











2023 - 2024 Major Map

Civic and Economic Thought and Leadership, BS

School/College: The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences
LACETLBS

Term 1 0 - 16 Credit Hours Critical course signified by 	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
 CEL 100: Great Ideas of Politics and Ethics (HU)	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ASU 101 or college-specific equivalent First-Year Seminar required of all first-year students. Select your career interest communities and play me3@ASU. Create a first draft resume.
ENG 101 or ENG 102: First-Year Composition OR			
ENG 105: Advanced First-Year Composition OR	3	C	
ENG 107 or ENG 108: First-Year Composition			
LIA 101: Student Success in The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences	1		
MAT 142: College Mathematics (MA)	3	C	
Complete 2 courses:	6		
Elective			
Term hours subtotal:	16		
Term 2 16 - 32 Credit Hours Critical course signified by 	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
 CEL 200: Great Debates in American Politics (HU)	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Activate your Handshake account and build out your profile. Join a student club or professional organization
ENG 101 or ENG 102: First-Year Composition OR			
ENG 105: Advanced First-Year Composition OR	3	C	
ENG 107 or ENG 108: First-Year Composition			
Natural Science - Quantitative (SQ)	4		
Complete 2 courses:	6		
Elective			
 Complete ENG 101 OR ENG 105 OR ENG 107 course(s).			
Term hours subtotal:	16		
Term 3 32 - 48 Credit Hours Critical course signified by 	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
 CEL Elective	3	C	
Historical Awareness (H)	3		
Literacy and Critical Inquiry (L)	3		
Natural Science - Quantitative (SQ) OR Natural Science - General (SG)	4		
Elective	3		
 Complete Mathematics (MA) requirement.			
Term hours subtotal:	16		
Term 4 48 - 63 Credit Hours Critical course signified by 	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
 Science and Society Elective	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> See your academic advisor to explore internship opportunities. Secure a part-time job or volunteer experience.
Cultural Diversity in the U.S. (C)	3		
Social-Behavioral Sciences (SB) AND Global Awareness (G)	3		
Complete 2 courses:			

Elective	6		
Term hours subtotal:	15		
Term 5 63 - 78 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by ★	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
★ CEL 300: Debating Capitalism	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CEL 499 and additional CEL 484 internship hours may be used to satisfy the CEL elective requirement. • Explore graduate programs with faculty and your advisor.
★ Upper Division Moral and Political Thought	3	C	
CEL 484: Internship	3	Y	
Upper Division Related Area Electives	3	C	
Upper Division Literacy and Critical Inquiry (L)	3		
Term hours subtotal:	15		
Term 6 78 - 93 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by ★	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
★ POS 301: Empirical Political Inquiry (SB) OR SGS 305: Empirical Political Inquiry (SB)	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop your professional online presence. • Use Handshake to research employment opportunities.
★ Upper Division American Political Thought	3	C	
Upper Division Related Area Electives	3	C	
Complete 2 courses: Elective	6		
★ Complete Cultural Diversity in the U.S. (C) AND Global Awareness (G) AND Historical Awareness (H) course(s).			
Term hours subtotal:	15		
Term 7 93 - 108 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by ★	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
★ CEL 475: Statesmanship and American Grand Strategy (HU)	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gather professional references. • Update and polish your resume. • Apply to graduate programs.
★ POS 401: Political Statistics (CS) OR SGS 401: Political Statistics (CS)	3	C	
★ Upper Division Leadership and Statesmanship for the 21st Century	3	C	
Upper Division Elective	3		
Elective	3		
Term hours subtotal:	15		
Term 8 108 - 120 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by ★	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
★ CEL 485: Capstone Seminar in Civic and Economic Thought and Leadership	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete an in person or virtual practice interview. • Apply for full-time career opportunities.
★ Upper Division Economic Thought and Political Economy	3	C	
Upper Division Science and Society Elective	3	C	
Elective	3		
Term hours subtotal:	12		

- All students pursuing a BS or BSP degree in The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences must complete two courses from the Science and Society list found at <https://thecollege.asu.edu/resources/science-society>. At least one of the two courses must be upper-division and students must earn a C or better in the courses. Both Science and Society courses (i.e., all six credits) may count towards any major, minor, related fields, and ASU General Studies requirements.

