PLAN OF STUDY FOR BACHELOR OF ARTS IN POLITICAL SCIENCE

STUDENT ID#: _____

NAME:

DATE: GENERAL BULLETIN: 2016 - 2017	
ANTICIPATED GRADUATION DATE (SEMESTER/YEAR):	
General Education Core Requirements—42 hours	
Communication	Mathematics
6 hrs. from: BNG 131 {with a C or better} ENG 132 {with a C or better} ENG 133H* *Honors course, see advisor. 3 hrs. from: BCM 247 ENG 273 FRE 131 GER 131 POR 131 SPA 131 SPH 172	3 hrs from: MTH 110 MTH 138 MTH 143 MTH 220 MTH 233
COM 111 COM 215 COM 170	
Life and Physical Sciences (Lab hours are counted in the electives.)	
6 hrs. from: AGN 110 AST 105 BIO 125 BIO 225 CHE 111 GOL 101 PHY 1 BIO 121 BIO 131 BIO 238 CHE 133 GOL 131 PHY 101 PHY 1 BIO 123 BIO 133 CHE 101 CHE 134 GOL 132 PHY 102 PHY 10	131 PHY 242
Creative Arts Language, Philosophy, & Culture	
3 hrs. from: ART 280 MUS 140 THR 163 ART 281 MHL 245 DAN 140 ART 282 THR 161 3 hrs. from: ENG 200 ENG 212 ENG 229 ENG 230 ENG 211 ENG 230 ENG 231	☐ PHI 153 ☐ HIS 152 ☐ PHI 223 ☐ HIS 161 ☐ HIS 151 ☐ HIS 162
American History Government & Political Science Social & Behavioral Sci	ience
6 hrs. 6 hrs. 3 hrs. from: HIS 133 PSC 141 ANT 231 ECO 23 HIS 134 PSC 142 GEO 131 ECO 23	
College Requirements—9-12 hours	
Foreign language proficiency through the SFA 232 level (LAT 131-232 can be used to fulfill this requirement, although no Latin course can be counted in the core.) FRE 132 GER 132 POR 132 SPA 132 SPH 272 FRE 231 GER 231 POR 231 SPA 231 SPH 477 FRE 232 GER 232 POR 232 SPA 232 SPH 479	
3 hrs. from <i>Humanities</i> component:	
□ ENG 200 □ ENG 212 □ ENG 229 □ PHI 153 □ HIS 152 □ ENG 209 □ ENG 221 □ ENG 230 □ PHI 223 □ HIS 161 □ ENG 211 □ ENG 222 □ ENG 233H □ HIS 151 □ HIS 162 Must have a DIFFERENT prefix than that selected in (CORE) Language, Philosophy, & Culture above.	

Students who enrolled in a Texas public institution may not drop more than six courses with a "W" grade.

"Double-dipping" is using the same course to fulfill two different requirements in a degree plan. Normally, students may not double-dip more than 6-7 hours across their degree plan. Anything beyond that must be approved by the Dean. Students who make an F in a course can get credit only by repeating the course. Students who want to repeat courses to improve their GPA at SFA must repeat those courses at SFA. For any course repeated at SFA, the grade earned in the most recent enrollment will be used to calculate the GPA. Credit hours for courses taken at other institutions to replace credit hours earned at SFA may be used to meet graduation credit-hour requirements, but not for GPA calculation.

POLITICAL SCIENCE (36 hours, 30 advanced with at least 12 advanced hours at SFA) A major in political science consists of PSC 303, PSC 490 and an additional 30 hours of political science coursework at the 200 level or higher, including at least 24 hours at the 300 level or higher. PSC 141 and 142 do not count toward the major. Student must maintain at a least a 2.0 average in major courses taken at SFA. PSC 303 [**WE**] PSC 200 211 240 301 *304 *305 308 313 314 316 332 333 334 335 336 337 338 339 340 397 398H 399 403 404 PSC 490 [WE] [Senior Standing Required] 411 412 413 415 416 433 441 447 448 475 476 498 499 *PSC 305: may be repeated once for a total of 6 hours 30 additional hours of PSC or PBA courses with at least 24 hours at the 300 level or higher: *PSC 304 can be repeated 4 times for a total of 15 hours: A. Latin America D. Middle East B. Europe E. Africa C. Asia PBA 300 305 310 400 405 *410 415 420 *470 475 *PBA 400: may be repeated once for a total of 6 hours *PBA 470 – internship credit 3 or 6 hours MINOR OR ADDITIONAL MAJOR (18 – 36 hrs.): Students must complete an academic minor of at least 18 semester hours, but not more than 24 semester hours. Students must maintain at least a 2.0 average in minor courses taken at SFA **ELECTIVES / ADDITIONAL COURSES (credit hours)** ☐ WATCH! **Attempted Hours Difference** *If you attempt more than 150hrs, you may pay excessive hour fees

This is **not** a contract binding the University to offer a given course at any given time. Arrangements concerning the scheduling of courses will be made between the student and the advisor based on the information at hand. These arrangements will not be binding on the student or the University.

Core (42 hours) + College (12 hours) + Major (36 hours) + Minor (18-24 hours) + Electives = **120 hours** earned

TO GRADUATE:

□ **120 HOURS** (minimum; 42hrs at SFA)

☐ 42 ADVANCED HOURS (36hrs at SFA)

☐ **GPA:** 2.0gpa minimum in your **major**, your **minor** and in your **overall** degree