

Political Science

AWARD

A.A. WITH EMPHASIS, POLITICAL SCIENCE 60 cr

A.A. WITH EMPHASIS, POLITICAL SCIENCE (60 CREDITS)

Minnesota Transfer Curriculum (MnTC) 40 cr
Electives 18 cr
Health and Physical Education 2 cr

PURPOSE

To prepare students interested in continuing political science-related studies at subsequent colleges and universities and, ultimately, for a wide range of careers in federal, state and local governments; law; business; international organizations; nonprofit organizations; political campaign operation and polling; journalism; K-12 education; and university and college teaching and research.

Note: To earn the A.A. with Emphasis, students need to complete all requirements for a general A.A. degree incorporating the specific requirements of their chosen emphasis. Careful planning with an academic counselor is strongly suggested to tailor the emphasis to meet the requirements of the student's chosen four-year institution.

POLITICAL SCIENCE CURRICULUM

Incorporate the following political science coursework into the requirements of an A.A. degree as part of the MnTC or within the elective category.

Required:

- POLS 1111 American Politics & Government OR
- POLS 1101 Intro to Political Science 3

Choose three additional courses from:

- POLS 1111 American Politics and Government (MnTC Goals 5, 9)
- POLS 1101 Intro to Political Science (MnTC Goals 5, 9)
- POLS 1121 State and Local Government (MnTC Goals 5, 9)
- POLS 1131 Intro to World Politics (MnTC Goals 5, 8)
- POLS 1141 Intro to Environmental Politics (MnTC Goals 5, 10)
- POLS 1161 Constitutional Law (MnTC Goals 5, 9)
- POLS 1190 Political Science Field Experience

MINNESOTA TRANSFER CURRICULUM

40 CREDITS

Courses from the Political Science curriculum may be applied to the MnTC requirements. The specific requirements for the MnTC are outlined as part of the Associate of Arts degree. See A.A. degree requirements section of the catalog.

ELECTIVES

18 CREDITS

Courses from any department numbered 1000 or higher. Courses from the Political Science emphasis not applied to the MnTC should be incorporated into the elective category.

HEALTH/PHYSICAL EDUCATION

2 CREDITS

The specific requirements for Health/Physical Education are outlined as part of the Associate of Arts degree. See A.A. degree requirements section of the catalog.

Inver Hills
Community College
INVERHILLS.EDU
2018-2019 CATALOG