College of Arts and Sciences Advising Worksheet

POLITICAL SCIENCE BA

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENT – requires one course of 3 or more credits in each area and a minimum total of 40 credits. See catalog for list of approved courses.

	Transfer	OU	Status	Credits
Arts				
Foreign Language and Culture				
Global Perspective		PS 114/131		
Literature				
Natural Science and Technology				
Formal Reasoning				
Social Science		PS 100		
Western Civilization				
Writing Foundations- Composition II (2.0 GPA)				
Knowledge Application (outside of major)				

General Education Total Credits:	Required	Completed	REMAINING
	40	0	**40**

IMPORTANT NOTES:

A cumulative GPA of 2.0 and a minimum grade of 2.0 in all major courses is required for degree.

At least 16 credits in PS courses must be completed at Oakland University.

Only 4 credits of PS 362 will be accepted in the major.

Only 12 credits from PS 390, 459, and 490 will be accepted in the major.

PS 250 should be taken in the sophomore year and no later than Junior year.

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GENERAL EDUCATION THAT MAY BE DOUBLE-COUNTED

(may be satisfied with courses that also satisfy other degree requirements)		Course	Status
U.S. Diversity		PS 100	DC
Writing Intensive in Gen Ed	Possible major options: PS 131, 312, 354, 377		
Writing Intensive in Major	Possible PS Major options (see ADVISER NOTES)		
Capstone	PS 470, 472, 476 (since F'07)		DC

Student Type:	Catalog:
	TEW:

COLLEGE EXPLORATORY REQUIREMENT – Additional liberal arts beyond Gen Ed Explore in a single rubric (subject) outside of your major, for a minimum 12 credits. May be met with the completion of a double major, CAS minor, or approved thematic set

		Course	Status	Credits
Student will complete exploratory with:	Single Rubric			
Exploratory Notes:				

College Exploratory Total Credits:	Required	Completed	REMAINING
	12	0	**12**

MINOR COURSES (optional)

		Course	Status	Credits

Minor Total Credits:	Required	Completed	REMAINING
	0	0	**0**

MAJOR COURSES – A minimum of 44 credits in PS is required for the BA degree.

NOTE: Minimum 2.0 grade required in each course in the major.

		Course	Status	Credits
PS 100	4			
PS 114 or 131	4			
PS 250	4			
PS 255	4			
American Politics (see catalog for options)	4			
Comparative/International Politics (see catalog for options)	4			
Political Theory and Thought (see catalog for options)	4			
PS elective	4			
PS elective	4			
PS elective	4			
PS Capstone chosen from PS 470, 472, or 476	4			

Major Total Credits:	Required	Completed	REMAINING
	44	0	**44**

ADVISER NOTES:

PS options for Writing Intensive in the Major:

PS 312, 314, 337, 350, 354, 371, 372, 373, 374, 377

* ***PS 320*** *may satisfy the American politics field requirement or the Comparative and International politics field requirement, but not both.* ***PS 314*** *may satisfy the Comparative and International politics field requirement or the Political Theory field requirement, but not both.*

CREDIT SUMMARY AFTER:

MINIMUM CREDITS REQUIRED:	**124**
OU credits completed	
Transfer credits (on OU transcript)	
TOTAL CREDITS	**0**
Pending OU and/or transfer	
TOTAL DEGREE CREDITS	**0**
MINIMUM CREDITS NEEDED:	**124**

Date: Adviser:

General Education	
Diversity	
WIM/WIGE/Capstone	
Exploratory or Distribution	
Major	
Minor	
Electives	
TOTAL CREDITS REMAINING:	

32 CREDITS AT 300-400 LEVEL

PS			
PS			
PS			
PS			

300-400 Completed **0**

REMAINING: 32

With no substitutions or exceptions 16 credits of 300-400 level classes will be met by major

This worksheet is for advising purposes and is a summary of degree requirements based on available information at the time of completion. Students are responsible for verifying major requirements with the department faculty adviser and for reading the undergraduate catalog for all requirements necessary to complete their degree at Oakland University.