

## 2024 - 2025

# Political Science Associate in Arts Degree for Transfer

Complete the following program of study. (Major C.7450.AA-T) Major requirements (18 units minimum). The Political Science Associate in Arts Degree for Transfer allows students to begin their major in Political Science at Clovis Community College and transfer to a CSU campus for completion in pursuit of a Bachelor of Arts degree. The courses offered as part of the AA-T in Political Science degree give students a strong foundation in the study of American politics and government, nation-states, international actors, political theory, and political science methodology. In this way, students will be prepared for a broad spectrum of pursuits within the discipline, including, but not limited to, public administration, law, public relations, lobbying, political consulting, crisis management, journalism, public policy research, higher education, and K-12 education.

Name:	Student ID:	Date:

# Course Overview and Selection

#### **Core Courses:**

Course	Course Description	Units	C-ID	Completed	In Progress	Planned
POLSCI 2 or	American Government or	3	POLS 110			
POLSCI 2H	Honors American Government					

#### List A – Select three courses:

Course	Course Description	Units	C-ID	Completed	In Progress	Planned
POLSCI 3	Introduction to Political Theory and Thought	3	POLS 120			
POLSCI 5	Comparative Government	3	POLS 130			
POLSCI 24	International Relations	3	POLS 140			
MATH 11 or STAT 7	Elementary Statistics	4	MATH 110			

### List B - Select two courses or any course not used from List A:

Course	Course Description	Units	C-ID	Completed	In Progress	Planned
ECON 1A	Principles of Macroeconomics	3	ECON 202			
ECON 1B	Principles of Microeconomics	3	ECON 201			
GEOG 6	World Regional Geography	3	GEOG 125			
HIST 1	Western Civilization to 1648	3	GEOG 125			
HIST 2	Western Civilization from 1648	3	HIST 170			
HIST 11	History of the United States to 1877	3	HIST 130			
HIST 12 or HIST 12H	History of the U.S. from 1865 to Present or Honors of the U.S. from 1865 to present	3	HIST 140			
HIST 20	World History I, to 1600	3	HIST 150			
HIST 32	History of the Mexican American People	3	N/A			
SOC 1B	Critical Thinking about Social Programs	3	SOCI 115			
SOC 2	American Minority Groups	3	SOCI 150			

Total units for major does not include required general education or pre-requisite courses.



#### Notes:

- Students will be advised by counseling to take Elementary Statistics (MATH-11 or STAT-7) to satisfy the Mathematical Concepts and Quantitative Reasoning area requirement.
- Certification of either the California State University General Education Breadth (CSU GE-Breadth) or the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC-CSU version) is required. CSU GE- Breadth and IGETC advising sheets are available in Student Services, AC2-133 or online at CCC GE (CSU/UC) GE and Major Sheets.
- Courses may double count in the major and CSU GE-Breadth or IGETC.

To see what CSU campuses accept this degree go to www.icangotocollege.com.

#### **Program Learning Outcomes:**

- 1. Describe the historically significant theories employed within the discipline of political science
- 2. Interpret and evaluate political events through a critical comparison of local, state, national and international political frameworks and institutions
- 3. Explain the complex relationship between political culture, diverse political institutions, and patterns of global engagement.

# To obtain the Political Science Associate in Arts Degree for Transfer, students must complete the following requirements:

- 1. Completion of 60 semester units or 90 quarter units that are eligible for transfer to the California State University, including both of the following:
  - a. The Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) or the California State University
    General Education Breadth requirements.
  - b. A minimum of 18 semester units or 27 quarter units in a major or area of emphasis, as determined by the community college district.
- 2. Obtainment of a minimum grade point average of 2.0. Associate Degrees for Transfer (ADTs) also require that students must earn a "C" grade or better in

#### Comments: