

Fort Scott Community College

Program of Study

Political Science

The focus of a political science emphasis is to understand our system of government and others in light of their historical organization and the political experience of citizens. An informed citizenry makes better citizens who are in position to make informed choices. Topics include the function and types of government, the Constitution and the intent of the framers, federalism, state and local government, civil rights and liberties, the three branches of government, political parties, voting and elections, interest groups, social policy and foreign policy.

Suggested Courses:

POL 1013	American Government	3
POL 1023	State and Local Government.....	3
POL 1213	World Affairs	3
PSY 1013	General Psychology	3
PSY 1023	Developmental Psychology	3
SOC 1013	Sociology	3
SOC 1113	Cultural Anthropology	3

Suggested Curriculum:

FIRST SEMESTER		
ENG 1013	English 101	3
MAT 1083	College Algebra.....	3
BIO 1215	General Biology.....	5
POL 1013	American Government	3
PSY 1013	General Psychology	3
EDU 1211	College Orientation	1
Total Hours		18
SECOND SEMESTER		
ENG 1023	English 102	3
POL 1023	State and Local Government	3
COM 1053	Intro to Computer Science	3
PSY 1023	Developmental Psychology.....	3
	Humanities Elective.....	3
Total Hours		15

THIRD SEMESTER		
	Physical Science	5
PHE 2671	Lifetime Fitness Concepts	1
SPE 1093	Public Speaking.....	3
SOC 1013	Sociology	3
	Humanities Elective	3
Total Hours		15
FOURTH SEMESTER		
ECO 2013	Microeconomics	3
SOC 1113	Cultural Anthropology	3
MAT 2253	Elementary Statistics	3
POL 1213	Current World Affairs.....	3
	Art or Music Appreciation	3
EDU 2511	Capstone	1
Total Hours		16