



Liberal Studies - Political Science Focus
Associate of Arts
Four Semester Pathway Academic Year 2025-2026

Semester 1	Requirement	Recommended	Prerequisites	Corequisites	Credits	My Plan
FIGS 100	Student Success Elective - Education, Human Services, Social Science Pathway				1	
ENGL 100	English Composition		ENGL 080		3	
	Mathematics Elective (100 level or higher)	MATH 155 Statistics	MATH 040		3	
	History Elective	HIST 125 World History Since 1500	ENGL 080 or ENGL 101		3	
	Psychology or Sociology Elective	SOCI 100 Introduction to Sociology		ENGL 080 or ENGL 101	3	
	Liberal Studies Elective	POLS 100 Introduction to Political Science	ENGL 080 or ENGL 101		3	
Semester 2					16	
ENGL 115	Introduction to Literature		ENGL 100 or ENGL 101		3	
	Diversity Elective	POLS 110 Intro to International Relations	ENGL 080 or ENGL 101		3	
	Science Elective with Lab	Any ENVR Elective with Lab or BIOL 100 Biology with Lab for Non Majors	ENGL 080 or ENGL 101	MATH 040	3	
	Liberal Studies Elective	POLS 105 Intro to American Government	ENGL 080 or ENGL 101		3	
	Free Elective	POLS 212 Peace, War and Security or ECON 120 Microeconomics	POLS 100 or POLS 105 or POLS 110 MATH 040	ENGL 100 or ENGL 101	3	
Semester 3					15	
	Economics or Political Science Elective	POLS 205 Comparative Politics or ECON 120 Microeconomics or ECON 125 Macroeconomics	POLS 100 or POLS 105 or POLS 110 MATH 040 MATH 040	ENGL 100 or ENGL 101 ENGL 100 or ENGL 101	3	
	Art or Music Elective		See course prerequisites	See course corequisites	3	
	English Communications Elective	ENGL 110 Oral Communications or ENGL 200 Creative Writing or ENGL 220 Introduction to Theater	ENGL 080 or ENGL 101 ENGL 100 or ENGL 101 ENGL 100 or ENGL 101	ENGL 115 ENGL 115	3	
	Liberal Studies Elective	POLS 115 State & Local Government (offered Fall semester only)	ENGL 080 or ENGL 101		3	
	Free Elective	History Elective or Economics Elective	See course prerequisites	See course corequisites	3	
Semester 4					15	
	Humanities Elective	Foreign Language or Philosophy Elective	See course prerequisites	See course corequisites	3	
	Ethical Reasoning Elective	POLS 250 Introduction to Political Theory (offered Spring semester only)	ENGL 080 or ENGL 101	POLS 100 or POLS 105	3	
	Liberal Studies Elective	POLS 120 Public Policy (offered Spring semester only)	ENGL 080 or ENGL 101	POLS 100 or POLS 105	3	
	Fine Arts or Humanities Elective		See course prerequisites	See course corequisites	4	
	Free Elective	POLS 175 Political Science Internship	Departmental Approval	POLS 100 or POLS 105 or POLS 110	3	
				Total Credits	62	

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General Education Requirements						
COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	RECOMMENDED COURSE	PREREQUISITES	COREQUISITES	CREDITS	MET
FIGS 100	Student Success Elective - Education, Human Services, Social Science Pathway				1	
ENGL 100	English Composition		ENGL 080		3	
ENGL 115	Introduction to Literature		ENGL 100 or ENGL 101		3	
	Mathematics Elective	MATH 155 Statistics	MATH 040		3	
	Science Elective with Lab	Any ENVR Elective with Lab or BIOL 100 Biology with Lab for Non Majors	See course prerequisites ENGL 080 or ENGL 101	MATH 040	4	
	Art or Music Elective				3	
	Psychology or Sociology Elective	SOCI 100 Introduction to Sociology		ENGL 080 or ENGL 101	3	
	Economics or Political Science Elective	POLS 205 Comparative Politics or ECON 120 Microeconomics or ECON 125 Macroeconomics	ENGL 080 or ENGL 101 MATH 040 MATH 040	ENGL 100 or ENGL 101 ENGL 100 or ENGL 101	3	
	Humanities Elective	Foreign Language or Philosophy Elective			3	
	English Communications Elective	ENGL 110 Oral Communications or ENGL 200 Creative Writing or ENGL 220 Introduction to Theater	ENGL 080 or ENGL 101 ENGL 100 or ENGL 101 ENGL 100 or ENGL 101	ENGL 115 ENGL 115	3	
	Diversity Elective	POLS 110 Intro to International Relations		ENGL 080 or ENGL 101	3	
	Ethical Reasoning Elective	POLS 250 Introduction to Political Theory	ENGL 080 or ENGL 101	POLS 100 or POLS 105	3	
Major Required Courses						
	Fine Arts or Humanities Elective				3	
	History Elective	HIST 125 World History Since 1500	ENGL 080 or ENGL 101		3	
	Liberal Studies Elective	POLS 100 Introduction to Political Science	ENGL 080 or ENGL 101		3	
	Liberal Studies Elective	POLS 105 Introduction to American Government	ENGL 080 or ENGL 101		3	
	Liberal Studies Elective	POLS 115 State and Local Government	ENGL 080 or ENGL 101		3	
	Liberal Studies Elective	POLS 120 Introduction to Public Policy	ENGL 080 or ENGL 101	POLS 100 or POLS 105	3	
	Free Elective	POLS 175 Political Science Internship	Departmental Approval	POLS 100 or POLS 105 or POLS 110	3	
	Free Elective	POLS 212 Peace, War & Security or ECON 120 Microeconomics	POLS 100 or POLS 105 or POLS 110		3	
	Free Elective	History or Economics Elective			3	

Please Note: It is critical that you speak with a representative of the college/university to which you intend to transfer to be certain all courses will transfer