**General Studies**

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This sheet applies to the 2011-2012 catalog only. It does not replace the full catalog or departmental advising sheets as official statements of requirements. Students with declared majors must work with a faculty advisor on course selection and sequencing to ensure a timely graduation.

**GENERAL STUDIES LEVEL I** Complete during your first 30 credit hours at Metro

- ENG1010-3 Freshman Comp: the Essay
- ENG1020-3 Freshman Comp: Anal., Rsrch & Docum.
- Communications
  - 3

**GENERAL STUDIES LEVEL II**

- Historical
  - 3
- Arts & Letters
  - 3
- Social Sciences may not be PSC course
  - 3
- Natural Sciences
  - 3
- Multicultural Requirement
  - 3

**MAJOR COURSES** - Consult a Political Science faculty advisor

- PSC 1010-3 American National Government
- PSC 1020-3 Political Systems & Ideas
- PSC 2020-3 Conducting Political Analysis
- or
- PSY 2310-3 Intro. to Statistics for Social & Behavioral Sciences
- PSC 3050-3 Political Theory
- PSC 4020-3 Special Studies (Senior Experience)

**PSC Electives**

A minimum of 21 additional semester hours* of political science must be completed. At least 18 of these 21 hours must be upper-division courses (3000 and 4000 level) and must be approved by the department. Generally, students may apply only 12 hours of credit in non-classroom courses toward the major as approved electives.

**Course Distribution and Area Concentration**

Of the 21 elective hours in political science, 12 must be in the student’s primary area of study: American politics or international/comparative politics. A minimum of 3 hours must be drawn from the remaining area of concentration and 6 hours can be selected at the student’s discretion.

**MINOR (Required)**

**ELECTIVES**

Students who have reached junior standing (60 hrs) should request a CAPP (graduation compliance report) and review it with a faculty advisor.