

# BA/BS MAJOR IN POLITICAL SCIENCE

## Requirements for a Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science Degree with a Major in Political Science

Additional Graduation Requirements (<https://catalog.una.edu/undergraduate/academic-procedures-requirements/graduation-requirements>)

Code	Title	Hours
<b>General Education Component</b> ( <a href="https://catalog.una.edu/undergraduate/academic-procedures-requirements/general-education-component">https://catalog.una.edu/undergraduate/academic-procedures-requirements/general-education-component</a> )		
Area I (Written Composition) <sup>1</sup>		
		6
Area II (Humanities and Fine Arts)		
		12
Area III (Natural Sciences and Mathematics)		
		11
Area IV (History, Social and Behavioral Sciences)		
		12
Area V ( <a href="https://www.una.edu/areav">https://www.una.edu/areav</a> )		
<b>Major Core Requirements in Political Science</b> <sup>4</sup>		
PS 241	United States Government and Politics <sup>2</sup>	3
PS 244	Public Policy and Administration	3
PS 301W	Political Science Scope and Methods <sup>3</sup>	3
PS 302	Comparative Government and Politics	3
PS 303	World Politics	3
PS 304	Political Theory	3
Select 18 hours of Political Science Electives		18
<b>Minor</b>		
A minor or a second major is required for this major ( <a href="https://catalog.una.edu/undergraduate/colleges-programs/arts-sciences/politics-justice-law/#programsofferedtext">https://catalog.una.edu/undergraduate/colleges-programs/arts-sciences/politics-justice-law/#programsofferedtext</a> )		18
<b>General Electives</b>		
General Elective hours to bring total to 120		
A maximum of three hours of internship credit and three hours of independent study credit may be included		
Total Hours		92

<sup>1</sup> 6 hours of a required foreign language at the introductory level

<sup>2</sup> These courses are required in the major if not completed as part of the General Education component.

<sup>3</sup> Fulfills the computer literacy requirement.

<sup>4</sup> A minimum of 18 hours of the major coursework must be at the 300-400 level