



Name: _____ Student ID #: _____ Date: _____

Political Science Minor Requirements

24 total credits

Political Science Core required courses (6 credits required):

Course	Course Title	Credits	Grade	Planned to Take
POLS 100	Introduction to Political Science	3		
OR				
FYS 101	First-Year Seminar- Humanities/History- Genocide	3		
OR				
FYS 114	First-Year Seminar- Social Sciences (NW)- Reacting to the Past	3		
POLS 302	Research in Political Science	3		

Introductory Courses (6 credits required)

Course	Course Title	Credits	Grade	Planned to Take
POLS 101	Introduction to Comparative Politics	3		
POLS 150	Introduction to American Government	3		
POLS 175	The Making of the Modern Global System	3		
POLS 262	Introduction to Political Thought	3		
POLS 330	U.S. State and Local Government	3		

Contemporary Issues (2 courses, 6 credits, at least one course must be at the 300 level or above)

Course	Course Title	Credits	Grade	Planned to Take
SOCI 201	Global Social Problems	3		
POLS 260	Contemporary Issues in American Politics	3		
POLS 265	Contemporary Political Thought	3		

Advanced Political Science Electives (9 credits required)

Students must take at least one course from each category:

American Politics:

Course	Course Title	Credits	Grade	Planned to Take
POLS 374	Women and Politics	3		
POLS 397	American Conservative Thought	3		
POLS 420	Biotechnology Policy and Ethics	3		
POLS 465	Congress and the Presidency	3		
POLS 485 In	Internship	2-10		

Peace Studies:

Course	Course Title	Credits	Grade	Planned to Take
POLS 264	War and Peace in Bosnia	3		
OR				
POLS 266	War and Peace in Northern Ireland	3		
POLS 301	Study Abroad	0-6		
POLS 353	Paths to Peace	3		
POLS 353	International Law	3		
POLS 345	Theories of War and Peace	3		
POLS 372	Power and Resistance	3		

Political Theory:

Course	Course Title	Credits	Grade	Planned to Take
POLS 376	Theories of Human Rights	3		
	Enlightenment, Freedom, and			
PHIL 340	Alienation	3		
POLS 381	Theories of Justice	3		
POLS 397	American Conservative Thought	3		
POLS 456	Feminist Theory and Action	3		

Notes: