### Bachelor of Arts Degree

**BA.POSC (110)**

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<th>Requirement</th>
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<td>BACHELOR OF ARTS REQUIREMENTS: 12-14 HOURS OPTION</td>
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<td>Six hours of foreign language.</td>
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<td>Six hours chosen from art, English, history, modern languages, music,</td>
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<td>philosophy and theatre.</td>
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<td>ELECTIVES: 32-36 HOURS BY ADVISEMENT—SEE NOTE</td>
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<td>ELECTIVES (ADVANCED)</td>
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<td>Total Hours Required to Complete Degree</td>
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- Core curriculum courses should be taken during the first two years of enrollment.
- For a list of core courses with descriptions see [www.wtamu.edu/starr/](http://www.wtamu.edu/starr/).
- * Indicates prerequisites—see catalog for more information.
- ** While MATH 1332 will fulfill core math requirements for students in the 2009-2010 catalog, it will NOT prepare them for math beyond MATH 1332 such as Business Math II (MATH 1325), Pre-Calculus (MATH 2412), etc.
- *** Or an equivalent course (second year, second semester) in French or German.
- NOTE: At least 39 hours of advanced work (3000- or 4000-level courses) for which tuition is paid must be earned at WTAMU, and 30 of the final 36 hours counted toward the degree must be earned at WTAMU. A maximum of six semester hours in religion and six semester hours in physical education (PHED) courses can count toward a baccalaureate degree.

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### Political Science

**Department of Political Science and Criminal Justice**

**Departmental Academic Requirements**: 30 HOURS

- **Political Science Major Requirements**: 30 HOURS
  - A grade of "C" or better must be earned in all courses required for major.
  - POLITICAL SCIENCE ELECTIVES
    - Take 18 hours of political science electives, 15 of which must be advanced.
    - ADVANCED POLITICAL SCIENCE ELECTIVE
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  - POLITICAL SCIENCE MAJOR REQUIREMENTS: 30 HOURS
    - POCS 2304 Introduction to Political Science
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    - POCS 3365 (331) Political Thought
      - 3
    - POCS 4333 (442) American Constitutional Development
      - 3

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**Note**: This is NOT a degree plan. Before completion of 60 hours, students are allowed and encouraged to request an official degree plan by using the online Request for a Degree Plan form. If unable to use the online form, students can also submit a request in Old Main, Room 424 (or call 806-651-2668). After completing 60 hours, students will not be allowed to progress without requesting a degree plan.