

Political Science - Bachelor of Science College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences

I. Core Requirements (39 hours)

Course Name	Hours	TCCNS	UH
Communication (6 hours)			
English Composition I	3	ENGL 1301	ENGL 1301
English Composition II	3	ENGL 1302	ENGL 1302
Mathematics (3 hours)			
College Algebra	3	MATH 1314	MATH 1314
Mathematics Reasoning (3 hours, UH Component Area Option)			
Choose one additional course with a MATH prefix from your current college's core-approved list.	3		
Life & Physical Sciences (6 hours)*			
Choose two courses from your current college's core approved list.			
Creative Arts (3 hours)			
Choose one course from your current college's core approved list.			
Language, Philosophy, & Culture (3 hours)			
Choose one course from your current college's core approved list.			
Social & Behavioral Sciences (3 hours)			
Choose one course from your current college's core approved list.			
American History (6 Hours)			
Choose two courses from your current college's core-approved list.			
Government/Political Sciences (6 hours)			
Federal Government	3	GOVT 2305	GOVT 2305
Texas Government	3	GOVT 2306	GOVT 2306
Writing in the Disciplines (UH Component Area Option)			
Met by UH courses POLS 3310, POLS 3348, or POLS 3349, one of which is a required course for this major and UH Core Writing in the Disciplines. (There are no current standard TCCNS equivalents. An alternative Core Component Area Option transfer may count for core, but may also cause excess total hours.)			

II. Major Requirements (6 hours)

Course Name	Hours	TCCNS	UH
Choose any two 1000- or 2000-level POLS courses totaling 6 hours	6	POLS 13XX or POLS 23XX	POLS ELEC

III. Bachelor of Science Special Degree Requirements (3 hours)

Course Name	Hours	TCCNS	UH
Choose one course:	3	BUSI 2305 MATH 1324 MATH 1325 MATH 1332 MATH 1351 MATH 2312 or MATH 2412 MATH 2413 MATH 2414 PHIL 2303 PSYC 2317	BUSI 2305 MATH 1324 MATH 1325 MATH 1332 MATH 1351 MATH 2312 MATH 2413 MATH 2414 PHIL 1321 PSYC 2317
		Also transferrable are other CORE MATH Reasoning courses with a MATH prefix on your current college's core-approved list.	

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IV. CLASS Block: Choose **6** credit hours in any **two different fields** below

African American Studies (AAS)	Asian American Studies (AAMS)	English (ENGL)	History (HIST)	Latin (LATI)	Religious Studies (RELS)
American Sign Language (ASL or SGNL)	Chinese (CHIN)	French (FREN)	Italian (ITAL)	Mexican American Studies (MAS)	Russian (RUSS)
Anthropology (ANTH)	Communications (COMM) OR Speech (SPCH)	Geography (GEOG)	Japanese (JAPN)	Music (MUSI)	Sociology (SOC or SOCI)
Arabic (ARAB)	Dance (DANC)	German (GERM)	Jewish Studies (JWST)	Nutrition (NUTR)	Spanish (SPAN)
Art (ART or ARTS)	Drama (DRAM) OR Theater (THEA)	Greek (GREK)	Kinesiology (KIN)	Philosophy (PHIL)	Vietnamese (VIET)
Art History (ARTH)	Economics (ECON)	Hindi (HIND)	Korean (KORE)	Psychology (PSYC)	

V. Diversity Requirement: Choose **one** of the following courses totaling **3** hours.

Course Name	Hours	TCCNS	UH
Physical Anthropology	3	ANTH 2301	ANTH 2301
Intro to Archaeology		ANTH 2302	ANTH 2302
General Anthropology		ANTH 2346	ANTH 2346
Cultural Anthropology		ANTH 2351	ANTH 2351
Texas History		HIST 2301	HIST 2301
World Civilizations I		HIST 2321	HIST 2321
World Civilizations II		HIST 2322	HIST 2322

***Candidates for the Bachelor of Science degree must complete 8 hours of Life and Physical Sciences courses, 6 hours from Core approved lists and an additional 2 hours from the following rubrics: BIOL, BCHS, CHEM, GEOL, PHYS. Students who complete two 4 credit hour Core Life and Physical Sciences courses in the following rubrics: BIOL, BCHS, CHEM, GEOL, PHYS will satisfy this requirement.**

Transfer Credit Limit

A maximum of 66 hours (grades C- or better) of 1000/2000 level transfer hours may be applied toward a UH degree. These are the 66 hours that best meet the degree requirements for your UH degree combination (Major, Double Major, Double Degree, and Minor).

- Students who currently attend UH should refer to their departmental advisor **BEFORE** taking courses at another college.
- Courses listed above are **suggested** courses for this degree. Other courses in combination may apply to a degree.
- See department or course catalog for further information on your degree plan.

Texas Undergraduate In-State Tuition Enrollment Cap

Under current rules, Texas resident undergraduate students who enrolled for the first time in a Texas public institution of higher education in fall 1999 or later may be charged a premium tuition rate after they reach an established enrollment cap. For details, see [Texas Enrollment Cap | Office of the Provost | University of Houston](#)