

Pathway to Political Science										What is a Pathway?
AGS - POL			Freshman Fall	Freshman Spring	Sophomore Fall	Sophomore Spring	Recommended Course			A pathway is a guide showing an ideal sequence of courses for students pursuing an Associate's degree or other college-ready students seeking to transition into upper division coursework in a specific major. Pathways will vary depending upon a student's academic record but are designed to minimize delays in completing a 2-year or 4-year program on time.
General Education			Hours							
Element 1 - Communications			9							
A: Written Communication (3 hrs) ^a			3							Political science majors examine world events from a variety of perspectives. Students learn to research the context in which governments thrive or fail in their missions to advance particular social agendas. Students concentrate on a specific area of politics, like international relations or local government. Specialization helps students build a track record of research and understanding in their field.
B: Written Communication (3 hrs)				3						
C: Oral Communication (3 hrs)				3			CMS 210 - Public Speaking			
Element 2 - Mathematics			3							Who would be interested?
Element 3: Arts and Humanities			6							
A: Arts (3 hrs)					3					People who are interested in: - politics - how society governs itself - advocating for a cause - law - social justice
B: Humanities (3 hrs)			3							
Element 4: Natural Science*			6							
<i>*Must select from two different prefixes)</i>					3	3				
Element 5: Social Behavioral Sciences			6							Where would you work?
A: Historical Science (3 hrs)			3				POL 100 - Principles of Politics & Gov't			
B: Social & Behavioral Science (3 hrs)						3				
Element 6: Diversity of Perspectives & Experiences			6							How do I find more information?
			3			3				
Total			36							government.eku.edu 859-622-5931 100 Beckham
			F1	F2	S1	S2				
Student Success Seminar			3							
GSD 101 - Foundations of Learning ^{a b}			3							
			F1	F2	S1	S2				
Concentration Coursework			12							
POL 100 ^c - or Wellness Requirement					3					
POL 101 -Introduction to American Government				3						
POL 212 - Introduction to Comparative Politics				3						
POL 220 - Introduction to World Politics					3					
			F1	F2	S1	S2				
Recommended Free Electives or Supporting Courses			9							
POL 250 - Intro to Political Philosophy					3					
POL 280 - Research and Writing in Political Science						3				
POL 370 - Intro to Public Admin or 374 - Intro to Public Pol						3				
			F1	F2	S1	S2				
Total Hours			60	15	15	15	15			

^a Must be taken in term indicated ^b Waived for students who have earned more than 24 credit hours (excluding dual credit and AP) ^c May be used as Gen Ed - Element 5A