### Political Science / Secondary Education

**Bachelor of Arts (B.A.)**

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<td>CORE 280 Philos. I</td>
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<td>CORE 281-289 Philos. II</td>
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<td>(CORE 18___ is required if student elects not to take CORE 158 as major requirement)</td>
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**Total Credits for CORE** 46

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<td>EDUC 240 Sec. Multi, L, Ed Meth</td>
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<td>EDUC 303 Sec. Soc. Stud. Meth.</td>
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<td>EDUC 305^ Sec. Assessment</td>
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<td>EDUC 350 Sec. Classroom Mgmt.</td>
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<td>EDUC 366 Meth Teach Div Stud</td>
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**Total Credits for Secondary Education** 41

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Total Credits Required for Graduation = 129

*Students majoring in Political Science are required to select one course from each of the PS Categories below:

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<th>PS Category I</th>
<th>Political Thought</th>
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<td>PS 332 Politics of Policymaking</td>
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**Political Science Electives**

- PS 232
- PS 241
- PS 242
- PS 255

- PS 258
- PS 341
- PS 360
- PS 361

- PS 335
- PS 341
- PS 372
- PS 361

- PS 362
- PS 372
- PS 373
- PS 374

- PS 422
- PS 431
- PS 432
- PS 435

- PS 441
- PS 443
- PS 455
- PS 461

- PS 463
- PS 445
- PS 491
- PS 492
- PS 496

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**General Information:**

A student must earn a minimum of 120 credit hours to be awarded the baccalaureate degree. The number of credit hours required for graduation may be higher in certain major programs or if the student elects to pursue a second major.

Beyond the requirements of the Core Curriculum and of a student’s chosen major program, the balances of the credit hours required for graduation are "free electives." Because of the CORE, Major, and Secondary Education requirements, there are no "Free Electives" for students majoring in Political Science/Secondary Education.

See reverse side for a suggested sequence.

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1Students are required to take CORE 180 or CORE 190 to fulfill the Interdisciplinary CORE requirement.

- If a student takes CORE 180, then he/she should choose from 191 – 198 to fulfill the 19x requirement.
- If a student takes CORE 190, then he/she should choose from 181 – 188 to fulfill the 18x requirement.

2Updated Child Abuse & Criminal Record & FBI Clearances **REQUIRED** for EDUC 235, EDUC 240, EDUC 270, EDUC 303, EDUC 305, EDUC 350, EDUC 467 and EDUC 468.

3Students majoring in Political Science are required to take CORE 153. This course will satisfy both major and CORE Social Science requirements.

4All secondary teacher certification candidates must complete six credits of college level mathematics and six credits of college level English. CORE 110 and CORE 16__ satisfy the secondary certification requirement for English. For the six credit Math requirement, students should strongly consider taking MATH 101 and MATH 102 in place of CORE 120. The content of the MATH 101/MATH 102 sequence is consistent with the material found on the Basic Skills examination. Together, MATH 101 and MATH 102 satisfy the three math credits required for the King’s College Core Curriculum as well as the six credit math requirement for Education.

5EDUC 299 Basic Skills is a pre-requisite for all 300 and 400 level education courses. In order to register for this course, you must take and pass all basic skills tests.

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## Suggested Sequence

- Use the information below as a guide when selecting courses.
- Refer to the reverse side when selecting major courses, major electives, core courses, and free electives when applicable.
- Consult your Academic Advisor prior to course registration.
- Refer to the King’s College Catalog and/or website for course titles and descriptions.
- Choose one course from each CORE category as listed on the reverse side.
  - CORE courses may be taken in any order approved by the academic advisor with the following conditions:
    - CORE 100 and CORE 110 should be taken in the first year.
    - CORE 115 (or 116) and CORE 120 should be taken within the first two years.
    - CORE 098, CORE 099, and/or CORE 110L, if required, will fulfill elective credits.
    - For students selecting a Foreign Language (CORE 14x), every effort should be made to register for that language in the first semester at King’s.

### 1st Year - Fall

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### Summer Session*

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### Admission to Candidacy

(Complete and return “Application for Teacher Education Program Candidacy” to Education Administrative Assistant no sooner than the completion of 48 credits and no later than 65 credits)

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*Summer Session is suggested in order to finish the degree in four years (including student teaching).

**NOTE:** All Secondary Teacher Certification candidates must complete six credits of college level mathematics and six credits of college level English:

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The Pennsylvania Department of Education requires secondary teachers to have a degree in the content area for certification. Students seeking secondary certification must meet with his/her specific content area department for content area courses required for the degree. The Education Division is not responsible for content area or CORE courses for secondary certification candidates.