

POLITICAL SCIENCE
Associate in Arts (AA) Degree

Minimum Credits: 60.0
Contact Hours: 62.0

INTRODUCTION: This is a suggested program of study for specialized interest in the subject of political science that may be altered to meet individual goals and transfer plans. Students should refer to the Alpena Community College graduation requirements and degree distribution requirements and consult with an academic advisor concerning specific course selection. A minimum of 60 credit hours is required for an Associate in Arts degree.

GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES (MEETS GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS AND MTA)

COURSE	TITLE	CREDITS	CONTACT HOURS
ENG 111 or ENG 121	English Composition I or Advanced English Composition I	3.0	3.0
ENG 112 or ENG 122	English Composition II or Advanced English Composition II	3.0	3.0
PLS 221	American Government & Politics	3.0	3.0
PSY 101	General Psychology	3.0	3.0
HST 121	History of Western Civilization	3.0	3.0
GEO 127	Physical Geography	4.0	5.0
	Laboratory Science	<u>4.0</u>	<u>5.0</u>
GENERAL EDUCATION CREDITS/CONTACT HOURS:		23.0	25.0

CORE PROGRAM COURSES (MEET WITH ACADEMIC ADVISOR TO DETERMINE CORE PROGRAM COURSES FOR CONCENTRATION AND TRANSFER)

COURSE	TITLE	CREDITS	CONTACT HOURS
ECN 232 or ECN 231	Economics (Macro) or Economics (Micro)	3.0	3.0
HST 122	History of Western Civilization	3.0	3.0
MTH 113	Intermediate Algebra	4.0	4.0
	Language/Fine Arts/Humanities Elective	3.0	3.0
SOC 123	Introduction to Sociology	<u>3.0</u>	<u>3.0</u>
CORE PROGRAM CREDITS/CONTACT HOURS:		16.0	16.0

SUGGESTED ELECTIVES (MEET WITH ACADEMIC ADVISOR TO DETERMINE ELECTIVES FOR CONCENTRATION AND TRANSFER)

Electives will change depending on area of concentration and the specific 4-year transfer institution's requirements. Consult your ACC academic advisor.

ELECTIVE CREDITS/CONTACT HOURS:	<u>21.0</u>	<u>21.0</u>
TOTAL MINIMUM PROGRAM CREDITS/CONTACT HOURS:	60.0	62.0

SUGGESTED SEQUENCING OF COURSES					
YEAR 1 (FALL SEMESTER) <u>16.0</u> CREDITS			YEAR 1 (SPRING SEMESTER) <u>16.0</u> CREDITS		
	CREDITS	CONTACT HRS		CREDITS	CONTACT HRS
ENG 111 or ENG 121 English Comp	3.0	3.0	ENG 112 or ENG 122 English Comp	3.0	3.0
HST 121 History of Western Civilization	3.0	3.0	HST 122 History of Western Civilization	3.0	3.0
MTH 113 Intermediate Algebra	4.0	4.0	Laboratory Science	4.0	5.0
PLS 221 American Government & Politics	3.0	3.0	ECN 232 or ECN 231 Economics (Macro)	3.0	3.0
PSY 101 General Psychology	<u>3.0</u>	<u>3.0</u>	or Economics (Micro)		
TOTAL	16.0	16.0	Recommended Elective	3.0	<u>3.0</u>
			TOTAL	16.0	17.0
YEAR 2 (FALL SEMESTER) <u>13.0</u> CREDITS			YEAR 2 (SPRING SEMESTER) <u>15.0</u> CREDITS		
	CREDITS	CONTACT HRS		CREDITS	CONTACT HRS
GEO 127 Physical Geography	4.0	5.0	Recommended Electives	15.0	15.0
Language/Fine Arts/Humanities Elective	3.0	3.0			
SOC 123 Introduction to Sociology	3.0	3.0			
Recommended Elective	<u>3.0</u>	<u>3.0</u>			
TOTAL	13.0	14.0			

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