

POLITICAL SCIENCE

Semester Plan of Study

This plan shows one possible grouping of courses in Fall and Spring semesters that would allow students to graduate in 2 years with an Associate of Arts in Social Science. Students are strongly encouraged to declare their degree plan before the end of their first year. Please refer to a degree plan in the course catalog for official requirements. Students must consult with Connors State College Student Success Coaches to verify that courses selected each semester fulfill the recommended plan and satisfy Connors State College and degree plan requirements.

First Semester				Hours	Second Semester				Hours
MATH	1473	Applied Mathematics, OR <i>any course designated (A)</i>		3	ENGL	1213	English Composition II		3
ENGL	1113	English Composition I		3	GPS	1103	General Physical Science, OR <i>any course designated (N)</i>		3-4
EDUC	1113	Strategies for Success, OR		1-3	PSYC	1113	Intro to Psychology, OR <i>General Education Elective</i>		3
EDUC	1111	College Orientation			POLS	2113	State and Local Government		3
POLS	1113	American Federal Government		3	POLS	2003	Mass Media & Politics, OR <i>Guided Elective</i>		3
HIST	1223	Early Civilization, OR <i>any course designated (H)</i>		3	Credit Hours: 15-16				
				Credit Hours: 13-15					Credit Hours: 15-16
Third Semester				Hours	Fourth Semester				Hours
BIOL	1114	General Biology, OR <i>any course designated (N, L)</i>		4-5	COMS	1133	Fund of Comp Usage, OR <i>General Education Elective</i>		3
SPCH	1113	Intro to Oral Comm, OR <i>General Education Elective</i>		3	PSYC	2313	Developmental Psychology, OR <i>Guided Elective</i>		3
HIST	1483	Amer. Hist. Survey to 1877, OR		3	HUMN	1113	Art Appreciation, OR <i>any course designated (H)</i>		3
HIST	1493	Amer. Hist. Survey since 1877			POLS	2603	Comparative Politics, OR <i>Guided Elective</i>		3
POLS	2213	Contemp Issues in Amer Poli, OR <i>Guided Elective</i>		3	Electives				3-6
POLS	2103	Intro to Public Admin, OR <i>Guided Elective</i>		3	<i>(consult with your Success Coach for best options)</i>				
				Credit Hours: 16-17					15-18
				Credit Hours: 16-17	MINIMUM CREDIT HOURS: 60				

Graduation Requirements: Students are responsible for adhering to all policies, procedures, and regulations of Connors State College, including the responsibility for meeting all graduation requirements and for checking their degree check for accuracy. Student Success Coaches and faculty members may not substitute, waive or exempt students from any established requirement or academic standard. While these advisors make every effort to provide accurate and current information, all advising information regarding coursework, academic progress, and graduation is considered unofficial. The Connors State Registrar's office is the official and final authority for all program, degree, and graduation requirements. ***It is strongly recommended for students to enroll in a minimum of 15 hours each semester, and students should obtain a graduation check upon the completion of 30 credit hours.***

Minimum Hours for Graduation: Each degree program requires a specific minimum number of semester credit hours for graduation, as indicated in the college catalog. No student shall be permitted to graduate having completed fewer total hours than the requirement specified for that degree.

Grade-Point Average for Graduation: A retention/graduation grade point average of 2.00 or higher is required for all courses in which a student has a recorded grade, excluding any courses repeated or reprimed and excluding remedial courses and physical education activity courses.