Hide Course List(s)/Track Group(s)

Moral and Political Thought	American Political Thought	Economic Thought and Political Economy
CEL 305: Classical Political Statecraft		

CEL 320: Modern Political Thought: Origins and Debates about Modern Liberty	CEL 394: Debates in American Civic and Public Affairs	CEL 304: Classical to Modern Economic Thought
CEL 375: Politics and Leadership in the Age of Revolutions, 1776-1826	CEL 394: Democracy in America	CEL 345: Modern Economic Classics
CEL 394: Comparative Political Thought	CEL 394: Liberalism and Conservatism in America	CEL 350: Philosophy, Politics and Economics (SB)
CEL 394: Faith and Reason: The Trial of Galileo	CEL 394: Lincoln: Rhetoric, Thought, Statesmanship	CEL 394: The American Political Economy
CEL 394: Justice and Virtue	CEL 394: Race and the American Story	CEL 494: Adam Smith and Classical Political Economy
CEL 394: Medieval Political Thought	CEL 494: Arizona Politics & Constitution	
CEL 394: Natural Law and the Common Good	CEL 494: The American Constitution I	
CEL 494: Political Thought: Islam, Hinduism, Confucianism	CEL 494: The American Constitution II: Civil Liberties	
CEL 494: Politics & Literature		
Leadership and Statesmanship for the 21st Century	Related Area Electives	
CEL 394: GIE India: Politics and Leadership	AFR Upper Division Elective	
CEL 394: Leadership & Service GIE: Israel & West Bank	COM Upper Division Elective	
CEL 394: Leading a Life of Meaning	ECN Upper Division Elective	
CEL 394: Left and Right Around the World	HON Upper Division Elective	
CEL 494: Globalism, Nationalism, and Citizenship	HST Upper Division Elective	
CEL 494: National Security Policy Design	JUS Upper Division Elective	
CEL 494: Political Leadership and Statesmanship	PHI Upper Division Elective	
	POS Upper Division Elective	
	SGS Upper Division Elective	
	SOS Upper Division Elective	

Notes:

- First-Year Composition: All students are placed in ENG 101 unless submission of SAT, ACT, Accuplacer, IELTS, or TOEFL score, or college-level transfer credit or test credit equivalent to ASU's first-year composition course(s), determine otherwise. Students on Polytechnic, Downtown Phoenix and West Campuses are encouraged to complete the Directed Self-Placement survey to choose the first-year composition option they believe best suits their needs. Visit: <https://cisa.asu.edu/DSP>
- Mathematics Placement Assessment score determines placement in first mathematics course.

Please keep in mind that the applicability of a specific transfer course toward an ASU degree program depends on the requirements of the department, division, college or school in which you are enrolled at ASU. Transfer agreements that guarantee the completion of university level requirements do not necessarily meet college and major requirements. Please consult with an advisor for more information.

Total Hours: 120

Upper Division Hours: 45 minimum

Major GPA: 2.00 minimum

Cumulative GPA: 2.00 minimum

Total hrs at ASU: 30 minimum

Hrs Resident Credit for

Academic Recognition: 56 minimum

Total Community College Hrs: 64 maximum

Total College Residency Hrs: 12 minimum

General University Requirements Legend

General Studies Core Requirements:

- Literacy and Critical Inquiry (L)
- Mathematical Studies (MA)
- Computer/Statistics/Quantitative Applications (CS)
- Humanities, Arts and Design (HU)
- Social-Behavioral Sciences (SB)
- Natural Science - Quantitative (SQ)
- Natural Science - General (SG)

General Studies Awareness Requirements:

- Cultural Diversity in the U.S. (C)
- Global Awareness (G)
- Historical Awareness (H)

First-Year Composition

General Studies designations listed next to courses on the major map were valid for the 2023 - 2024 academic year. Please refer to the course catalog for current General Studies designations at time of class registration. General Studies credit is applied according to the designation the course carries at the time the class is taken.