### POLITICAL SCIENCE

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| **POL SCI001 - THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES** | • Use objective and subjective analysis to evaluate the significance of a political issue, event, trend, or development.  
• Assess their participation in civic engagement (service learning, collective action, or individual action), sharing their experience with classmates. |
| **POL SCI002 - MODERN WORLD GOVERNMENTS** | • Evaluate and analyze the institutions, processes and values that shape politics within and among nations and states and be able to apply that knowledge to the world.  
• Analyze the major theories, concepts, foundations, and methodologies used in the study of comparative politics. Students explore the complex interrelationships between political, economic, social, cultural, and historical forces. |
| **POL SCI005 - THE HISTORY OF WESTERN POLITICAL THOUGHT** | • Analyze and evaluate major traditions of western political theory and their critics from Greece through the modern era.  
• Assess and analyze the theoretical foundations of enduring political questions including the role of the state, the obligation of citizens/subjects to the state and vice versa, basic values that should be pursued, and to what end, and by what means those values should be pursued. |
| **POL SCI007 - CONTEMPORARY WORLD AFFAIRS** | • Analyze and apply International Relations concepts and theories to specific case examples.  
• Evaluate the actors (states, international organizations, non-governmental organizations, and other global actors) participating in world affairs and assess their overall effect on global politics. |
| **POL SCI019 - WOMEN IN POLITICS** | • Evaluate women’s representation and participation in American politics and the electoral process.  
• Analyze the evolution over time of women’s roles and gender dynamics in the political sphere. |
| **POL SCI050 - INTRODUCTION TO RESEARCH IN POLITICAL SCIENCE** | • Create an empirically grounded and theoretically based research project based on credible information, primary and secondary sources, and clear logical prose  
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• Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of major methods of political inquiry including research design, data collection, empiricism, statistical analysis, qualitative analysis, computer applications, hypothesis testing, structured observation, and textual analysis. |
| **POL SCI185 - DIRECTED STUDY - POLITICAL SCIENCE** | • Demonstrate defined mastery of course content through homework, projects, quizzes, and/or exams. |
| **POL SCI285 - DIRECTED STUDY - POLITICAL SCIENCE** | • Demonstrate defined mastery of course content through homework, projects, quizzes, and/or exams. |
| **POL SCI385 - DIRECTED STUDY - POLITICAL SCIENCE** | • Demonstrate defined mastery of course content through homework, projects, quizzes, and/or exams. |