



NSCC Guided Pathway

2021-22

Liberal Arts (LAT) – Political Science Pathway

Associate in Arts • Liberal Studies Division

Recommended Course Selection Sequence		Required	Credits	Course Offered	CPL Option	Completion
PLS102	American National Government and Politics	Ⓡ	3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
CMP101	Composition 1	Ⓡ	3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
PHI106	Introduction to Philosophy		3			<input type="checkbox"/>
MAT143	Introduction to Statistics		3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
SOC106 or PSY102	Introduction to Sociology Introduction to Psychology		3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
CMP102-150	Composition 2 Elective	Ⓡ	3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
PLS104	State and Local Government in America	Ⓡ	3			<input type="checkbox"/>
ECO103	Macroeconomics		3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Science Elective	Ⓡ	3			<input type="checkbox"/>
LIT202-216	Advanced Literature Elective		3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
HIS131	World History 1		3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
HIS103	U.S. History 1		3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Laboratory Science Elective	Ⓡ	4			<input type="checkbox"/>
	Modern Language Sequence 1		3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
PLS106	Introduction to International Relations		3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Modern Language Sequence 2		3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
HIS132	World History 2		3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
HIS104	U.S. History 2		3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Liberal Arts Electives	Ⓡ	5			<input type="checkbox"/>
Total Program Credits:			60			

Program Notes

- Open admissions
- Eligible Commonwealth Commitment program
- Eligible North Shore Promise program
- MassTransfer program
- Day or evening program

Campus Information

- Lynn or Danvers campus

Additional Graduation Requirements

- Cumulative CLGPA at or above 2.0
- Submit your intent to graduate form at: www.northshore.edu/registrar

Advising Notes

- The recommended courses listed above are designed upon degree completion for a student to be eligible to transfer to a public Massachusetts state university or UMASS system institution with junior status in the major of political science.
- Courses are listed in the recommended order you should take them.
- Many courses have prerequisite requirements that must be fulfilled to be eligible to enroll in the course.
- If you intend to graduate with an associate degree in two years, you should enroll in at least 15 credits if taking only fall/spring courses.
- Completing 30 credits each year helps students stay on track to timely graduation.
- Taking classes in the winter intercession and summer can accelerate your time to degree completion.
- All student degree audits for graduation purposes will be based off the official program of study the student is enrolled in.

Ⓡ Required course for degree
 X Center for Alternative Studies & Educational Testing (CAS) –
 Course competencies and prerequisites may be fulfilled through Credit for
 Prior Learning (CPL). Visit www.northshore.edu/cas for more information.



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