

Note Advising worksheets are supplemental planning aids. Every effort is made to ensure accuracy; however, it is the student's responsibility to understand and meet degree requirements as stated in the applicable Undergraduate Announcements.

Political Science BA Advising Worksheet (2014-15)

Freshman Year

First Semester

- 1 POSC 1990 Introduction to POSC
 - 3 POSC 1010 American National Government
 - 3 MATH Req.¹ _____
 - 3 Foreign Language Req.^{2,11} _____
 - 3 HIST Req.^{4,11} _____
 - 1 Elective³ _____
- 14 Hours

Second Semester

- 3 ENGL 1030/1031 Accelerated Composition
 - 3 POSC 1020 Intro. to International Relations *or*
3 POSC 1040 Intro. to Comparative Politics
 - 3 POSC 1030 Intro. to Political Theory
 - 3 Foreign Language Req.^{2,11} _____
 - 4 Natural Science w/ lab Req.⁵ _____
- 16 Hours

Sophomore Year

First Semester

- 3 Literature Req.^{5,11} _____
 - 3 COMM 1500/1501 Intro. to Human Comm. *or*
3 COMM 2500/2501 Public Speaking *or*
approved cluster
 - 3 Major Req.⁹ _____
 - 3 Math/Natural Science Req.⁵ _____
 - 3 Elective³ _____
- 15 Hours

Second Semester

- 3 Literature Req.^{5,11} _____
 - 3 Non-Literature Req.⁵ _____
 - 3 Major Req.⁹ _____
 - 3 Minor Req.⁶ _____
 - 3 HIST Req.^{4,11} _____
- 15 Hours

Junior Year

First Semester

- 3 ECON 2110 Principles of Microeconomics
 - 3 Major Req.⁹ _____
 - 3 Minor Req.⁶ _____
 - 3 STS Req.¹⁰ _____
 - 3 Elective³ _____
- 15 Hours

Second Semester

- 3 ECON 2120 Principles of Macroeconomics
 - 3 Major Req.⁹ _____
 - 3 Minor Req.⁶ _____
 - 3 Elective³ _____
 - 3 Elective³ _____
- 15 Hours

Senior Year

First Semester

- 1 POSC 4990 Prof. Development in Pol. Sci.
 - 3 Fine Arts Req.⁸ _____
 - 3 Major Req.⁹ _____
 - 3 Major Req.⁹ _____
 - 3 Minor Req.⁶ _____
 - 2 Elective³ _____
- 15 Hours

Second Semester

- 3 Major Req.⁹ _____
 - 3 Major Req.⁹ _____
 - 3 Minor Req.⁶ _____
 - 3 Elective³ _____
 - 3 Elective³ _____
- 15 Hours

Total Hours 120

See back of worksheet for footnotes

¹ **All** students are *required* to take the Clemson Math Placement Test (CMPT) *prior* to registering for their first math course at Clemson. To take the test, go to <https://mthsc.clemson.edu/cmpt/> and follow the instructions. Approved courses include: MATH 1010, 1020, 1060, 1070, 1080, 2070, STAT 2220, 2300, 3090, or 3300. If a student elects to take MATH 1060 or 1080, one credit-hour will be applied toward the elective hour requirement. See advisor for course selection. Note: STAT 2220 also satisfies the STS requirement. Students and advisors must check the pre-requisites and conditions before signing up for a mathematics class.

² Six hours (through 2020-level) in the same modern foreign language are required. Language courses at the 1000- level are now considered "prep" courses and count as electives.

³ Elective hours may be used for courses not required by General Education or your major curriculum and may be taken in any combination or at any time during your college career.

⁴ Select from HIST 1010, 1020, 1720, 1730, or 1930. (Note: HIST 1720, 1730, or 1930 also satisfies CCA requirement)

⁵ See General Education Requirements (p.37 Undergraduate Announcements). Students must complete the General Education Cross-Cultural Awareness (CCA) requirement. This requirement may be fulfilled by "double-dipping" with the Non-Literature requirement.

⁶ See list of approved minors (p. 92 Undergraduate Announcements).

⁷ Not used.

⁸ Any course in AAH, ART, MUSC, or THEA not already used to satisfy a General Education requirement.

⁹ The requirements for a BA degree in Political Science consist of POSC 1010, 1020 or 1040, 1030, 1990, 4990, and at least 24 additional credit hours in POSC at the 3000-4000 level, including at least one course from each of the following fields:

Area 1: American Government: POSC 4030, 4050, 4160, 4360, 4420

Area 2: Comparative Politics: POSC 3710, 3720, 4660, 4710, 4760, 4770, 4780

Area 3: International Relations: POSC 3610, 3620, 3630, 3750, 4290, 4480

Area 4: Political Theory: POSC 4490, 4500, 4530, 4550

Area 5: Public Policy and Public Administration: POSC 3020, 3210, 4210, 4230, 4240, 4270, 4300

NOTE: No more than 3 hours credit from POSC 3050, 3100, 3110, 3120, 3130, 4090, and 4100 may be applied toward a political science major.

¹⁰ See General Education Requirements, (p. 37 Undergraduate Announcements). This requirement may be satisfied by other courses in the curriculum. In this case, elective hours may be substituted.

¹¹ Reserving this course, electives, and coursework for some minors (when possible) for a study abroad semester increases study abroad opportunities. Contact the Office of Student Enrichment (374 Sistine) for further information and assistance with study abroad opportunities.