

## Pathway: Political Science

### Area of Study: Social Sciences, Humanities, and Language



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#### Overview

This two-year program is designed for students who wish to complete an Associate of Arts - Direct Transfer Agreement degree with a concentration in Political Science. Students in this pathway develop skills in critical analysis, research, multicultural awareness, communication, information literacy, audience analysis, networking, and leadership. Students will build foundational knowledge of political institutions, policy, American systems, globalization, and political theory. (Read program QR code to see more)

#### Estimated Length of Completion

Degree: Associate of Arts - Direct Transfer Agreement (LASDTAA)  
6 quarters, Full time

#### Career Opportunities

A Political Science pathway can lead to various career opportunities. Examples include:

- Policy Analyst/Legislative Assistant
- Lobbyist
- Political Campaign Staff
- Marketing Research Analyst
- Public Relations Specialist
- Attorney
- Teacher
- Intelligence Analyst
- Social Media Manager
- College Student Leadership and Acti ... (Read program QR code to see more)

#### Tuition and Fees

Learn more about the [estimated cost of attendance and general fees to attend college](#).

#### Financial Aid and Funding Resources

It's time to apply for Financial Aid for next year by completing either the [FAFSA](#) or the [WASFA](#) 2025-26.

#### Need help paying for college?

To apply for financial aid, including grants and scholarships you don't have to pay back, visit [South's Financial Aid Department](#) for details. Part-time and full-time students can qualify for financial aid funds.

#### Program Contact

For more information, contact  
Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences Division  
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[AHSS.Central@seattlecolleges.edu](mailto:AHSS.Central@seattlecolleges.edu)

#### Advising Contact

- [Advising hours and services](#)
- Schedule phone and Zoom appointments: [Starfish](#), Email, and phone
- [AdvisorCentral@seattlecolleges.edu](mailto:AdvisorCentral@seattlecolleges.edu)
- 206.934.4068
- Location: Broadway Campus BE1102D



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#### Get Started

**Step 1:** Apply and register at South Seattle College anytime (the application is always free). Once you become a student, register for classes using the online class schedule and go to the academic calendar for registration dates and tuition deadlines.

**Step 2:** See an advisor to create a personalized educational plan by the end of your second quarter. Your plan will include prerequisites, graduation requirements, and transfer preparation if you plan to transfer to another college or university to earn a bachelor's degree.

A sample schedule is below. The schedule will help you explore courses. The guide assumes a fall quarter start, but you can begin in any quarter.

#### Sample Schedule

This is an example of a quarterly schedule:

##### Quarter 1

- ENGL&101 English Composition I (5 units)
- POLS&101 Intro to Political Science (5 units)
- MATH116 Applications of Math: Mgmt, SS (5 units)
- HDC101 Orientation to College (3 units)

##### Quarter 2

- ENGL&102 Composition II (5 units)
- POLS&202 American Government (5 units)
- MATH&146 Introduction to Statistics (5 units)

##### Quarter 3

- Individuals/Cultures/Societies or ECON&201 or ECON&202 (5 units)
- POLS&203 International Relations (5 units)
- Visual, Literary and Perf Arts or CMST&220 (5 units)

##### Quarter 4

- Natural World Lab Science or BIOL&100 (5 units)
- Visual, Literary and Perf Arts or World Languages 1 (5 units)
- Individuals/Cultures/Societies or AME150 (5 units)

##### Quarter 5

- Natural World or ENVS&101 (5 units)
- Individuals/Cultures/Societies (5 units)
- Visual, Literary and Perf Arts or World Languages 2 (5 units)

##### Quarter 6

- Natural World (5 units)
- Individuals/Cultures/Societies or POLS170 (5 units)
- Visual, Literary and Perf Arts or World Languages 3 (5 units)



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