

College of Arts and Sciences Advising Worksheet

POLITICAL SCIENCE BA

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENT – requires one course of 3 or more credits in each area for a total of at least 40 credits. See catalog for list of approved courses in each area.

Composition II (2.0 minimum grade required)	
Arts	
Literature	
Foreign Language and Culture	
Western Civilization	
Global Perspective	(PS 114 suggested)
Social Science	PS 100
Formal Reasoning	
Natural Science and Technology	
Knowledge Application (cannot be PS)	

General Education Credits Still Needed _____

GEN EDs THAT MAY BE DOUBLE-COUNTED (satisfied with courses that also satisfy other degree requirements)

U.S. Diversity	PS 100
Writing Intensive in Gen Ed	
Writing Intensive in Major	PS
Capstone	PS

COLLEGE DISTRIBUTION REQUIREMENT – requires at least one course in 4 areas for a total of 16 credits. Each area must have at least three credits in order to be considered satisfied.

Arts and Literature	
Foreign Language-2 nd semester level or higher (NOT sign language or linguistics: ALS/LIN)	
Civilization	
Social Science (cannot be PS course)	
Mathematics (NOT logic or computer science)	
Natural Sciences	
Interdisciplinary - either AMS 300 or WGS 200	

Distribution Credits Still Needed _____

MAJOR COURSES – A minimum of 40 credits in PS is required for the BA degree.

PS 100	4	
PS 114 or 131	4	
PS 303	4	
American Politics (see catalog for options)	4	
Comparative/International Politics (see catalog for options)	4	
Political Theory and Thought (see catalog for options)	4	
PS elective	4	
PS elective	4	
PS elective	4	
PS Capstone chosen from PS 470, 472, 476 or 459	4	

MINOR COURSES (optional):

CREDIT SUMMARY AFTER:

MINIMUM CREDITS REQUIRED:	124 cr.
OU credits (through current semester)	
Transfer credits (on current OU transcript)	
TOTAL CREDITS	
TOTAL DEGREE CREDITS	
CREDITS STILL NEEDED FOR DEGREE:	

Current Date:

General Education	
Diversity	
WIM/WIGE/Capstone	
Distribution	
Major	
Minor/Concentration	
Electives	
TOTAL NEEDED:	

MINIMUM 32 CREDITS AT 300-400 LEVEL TO GRADUATE (any courses, not just in major)

PS			
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300-400 LEVEL CREDITS COMPLETED: _____

TOTAL STILL NEEDED: _____

I understand that this worksheet is not meant to be comprehensive. It is a summary of my degree requirements only. I am responsible for reading my undergraduate catalog and understanding all requirements necessary to complete my degree at Oakland University.

Signature: _____ Date: _____