

Political Science, BA, Environmental Politics and Policy Concentration

Fall

Spring

| | Course No. | Name | Prerequisite/Note | Credits | Course No. | Name | Prerequisite/Note | Credits |
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| | Freshman Year | | | | Freshman Year | | | |
| Freshman Year | PLSC 102 | American National Government | Major Core Req/Gen Ed | 3 | PLSC 211 | Democracy and Dictatorship | Major Core Req/Soc Sci Gen Ed | 3 |
| | HIST 259 | Environmental History | Gen Ed/Concentration | 3 | FTAE 105 | Franciscan Goals for Today | General Education | 3 |
| | BIOL 103 | Environmental Studies | Gen Ed/Concentration | 3 | COMM 103 | Speech Fundamentals and Public Speakir | Collateral Requirement | 3 |
| | Social Science | ECON 101, PSYC 101 or SOC 100/200 | General Education | 3 | CORE 113 | First-Year Seminar | General Education | 3 |
| | WRIT 102 | Research Writing | General Education | 3 | Math 101, 111+ | Math requirement | General Education | 3 |
| | CORE 103 | Fall Community Enrichment Series | General Education | 0 | CORE 104 | Spring Community Enrichment Series | General Education | 0 |
| | | | Total | | 15 | | | Total |
| | Sophomore Year | | | | Sophomore Year | | | |
| Sophomore Year | PLSC 203 | U.S. Environmental Policy | Major Requirement | 3 | PLSC 210 | Comparative Political Ideologies | Major Core Requirement | 3 |
| | PLSC Elective | 100 or 200 level | Major Requirement | 3 | Fine Arts | FNAR, ART, MUS, THTR (3 credits) | General Education | 3 |
| | LIT 104, 201, 202, 204, 207 | LIT 104, 201, 202, 204, 207, or 270 | General Education | 3 | PHIL 205 | Discovering Philosophy | General Education | 3 |
| | Language + Culture | Language + Culture | General Education | 3 | BIOL | Concentration Elective (Biology) | Concentration | 3 or 4 |
| | Elective | | | 3 | Elective | | | 3 |
| | Elective | | | 3 | | | | |
| | | | Total | | 18 | | | Total |
| | Junior Year | | | | Junior Year | | | |
| Junior Year | PLSC 301 or 305 | Con Law or Civil Rights/Civil Liberties | Major Core Requirement | 3 | PLSC 330 | Political Science Research Methods | Major Core Requirement | 3 |
| | PLSC 312 | American Public Policy Analysis | Major Core Requirement | 3 | PLSC 314 | Public Administration | Major Core Requirement | 3 |
| | PLSC 398/399 or 478* | Experiential Learnng * | Major Core Requirement | 3 | PLSC 204 | U.S. Gov't, Business, and Politics | Major Requirement | 3 |
| | PHIL/FTAE | Ethics | Gen Edu/diversity | 3 | BIOL | Concentration Elective | Concentration | 4 |
| | STAT 205 | Essentials of Statistics | Collateral Req & gen ed | 3 | Elective | Concentration Elective | Concentration | 3 |
| | EXAM 301 | Writing Competency Examination | General Education | 0 | | | | |
| | | | Total | | 18 | | | Total |
| | Senior Year | | | | Senior Year | | | |
| Senior Year | PLSC 494 | Political Science Research | Major Core Requirement | 1 | PLSC 313 | Ethics and Public Policy | Major Core Requirement | 3 |
| | PLSC Elective | 200, 300 or 400 level | Major Elective | 3 | PLSC Elective | 200, 300, or 400 level | Major Elective | 3 |
| | Elective | Concentration Elective | Concentration | 3 | CORE 407 or Major | 200, 300 or 400 level | General Education | 3 |
| | Elective | | | 3 | Elective | Concentration Elective | Concentration | 3 |
| | Elective | | | 3 | Elective | | | |
| | Elective | | | 3 | | | | 3 |
| | | | Total | | 16 | | | Total |
| | Total Credits: 128 | | | | | | | |

General Education Requirements currently in place as of Spring 2023 are reflected in the paradigm. Once the new Core program is officially adopted, the paradigm will be revised to reflect that.

* Experiential learning may take place during summer terms.