

Area of Interest: Social/Behavioral Sciences & Public Service

Degree: Associate of Arts (AA)

Pathway: Political Science

Certificate: AGEC-A

College Catalog: 2024-2025



Program Location: All Campuses

Program Description: The Political Science Pathway allows students to specialize in the study of the organization and behavior of people, groups, and institutions which make up our governments and larger political system. This pathway is designed to assist students who wish to transfer to the university as a Political Science major and prepares them for a variety of careers.

Contact Information: sbsps.advisor@centralaz.edu

Area of Interest Website: centralaz.edu/academics/areas-of-interest/

Legend

Bold Course=Required Course

Recommended Course (**R**)

AGEC Course list (Arizona General Education Curriculum).

Written Communication (**WC**) Oral Communication (**OC**) Arts/Humanities (**AH**) Social/Behavioral Science (**SB**)

Lab Science (**LS**) Mathematics (**M**) Core Course (**CC**) Transfer Elective (**TE**)

Special Awareness Requirements for transfer degrees met through courses on the AGEC Course list.

Cultural Awareness (**CU**)

Global/Historical Awareness (**GI/HI**)

Intensive Writing (**IW**)

Semester 1: New Students-Find your suggested starting point for [English/Reading & Math courses](#).

		COURSE	CREDITS	SEMESTER/GRADE	NOTES
	WC	ENG101 College Composition I	3		
	SB	POS101 American Politics	3		
	M	MAT141 College Mathematics, Standard or higher	4		
R	TE	SPA101 Elementary Spanish I or SLG101 American Sign Language I	4		
		Semester Credits:	14	Meet with your CAC advisor and plan your path!	

Semester 2

		COURSE	CREDITS	SEMESTER/GRADE	NOTES
	WC	ENG102 College Composition II	3		
	OC	AGEC Oral Communication course	3		
	SB	POS104 Contemporary Issues in World Politics	3		
	LS	AGEC Biological & Physical Science course	4		
R	TE	SPA102 Elementary Spanish II or SLG102 American Sign Language II	4		
		Semester Credits:	17	Research Career and Transfer Opportunities!	

Semester 3

		COURSE	CREDITS	SEMESTER/GRADE	NOTES
	AH	AGEC Arts & Humanities course	3		
	SB	POS220 U.S. & Arizona Constitutions	3		
R	TE	WGS100 Intro. to Gender & Women's Studies	3		
R	TE	SPA201 Intermediate Spanish I or SLG201 American Sign Language III	4		
		Semester Credits:	13	Apply for graduation and attend transfer events!	

Semester 4

		COURSE	CREDITS	SEMESTER/GRADE	NOTES
R	AH	PHI105 Introduction to Ethics	3		
	LS	AGEC Biological & Physical Science course	4		
R	TE	CIS120 Survey of Computer Information Systems	3		
	TE	Transfer Elective	3		
R	TE	SPA202 Intermediate Spanish II or SLG202 American Sign Language IV	4		
		Semester Credits:	17	Finish strong-don't get distracted before finals!	
		Total Degree Credits:	61		

Arizona Resident Tuition for 2024-2025 is \$75 per credit hour, see [Paying for College](#). Financial aid may be available.

Transfer Information

AZTransfer [Political Science Major Guide](#): list of transfer programs at ASU, NAU, or UA.

Note: Some program requires a foreign language requirement (CAC offers Spanish or Sign Language)

CAC University Transfer Center: centralaz.edu/transfer FREE CAC transfer resources and assistance.

Career Information

CAC Career Center: centralaz.edu/career FREE CAC career resources and assistance.

O*NET OnLine: Visit onetonline.org and search for:

Occupations in Political Science, including:

- Education needed for specific occupations
- Occupation tasks, knowledge, skills and abilities
- Salary/wages for specific occupations (\$)

Student Name:

Advisor Name:

Student ID Number: 880

Date: