POLITICAL SCIENCE LEARNING GOALS

Discipline-Specific Knowledge

Exposure to the Core Subfields of Political Science

Course Number	1	2	3	4	5	102	103	104	105	106A	109A	109B	109G	111AC	112A
American Politics	X					X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Comparative Politics		X													
Political Theory				X										X	X
International Relations					X										

Exposure to Areas that Cross-Cut Traditional Subfields

	1	2	3	4	5	102	103	104	105	106A	109A	109B	109G	111AC	112A
Political Behavior										X	X		X		
Public Law and Jurisprudence															
Public Policy and Organization												X			
Methodology and Formal Theory			X												
Models and Politics															

General Skills

Methodological Skills

	1	2	3	4	5	102	103	104	105	106A	109A	109B	109G	111AC	112A
Ability to understand and deploy the methods that political scientists use to answer questions about the operation of politics: causal inference, qualitative analysis, statistical analysis, game theory, and modeling.			X										X		
Capacity to use critical thinking and evidence to understand and evaluate rival theories.	X	X	X		X	X		X			X	X	X	X	X

Research and Presentational Skills

	1	2	3	4	5	102	103	104	105	106A	109A	109B	109G	111AC	112A
Writing skills - Ability to formulate a well-organized argument, supported by evidence.	X	X			X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Oral presentation skills - Ability to present work verbally to a group or public audience.								X		X					
Research paper skills - Ability to write an original research paper, with a novel thesis, making use of materials beyond assigned class readings, such as primary, secondary, and online databases.								X	X	X	X		X	X	X

Course Number	112B	112C	112D	122A	123A	123G	123H	123S	124A	124C	126A	128	C135	138E

POLITICAL SCIENCE LEARNING GOALS

Discipline-Specific Knowledge

Exposure to the Core Subfields of Political Science

Learning Goal	112B	112C	112D	122A	123A	123G	123H	123S	124A	124C	126A	128	C135	138E
American Politics														
Comparative Politics				X	X	X						X		X
Political Theory	X	X	X											
International Relations				X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			

Exposure to Areas that Cross-Cut Traditional Subfields

Learning Goal	112B	112C	112D	122A	123A	123G	123H	123S	124A	124C	126A	128	C135	138E
Political Behavior														
Public Law and Jurisprudence								X						
Public Policy and Organization								X						X
Methodology and Formal Theory													X	
Models and Politics													X	

General Skills

Methodological Skills

Learning Goal	112B	112C	112D	122A	123A	123G	123H	123S	124A	124C	126A	128	C135	138E
Ability to understand and deploy the methods that political scientists use to answer questions about the operation of politics: causal inference, qualitative analysis, statistical analysis, game theory, and modeling.												X		
Capacity to use critical thinking and evidence to understand and evaluate rival theories.	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X

Research and Presentational Skills

Learning Goal	112B	112C	112D	122A	123A	123G	123H	123S	124A	124C	126A	128	C135	138E
Writing skills - Ability to formulate a well-organized argument, supported by evidence.	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X
Oral presentation skills - Ability to present work verbally to a group or public audience.								X						X
Research paper skills - Ability to write an original research paper, with a novel thesis, making use of materials beyond assigned class readings, such as primary, secondary, and online databases.				X	X	X	X		X	X	X			

Course Number	138G	139B	139D	141C	142A	143A	143B	143C	144B	W145A	146A	147F	147G
POLITICAL SCIENCE LEARNING GOALS													
Discipline-Specific Knowledge													
Exposure to the Core Subfields of Political Science													
American Politics													
Comparative Politics	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Political Theory													
International Relations		X				Territ							
Exposure to Areas that Cross-Cut Traditional Subfields													
Political Behavior													
Public Law and Jurisprudence													
Public Policy and Organization	X		X										X
Methodology and Formal Theory													
Models and Politics													
General Skills													
Methodological Skills													
Ability to understand and deploy the methods that political scientists use to answer questions about the operation of politics: causal inference, qualitative analysis, statistical analysis, game theory, and modeling.			X										
Capacity to use critical thinking and evidence to understand and evaluate rival theories.	X	X	X	X	X		X	X		X	X	X	X
Research and Presentational Skills													
Writing skills - Ability to formulate a well-organized argument, supported by evidence.	X		X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Oral presentation skills - Ability to present work verbally to a group or public audience.					X	X							
Research paper skills - Ability to write an original research paper, with a novel thesis, making use of materials beyond assigned class readings, such as primary, secondary, and online databases.							X		X		X		

POLITICAL SCIENCE LEARNING GOALS

Course Number	149*	150	157A	157B	161	164A	166	167AC	169	171	175A	181	191**
Discipline-Specific Knowledge													
Exposure to the Core Subfields of Political Science													
American Politics		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Comparative Politics	X											X	X
Political Theory													X
International Relations													X
Exposure to Areas that Cross-Cut Traditional Subfields													
Political Behavior		X			X	X	X	X	X				X
Public Law and Jurisprudence			X	X									X
Public Policy and Organization											X	X	X
Methodology and Formal Theory									X				
Models and Politics													
General Skills													
Methodological Skills													
Ability to understand and deploy the methods that political scientists use to answer questions about the operation of politics: causal inference, qualitative analysis, statistical analysis, game theory, and modeling.								X	X				
Capacity to use critical thinking and evidence to understand and evaluate rival theories.	X	X	X			X	X	X				X	X
Research and Presentational Skills													
Writing skills - Ability to formulate a well-organized argument, supported by evidence.	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X
Oral presentation skills - Ability to present work verbally to a group or public audience.		X	X										
Research paper skills - Ability to write an original research paper, with a novel thesis, making use of materials beyond assigned class readings, such as primary, secondary, and online databases.	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X

* Multiple versions with varying requirements. All are in comparative politics.

**Multiple version in all fields, but all require an original research paper.