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## Political Science (POLSCI)

### **POLSCI 001 American Government (3)**

*Class Hours: 54 Lecture*

*Advisory(s): ENG 051A*

*Transfers to: UC/CSU*

*C-ID: POLS 110*

#### American Government

POLSCI 001 is an introductory study of American government at the national, state and local level. Included are the institutions, processes and policies of the United States and of California. This course satisfies, in part, the American history and institutions requirements for CSU.

### **POLSCI 002 Comparative Government (3)**

*Class Hours: 54 Lecture*

*Prerequisite(s): ENG 051A*

*Transfers to: UC/CSU*

*C-ID: POLS 130*

#### Comparative Government

POLSCI 002 comparative analysis of other countries' political systems. We will study other countries' history, political institutions, processes and policies with an emphasis on contemporary problems.

### **POLSCI 004 Intro to International Relatio (3)**

*Class Hours: 54 Lecture*

*Advisory(s): ENG 051A*

*Transfers to: UC/CSU*

*C-ID: POLS 140*

#### Introduction to International Relations

POLSCI 004 will study how nation states interact with each other in an international system; through the use of various governmental organizations nation states will try to gain advantage over other nation-states to become the hegemony. Students analyze theories of international relations, balance of power, and basic concepts of politics around the world.

### **POLSCI 005 Intro. to Political Theory (3)**

*Class Hours: 54 Lecture*

*Transfers to: UC/CSU*

*C-ID: POLS 120*

#### Introduction to Political Theory

POLSCI 005 will examine the various theoretical approaches to politics and basic political problems and proposed solutions: Analysis of selected political theories, relevance of theory to contemporary problems, and new approaches to political thought.

### **POLSCI 010 Modern Politics (3)**

*Class Hours: 54 Lecture*

*Transfers to: UC/CSU*

*C-ID: POLS 150*

#### Modern Politics

POLSCI 010 is designed to introduce the student into the field of Political Science. The course will have a broad overview of political theories, the nature, power and development of government. Students will apply political science methodologies to the different fields of political science such as how the individual will interact with the state within the sub field of political theory.

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**POLSCI 020                      Legal and Judicial Reasoning****(3)***Class Hours: 54 Lecture**Advisory(s): ENG 051A**Transfers to: UC/CSU*

## Legal and Judicial Reasoning

POLSCI 020 entails an in depth analysis of the American legal System. From constitutional law to statutory and common law implementation. Students will examine court rulings and see how those rulings have evolved and changed civil liberties and society.

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