

**BACHELOR OF ARTS
MAJORS IN HISTORY AND POLITICAL SCIENCE**

Following is one suggested four-year degree plan. Students are encouraged to see their advisor each semester for help with program decisions and enrollment; responsible for reviewing the **Program of Study Requirements**; and must meet **foreign language** and **writing intensive course** requirements for graduation. See Academic Regulations-Undergraduate online.

*See *Appendix A Core Curriculum and Optional Course Information*.

FALL	HOURS	SPRING	HOURS
FRESHMAN YEAR		FRESHMAN YEAR	
ENGL 1301 English Composition I	3	ENGL 1302 English Composition II	3
MATH 1314 College Algebra	3	HIST 1302 The U.S. Since 1877	3
HIST 1301 The U.S. to 1877	3	MATH Math Elective ¹	3
PSCI 2305 American National Govt	3	PSCI 2306 American State Govt	3
UNIV 1101 Learning in a Global Context I	1	UNIV 1402 Signature Course	<u>4</u>
Creative Arts*	<u>3</u>		
Total	16		16
SOPHOMORE YEAR		SOPHOMORE YEAR	
HIST 2321 Eastern Civilization	3	HIST 2322 Western Civilization	3
PSCI 3301 Research Methods in Soc Science	3	HIST Non-U.S. Hist Elective ³	3
GEOG 1303 Gen World Geography	3	Life & Physical Science*	3
Life & Physical Science*	3	Life & Physical Science Lab	1
Life & Physical Science Lab*	1	For Lang/Study Abroad ²	<u>3</u>
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Total	16		13
JUNIOR YEAR		JUNIOR YEAR	
HIST 3302 History of Texas	3	HIST U.S. History ⁶	3
HIST 3303 Historical Methods	3	HIST Non-U.S. Hist Elective ³	3
PSCI 3313 Classical Pol Philosophy	3	PSCI 3314 Modern Political Philosophy	3
PSCI American Politics ⁴	3	PSCI International Relations ⁷	3
PSCI Adv PSCI Elective ⁵	3	PSCI Adv PSCI Elective ⁵	<u>3</u>
Language, Philosophy, & Culture*	<u>3</u>		
Total	18		15
SENIOR YEAR		SENIOR YEAR	
PSCI 4311 Constitutional Law	3	PSCI 4351 Senior Seminar in PSCI	3
PSCI Comparative Politics ⁸	3	General Elective	2
PSCI Comp/Intl PSCI Elective ⁹	3	HIST 4310 Historical Perspectives	3
HIST Non-U.S. History ³	3	HIST U.S. History ⁶	<u>3</u>
HIST U.S. History ⁶	<u>3</u>		
Total	15		11

TOTAL SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS: 120

¹Math elective, select 3 SCH from any math course above the level of College Algebra. MATH [1342](#), Introductory Statistics, strongly recommended.

²Foreign Language/Study Abroad, select 6 SCH in course work (not credit by exam) above the university's foreign language admission requirement. Thus students who meet the university's foreign language graduation requirement by earning 6 hours of credit by exam, may take 6 SCH in the same language but at the intermediate level or above, or they may take 6 SCH of another foreign language at the introductory level. This requirement may also be met by earning 6 SCH in any subject while participating in a TAMU-approved Study Abroad program while living for at least 4 weeks in another country.

³Non-U.S. History, select 9 SCH from HIST [3330](#), [3331](#), [3332](#), [3333](#), [3340](#), [3386](#), [3391](#), [3392](#), [3393](#), [3394](#), [3395](#), [3396](#), [4438](#), [4339](#), [4340](#), [4341](#), [4342](#), [4380](#) or [4391](#).

⁴American Politics, select 3 SCH from PSCI [3320](#), PSCI [4312](#) or [4320](#).

⁵Advanced PSCI, select 6 SCH at the 3000 level or above not used for any other requirement.

⁶U.S. History, select 9 SCH from HIST 2150-2350, 2151-2351, [3370](#), [3371](#), [3375](#), [3380](#), [3381](#), [3385](#), [4316](#), [4317](#), [4318](#), [4350](#), [4366](#), [4367](#), [4368](#) [4390](#).

⁷International Relations, select 3 SCH from PSCI [4335](#) or [4340](#).

⁸Comparative Politics, select 3 SCH from PSCI [3305](#) or [3310](#).

⁹Comparative/International Politics, select 3 SCH from PSCI [3308](#), [3340](#), [4309](#), or [4321](#) (when the topic is Comparative or International); this requirement may also be met by the "second" or unused course in the Comparative Politics or International Relations required course sequence; and 6 SCH at the 3000-4000 level (or higher for BA/MA students) not used for any other requirement.

Note: See information on the [combined BA/MA degree in History](#).

*Actual degree plans may vary depending on availability of courses in a given semester.
Some courses may require prerequisites not listed.*