University Core Requirements

Communication: 6 hrs
- ENGL 1310/1313, TECM 1700
- ENGL 1320/1323, TECM 2700

Math: 3 hours
- Course from approved list

Life and Physical Sciences: 6 hrs
- Course from approved list
- Course from approved list

Creative Arts: 3 hrs
- Course from approved list

Language, Philosophy, & Culture: 3 hrs
- Course from approved list

US History: 6 hrs
- HIST 2610
- HIST 2620

American Government: 6 hrs
- PSCI 2305
- PSCI 2306

Social and Behavior Sciences: 3 hrs
- Course from approved list

Component Area Option: 6 hrs
- List A
- List A or B

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*Some classes may double-dip with your major. See advisor for options.

CLASS Requirements (BA Only)

The following requirements are in addition to or a specification of the University Core Curriculum requirements for Bachelor of Arts degrees and some Bachelor of Science degrees:

Foreign Language: 6-12 hours
- Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Latin, Russian, Spanish, or American Sign Language
- Placement exam or prerequisites for the 2050 course must be completed prior to enrollment in this course.
- Beginning I
- Beginning I
- 2040 Intermediate I
- 2050 Intermediate II

CLASS Distribution Requirements: 6 hours
- Diversity & Global Issues Course
- Communication & Digital Skills Course

Overall Requirements

- 120 total semester hours
  - Minimum of 30 hours must be completed at UNT
- 42 advanced hours
  - 24 advanced hours must be completed at UNT, including 12 advanced hours in your major
- Overall GPA of 2.0

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### Political Science, BA

#### 2021 Catalog

#### BA in Political Science

**General Requirements:**
- 2.5 GPA Required in the Major

**Recommended Math for Core:** 3 hours
- Math 1680*: Elementary Statistics

**PSCI Part 1:** 9 hours
- PSCI 2305*: US Political Behavior & Policy
- PSCI 2306*: US/Texas Constitutions & Institutions
- PSCI 3300: Introduction to Political Research

**PSCI Field Courses:** 9 hours
3 courses from three different Fields-
- Field A: American
- Field B: Public Law
- Field C: Political Theory
- Field D: Public Policy
- Field E: Comparative
- Field F: International Relations

**PSCI Additional Electives:** 15 hours
- 3000-4000 level PSCI
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**PSCI Capstone:** 3 hours
- PSCI 4951, 4952, 4953, or 4954

### Field A: American Government***
- PSCI 3010: American State & Local
- PSCI 3101: Latino Politics
- PSCI 3103: Immigration Politics
- PSCI 3104: Race & Ethnic Politics
- PSCI 3105: Political Economy of Race, Gender & Immigration**
- PSCI 3106: African American Politics
- PSCI 3110: The Legislative Process
- PSCI 3120: Women & Politics
- PSCI 3140: LGBT Politics
- PSCI 3160: Mass Media in American Politics**
- PSCI 4120: Public Opinion & Participation
- PSCI 4450: Public Policy Analysis

### Field B: Public Law
- PSCI 3200: American Legal System
- PSCI 3210: US Supreme Court
- PSCI 4200: Constitutional Law: Powers of Government
- PSCI 4210: Constitutional Law: Rights & Liberties
- PSCI 4220: Jurisprudence
- PSCI 4230: Constitution & Rights of Criminal Defendants
- PSCI 4810: International Law

### Field C: Political Theory & Methodology
- PSCI 3310: Political Theory: Socrates - 18th Century**
- PSCI 3320: Political Theory: 18th Century - Present**
- PSCI 4300: Topics in Political Research Methodology
- PSCI 4320: American Political Theory
- PSCI 4330: Topics in Political Theory
- PSCI 4360: International Ethics

### Field D: Public Policy
- PSCI 3102 US Immigration Policy
- PSCI 3420: Bureaucracy & Public Policy
- PSCI 4450: Public Policy Analysis
- PSCI 4490: Topics in Public Policy

### Field E: Comparative Government & Politics***
- PSCI 3600: Governments & Politics around the World
- PSCI 3611: Politics of Central America & the Caribbean
- PSCI 3620: Politics of Western Europe
- PSCI 3631: Peace & Conflict in Africa
- PSCI 3641: Politics of Japan
- PSCI 3701: Politics of Mexico
- PSCI 3702: Latin American Politics**
- PSCI 3704: US-Latin American Relations**
- PSCI 4640: Revolution & Political Violence
- PSCI 4660: Democracy & Democratization
- PSCI 4710: Middle East Politics: Critical issues
- PSCI 4720: Ethnicity in World Politics

### Field F: International Relations***
- PSCI 3500: Introduction to Peace Studies
- PSCI 3810: International Relations
- PSCI 4520: International Human Rights
- PSCI 4821: International Conflict
- PSCI 4830: American Foreign Policy

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* Can double-dip in the University Core
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