

## **Baccalaureate Degree Plan**

# NCCCS Associate in Arts **or** Associate in Science *transfer to* East Carolina University, **BA POLITICAL SCIENCE**

As a transfer student, it is important to contact an ECU Academic Advisor, <u>thcasadvising@ecu.edu</u>, as soon as possible.

An example of how to plan your first 2 years of the traditional 4 years of study is included at the end of this document. However, depending on when you transfer and how many recommended courses you take at the community college, it may take longer than 4 years to complete any degree at ECU.

ENG 111 ENG 112	Foreign Language Levels 1-4	HEA 110	POL 120 POL 210
	( <i>for example:</i> SPA 111, SPA 112, SPA 211, and SPA 212)	MAT 143 or 171	POL 220

- Other courses to complete an AA or AS are student's choice; no other current department recommendations. Other equivalent courses may be listed in the degree requirements.
- Completion of an approved NCCCS AA or AS waives the General Education requirement. For more information about the waiver, <u>click here.</u>
- For more information about General Education Core Requirements at ECU, and a list of specific course options, click <u>here.</u>
- You do not have to complete all NCCCS equivalents or recommended courses before transferring. However, taking minimal recommendations may prolong your time to degree at ECU.

General Education Core Requirements 40 semester hours credit required; <u>completion of an approved AA or AS waives this requirement.</u>

Competency	Semester Hour Credits Required	Notes
Written Communication	6	ENG 111 and ENG 112 should be taken at the community college to satisfy this competency.
Humanities & Fine Arts	9	At least one class should be labeled as Humanities (HU) and one should be labeled as Fine Arts (FA).
Social Sciences	9	NCCCS HIS courses are not considered a social science at ECU.
Natural Sciences	7	One course must include a lab.
Mathematics	3	Choose MAT 143 or 171.
Health Promotion and Health- Related Physical Activity	3	HEA 110 should be taken at the community college to satisfy this competency.

Foreign Language Proficiency	Complete through level 2004 (12 hours) It is recommended to complete this requirement at your NCCCS institution. ECU offers the following languages: • French • German • Greek • Japanese • Latin • Russian • Spanish To see how your language would transfer to ECU, view the Transfer Course equivalencies here: <u>https://registrar.ecu.edu/transfers/</u> .	NCCCS Equivalents
	An <u>example</u> of how to complete this requirement: SPAN 1001 SPAN 1002 SPAN 2003 SPAN 2004	SPA 111 SPA 112 SPA 211 SPA 212
Core	Complete 36 hours. POLS 1010 - National Government POLS 2010 - Introduction to Comparative Government and Politics POLS 2020 - Introduction to International Relations POLS 2090 - Writing for Political Science POLS 3031 - Research Design for Political Science Choose 3 s.h. from:	NCCCS Equivalents POL 120 POL 210 POL 220

	POLS 2070 - Introduction to Political Theory POLS 3008 - Topics in Political Theory POLS 3050 - Theory and Politics of Social and Protest Movements in the United States Choose a minimum of 18 s.h. of POLS above 2999	
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Minor or Second Major	Complete a minor or 2 <sup>nd</sup> major and enough electives to complete graduation requirements.	

# Potential 2 Year Map for BA Political Science

An example of courses to take at your community college.

## First Semester at NCCCS Institution

NCCCS Course	ECU Transfer Equivalent
ENG 111	ENGL 1100
SPA 111	SPAN 1001
MAT 143 or 171	MATH 1050 or 1065
HEA 110	HLTH 1000/KINE 1000
ACA 122	COAD 1XXX (elective credit)

## Second Semester at NCCCS Institution

NCCCS Course	ECU Transfer Equivalent
ENG 112	ENGL 2201
POL 120	POLS 1010
Humanities/Fine Arts Course	
SPA 112	SPAN 1002
Natural Science course	

## Third Semester at a NCCCS Institution

NCCCS Course	ECU Transfer Equivalent
Humanities/Fine Arts course	
POL 210	POLS 2010
Social Behavioral Science course	
SPA 211	SPAN 2003
Elective course	

## Fourth Semester at a NCCCS Institution

NCCCS Course	ECU Transfer Equivalent
SPA 212	SPAN 2004
POL 220	POLS 2020
Humanities/Fine Arts course or 2 <sup>nd</sup> Math course	
Social Behavioral Science course or 2 <sup>nd</sup> Natural	
Science course	
Elective course	

- Schedule at ECU will depend on courses completed at the community college and semester of entry (fall or spring).
- You should email <u>thcasadvising@ecu.edu</u> as soon as possible for more specialized advising.
- This schedule is dependent on taking full-time course loads; however, it may not be realistic to take a full-time course load if you are working full-time or part-time, are a caregiver, or have other obligations. *Ask your advisor how you can be most successful.*