# 2015 - 2016 Major Map

## Political Science, BA

**School/College:** College of Liberal Arts and Sciences  
**Location:** Online

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<th>Term 1 - A</th>
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### Term 1 - B 7 - 12 Credit Hours

| ENG 101 or ENG 102: First-Year Composition OR ENG 105: Advanced First-Year Composition OR ENG 107 or ENG 108: First-Year Composition | 3 | C |
| Elective | 2 | |
| Term hours subtotal: | 5 | |

### Term 2 - A 12 - 19 Credit Hours

| POS 110: Government and Politics (SB) OR POS 150: Comparative Government (SB & G) OR POS 160: Global Politics (SB & G) | 3 | C |
| Second Language: Requirement satisfied through the following: * Completion of a language course at the intermediate level (202 or equivalent), including American Sign Language IV. | 4 | C |
| Term hours subtotal: | 7 | |

### Term 2 - B 19 - 26 Credit Hours

| MAT 142: College Mathematics (MA) | 3 | C |
| Second Language: Requirement satisfied through the following: * Completion of a language course at the intermediate level (202 or equivalent), including American Sign Language IV. | 4 | C |
| Complete ENG 101 OR ENG 105 OR ENG 107 course(s). | | |
| Term hours subtotal: | 7 | |

### Term 3 - A 26 - 33 Credit Hours

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- Only those students with no experience with the language may take the 101-level course. All other students are required to take a language placement exam, regardless of prior credit earned: https://international.clas.asu.edu/testing.
- ASU Math Placement Exam score determines placement in Mathematics course
POS 210: Political Ideologies (SB)  3  C

Second Language: Requirement satisfied through the following:
* Completion of a language course at the intermediate level (202 or
equivalent), including American Sign Language IV.

Term hours subtotal: 7

Term 3 - B 33 - 40 Credit Hours Critical course signified by  Hours  Minimum Grade  Notes

Second Language: Requirement satisfied through the following:
* Completion of a language course at the intermediate level (202 or
equivalent), including American Sign Language IV.

Humanities, Arts and Design (HU) AND Cultural Diversity in the U.S.
(C)  3

Complete First-Year Composition requirement.
Complete Mathematics (MA) requirement.

Term hours subtotal: 7

Term 4 - A 40 - 46 Credit Hours Critical course signified by  Hours  Minimum Grade  Notes

Computer/Statistics/Quantitative Applications (CS)  3
POS Elective  3  C

Term hours subtotal: 6

Term 4 - B 46 - 53 Credit Hours  Hours  Minimum Grade  Notes

Related Area Courses  3  C
Natural Science - Quantitative (SQ)  4

* Related Area Courses: Any course from the subjects in the list below will apply to the Related Area requirement.

Term hours subtotal: 7

Term 5 - A 53 - 59 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by  Hours  Minimum Grade  Notes

POS 301: Empirical Political Inquiry (SB)  3  C

Humanities, Arts and Design (HU) AND Historical Awareness (H)  3

Term hours subtotal: 6

Term 5 - B 59 - 65 Credit Hours  Hours  Minimum Grade  Notes

Related Area Courses  3  C
Literacy and Critical Inquiry (L)  3

* Related Area Courses: Any course from the subjects in the list below will apply to the Related Area requirement.

Term hours subtotal: 6

Term 6 - A 65 - 72 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by  Hours  Minimum Grade  Notes

POS Elective  3  C
Natural Science - Quantitative (SQ) OR Natural Science - General
(SG)  4

Term hours subtotal: 7

Term 6 - B 72 - 78 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by  Hours  Minimum Grade  Notes

Related Area Courses  3  C
Upper Division Literacy and Critical Inquiry (L)  3
Complete Cultural Diversity in the U.S. (C) course(s).  
Complete Historical Awareness (H) course(s).  

Term hours subtotal: 6

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Term 7 - B 84 - 90 Credit Hours

Complete 2 courses:  
- Upper Division Elective

Term hours subtotal: 6

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Term 9 - B 108 - 114 Credit Hours  

Complete 2 courses:  
- Upper Division Elective

Term hours subtotal: 6

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Related Area Courses
Notes:

- Please keep in mind that the applicability of a specific transfer course toward an ASU degree program depends on the requirements of the department, division, college or school in which you are enrolled at ASU. Transfer agreements that guarantee the completion of university level requirements do not necessarily meet college and major requirements. Please consult with an advisor for more information.

Total Hours: 120
Upper Division Hours: 45 minimum
Major GPA: 2.00 minimum
Cumulative GPA: 2.00 minimum
Total hrs at ASU: 30 minimum
Hrs Resident Credit for Academic Recognition: 56 minimum
Total Community College Hrs: 64 maximum

General University Requirements Legend

General Studies Core Requirements:
- Literacy and Critical Inquiry (L)
- Mathematical Studies (MA)
- Computer/Statistics/Quantitative Applications (CS)
- Humanities, Arts and Design (HU)
- Social-Behavioral Sciences (SB)
- Natural Science - Quantitative (SQ)
- Natural Science - General (SG)

General Studies Awareness Requirements:
- Cultural Diversity in the U.S. (C)
- Global Awareness (G)
- Historical Awareness (H)

First-Year Composition

General Studies designations listed on the major map are current for the 2015 - 2016 academic year.