

**POLITICAL SCIENCE MAJOR**

**HEIDELBERG UNIVERSITY**

**Planning Guide for Transfer Students with an ASSOCIATE OF ARTS or ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE Degree**

<u>POLITICAL SCIENCE MAJOR REQUIREMENTS</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>TRANSFER CREDIT</u>	<u>OAN</u>	<u>HU 2-YEAR GUIDE</u>	<u>Hours</u>
<b>27 hours in POL including:</b>				<b>Semester 1</b>	
POL125 Introduction to Politics and Government	3	All HU general education requirements are fulfilled with a completed AA or AS degree from a regionally accredited state-assisted institution of higher education in Ohio		POL125 Introduction to Politics and Government	3
POL344 Research Methods (JWO)	3		POL344 Research Methods	3	
POL409 Capstone in Political Science	3		Elective	3	
POL ____	3		Elective	3	
POL ____	3		Elective	3	
POL ____	3			15	
POL ____	3				
<b>Total Major Hours</b>	<b>27</b>			<b>Semester 2</b>	
<i>POL 370, 401 and 402 cannot be counted toward the 27 hours.</i>		<b>To complete the Bachelor's Degree in 2 years at Heidelberg University, the following major requirements must be completed prior to transfer:</b>		POL ____	3
		No specific major courses required		POL ____	3
				Elective	3
				Elective	3
				Elective	3
				Elective	3
		<b>Prerequisites that must be met prior to registering for some upper level POL courses:</b>			15
		COM100 Oral Communication	OCM 004	POL409 Capstone in Political Science	3
<b>Strongly Recommended:</b>		ENG101 College Writing II	TME 002	POL ____	3
<i>Study abroad and the Washington Semester Program</i>		Placement into a college level math course		POL ____	3
				Elective	3
				Elective	3
					15
		<b>Additional courses that may be transferred to meet major requirements:</b>		<b>Semester 4</b>	
		POL221 Global Politics	OSS 012	POL ____	3
		POL227 American National Government	OSS 011	POL ____	3
		POL237 Local U.S. Government	OSS 014	Elective	3
				Elective	3
				Elective	3
					15
				<b>24 hrs of the above POL ____ and Elective courses must be 300-level</b>	
		<b>OAN (Ohio Articulation Number):</b> This is the numbering system for TAG (Transfer Assurance Guide) and OTM (Ohio Transfer Module) approved course equivalents.		Elective hours needed will vary depending on transfer credit. These hours may be used towards a second major or a minor	
				At least 1/2 of the major hours must be completed at Heidelberg.	
				Minimum of 30 hrs at the 300-level or above must be completed at 4-year institutions.	
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<b>TOTAL MINIMUM HOURS REQUIRED AT HU</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>MAXIMUM HOURS APPLIED FROM 2-YEAR INSTITUTIONS</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>TOTAL HOURS REQUIRED FOR BA/BS DEGREE</b>	<b>120</b>

Due to variations of course offerings at Ohio community colleges, only TAG courses are included in the middle column above. It is possible to receive specific credit toward a major for non-TAG courses.

This guide provides an example of how you can complete your degree in the number of semesters indicated in column 3 with the minimum transfer requirements listed in column 2. Modifications to column 3 may be necessary due to changes in HU course offerings, start terms, and transfer credit. While not a guarantee, with careful planning and working closely with an advisor, degree completion should be possible in the designated time frame.