Other Elective	Elective		3		Other Elective	Elective		3	
Social Science	World Cultures	P6	3		Other Elective	Elective		3	
Gen. Ed/UGETC Elective	Elective		3		Other Elective	Elective		3	
Gen. Ed/UGETC Elective	Elective		3		Upper Division Elective	ULP Elective	ULP	3	
Total Credit Hours					Total Credit Hours				
15					16				

Suggested Course Sequence to transfer from NCCCS
Junior/Third Year (at WCU)

5th Semester				6th Semester			
Fall				Spring			
WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes	WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
PSC 169	Global Issues	3		PSC 349/355/483	Engaged Experience	3	
PSC 230	Political Analysis	3		PSC 231	Group 4 - research	3	
PSC Elective		3		PSC Group 3	Comparative Politics/ International Relations	3	
PSC Group 1	American Politics	3		PSC Elective		3	
Minor class		3		Minor Class		3	
Total Credit Hours		15		Total Credit Hours		15	

Senior/Fourth Year

7th Semester				8th Semester			
Fall				Spring			
WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes	WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
PSC 240	Political Theory	3		PSC 499	Senior Capstone	3	
PSC Group 3 ELE	EPSC 451, 452, 455, 483, 484	3		Minor class		3	
PSC Elective		3		Minor class		3	
Minor class		3		PSC 346	Political Theory	3	
Minor class		3		PSC 448	Political Analysis II	3	
Total Credit Hours		15		Total Credit Hours		15	

Total Credit Hours 123

This assumes placement into college level courses. This is only meant to be a guide. Please see your academic advisor to develop your individual plan. A minor or second major is required. Pathway is made with an 18 credit hour minor - required hours may vary
Reminder: 30 hours of 300-400 level courses must be taken at WCU.

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