B.A. in Political Science 2020-2021: Option 1 - CWILT

| FIRST YEAR |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Fall | Credits | Interim | Credits | Spring | Credits |
| GES 130 Christianity Western Culture | 4 | GES 160 Inquiry Seminar |  | BIB 101 Introduction to the Bible | 3 |
| GES 140 Introduction to Wellbeing | 3 |  |  | GES 125 Introduction to the Creative Arts | 4 |
| POS 100 (or Elective) American Politics and Government | 3 |  |  | Leisure and Lifetime Sports (Q) course | 1 |
| Mathematics ( M ) course | 3 |  |  | Second Language (S) course *1 | 4 |
|  |  |  |  | Elective | 3 |
|  | 13 |  | 3 |  | 15 |
| SECOND YEAR |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fall | Credits | Interim | Credits | Spring | Credits |
| American Politics and Government Course | 3 | Elective | 3 | POS 211 The Political Quest | 3 |
| Political Science elective | 3 |  |  | International Relations course | 3 |
| Laboratory Science (D) course | 4 |  |  | THE 201 Christian Theology | 3 |
| Contemporary Western Life and Thought (L) course | 3 |  |  | Artistic Experience (A) course | 0-3 |
|  |  |  |  | Electives | 6 |
|  | 13 |  | 3 |  | 15 |
| THIRD YEAR |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fall | Credits | Interim | Credits | Spring | Credits |
| Political Philosophy course | 3-4 | Science, Technology, and Society (K) course | 3 | Comparative Politics course | 3 |
| Political Science elective | 3 |  |  | Comparative Systems (G) course | 3 |
| World Cultures (U) course | 3 |  |  | Interpreting Biblical Themes ( J ) course | 3 |
| Cross-Cultural Experience (Z) course | 0-3 |  |  | Electives | 6 |
| Elective | 4 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 13-17 |  | 3 |  | 15 |
| FOURTH YEAR |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fall | Credits | Interim | Credits | Spring | Credits |
| POS 499 Senior Seminar | 4 | Interim Off |  | Political Science electives | 6 |
| Political Science elective | 3 |  |  | Electives | 9 |
| Contemporary Christian Issues (P) course | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| Electives | 6 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 16 |  | 0 |  | 15 |
| Total Credits 124-128 |  |  |  |  |  |

*1. Students must complete through the second semester of a first year language course or equivalent (Check the catalog for details of this option.)
If a student chooses to use major requirements to count as General Education requirements as well, the number of elective hours will be increased accordingly.
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## B.A. in Political Science 2020-2021: Option 2 - Humanities

| FIRST YEAR |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Fall | Credits | Interim | Credits | Spring | Credits |
| BIB 101 Introduction to the Bible | 3 | GES 147 Humanities II: Renaissance and Reformation | 4 | GES 140 Introduction to Wellbeing | 3 |
| GES 145 Humanities I: Greco-Roman through Middle Ages | 4 | $4 \times$ |  | GES 244 Humanities III: European Enlightenment and American 4 <br> Culture to 1877  |  |
| POS 100 (or Elective) American Politics and Government | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| Mathematics (M) course | 3 |  |  | Leisure and Lifetime Sports ( Q ) course | 1 |
|  |  |  |  | Elective | 3 |
|  | 13 |  | 4 | 15 |  |
| SECOND YEAR |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fall | Credits | Interim | Credits | Spring | Credits |
| American Politics and Government course | 3 | Elective | 3 | POS 211 The Political Quest | 3 |
| Political Science elective | 3 |  |  | International Relations course | 3 |
| GES 246 Humanities IV: Modern and Contemporary Western Culture | 4 |  |  | Artistic Experience (A) course | 0-3 |
| Laboratory Science (D) course | 4 | 4 |  | World Cultures (U) course | 3 |
|  |  |  |  | Elective |  |
|  | 14 |  | 3 |  | 15-Dec |
| 12-15 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fall | Credits | Interim | Credits | Spring | Credits |
| Political Philosophy course | 3-4 | Science, Technology, and Society (K) course | 3 | Comparative Politics course | 3 |
| Political Science elective | 3 | 3 |  | Comparative Systems (G) course |  |
| Cross-Cultural Experience (Z) course | 0-3 |  |  | Interpreting Biblical Themes (J) course | 3 |
| Electives | 7 |  |  | Electives | 6 |
|  | - 7 |  | 3 | 15 |  |
| FOURTH YEAR |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fall | Credits | Interim | Credits | Spring | Credits |
| POS 499 Senior Seminar | 4 | Interim Off |  | Political Science electives | 6 |
| Political Science elective | 3 |  |  | Electives | 9 |
| Contemporary Christian Issues (P) course | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| Electives | 6 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 16 |  | 0 | 0 | 15 |
| Total Credits 123-130 |  |  |  |  |  |

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