



Bachelor of Science in Political Science (120 hours)

This table shows a sample recommended course sequence for this degree based on the **UHD 2026-27 Undergraduate Catalog**. Students should verify degree requirements and registration plans with an advisor to ensure accuracy. Please note that some degrees and colleges have specific GPA and other requirements. Courses with asterisks (*) indicate Common Core courses.

First Year (Freshman 0-29 hrs)

Semester 1	Hours	Grade	TCCNS	ACGM	Semester 2	Hours	Grade	TCCNS	ACGM
ENG 1301*	3		ENGL 1301	Composition I	ENG 1302*	3		ENGL 1302	Composition II
Mathematics*	3				Oral Communication*	3			
Creative Arts*	3				American History*	3			
American History*	3				Social and Behavioral Science	3			
First Year Seminar*	3				Language, Philosophy, &	3			
Total Hours	15				Total Hours	15			

Second Year (Sophomore 30-59 hrs)

Semester 1	Hours	Grade	TCCNS	ACGM	Semester 2	Hours	Grade	TCCNS	ACGM
Life & Physical Science*	3				Life & Physical Science*	3			
POLS 2305*	3		GOVT 2305	Federal Government	POLS 2306*	3		GOVT 2306	Texas Government
Ethics- Select from: POLS 3300, CJ 3311, BA 3308, or any PHIL (excluding PHIL 1302, 1304, or 3384)	3				SOS 3305	3			
Minor or Free Elective	3				Minor or Free Elective	3			
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Total Hours	15				Total Hours	15			

Third Year (Junior 60-89 hrs)

Semester 1	Hours	Grade	TCCNS	ACGM	Semester 2	Hours	Grade	TCCNS	ACGM
SOS 3312	3				International Politics-See catalog for list of courses and select with an Academic Advisor.	3			

POLS 1XXX-4XXX- See catalog for courses and select with an Academic Advisor.	3				Political Theory/Pre-Law- See catalog for list of courses and select with an Academic Advisor.	3			
POLS 3XXX-4XXX- See catalog for courses and select with an Academic Advisor.	3				POLS 3XXX-4XXX- See catalog for courses and select with an Academic Advisor.	3			
Minor or Free Elective	3				UL Concentration - Choose from CHSS discipline or POLS with Academic Advisor.	3			
Minor or Free Elective	3				Minor or Free Elective	3			
Total Hours	15				Total Hours	15			

Fourth Year (Senior 90-120 hrs)

Semester 1	Hours	Grade	TCCNS	ACGM	Semester 2	Hours	Grade	TCCNS	ACGM
U.S. Politics- See catalog for list of courses and select with an Academic Advisor.	3				POLS 4399	3			
POLS 3XXX-4XXX- See catalog for courses and select with an Academic Advisor.	3				SOS 4301 or 4380	3			
UL Concentration - Choose from CHSS discipline or POLS with Academic Advisor.	3				UL Concentration - Choose from CHSS discipline or POLS with Academic Advisor.	3			
Minor or Free Elective	3				Minor or Free Elective	3			
Minor or Free Elective	3				Minor or Free Elective	3			
Total Hours	15				Total Hours	15			