South Plains College: Political Science – AA to BA – Wayland Baptist University

Student ID:	SPC Advisor(s):
Student Name:	WBU Advisor(s):

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Lower Division Requirements at South Plains College for an AA degree

The courses in this section meet the requirements for an Associate of Arts degree. Please reference the General Degree Requirements section in the catalog for additional information.

First Semester

Course Name	Term	Credit	Grade
	Taken	Hours	
ENGL1301 – Composition I will transfer as ENGL1301 (SPC Communication Core – 010 and WBU English Core)		3	
Life and Physical Science – must be a 4-hour course with lab (SPC Life and Physical Sciences		4	
Core – 030 and WBU Science Core).		4	
HIST1301 – United States History I will transfer as HIST2301 (SPC American History Core –		3	
060 and WBU History Core)			
MATH1342 – Statistical Methods will transfer as MATH1306 (SPC Mathematics Core – 020		3	
and WBU Math Core)			
SPAN1411 – Beginning Spanish I will transfer as SPAN1401. Foreign Language is strongly recommended. Six hours of sophomore level foreign language is required at WBU and will count as an elective at SPC. This sequence can take a number of semesters so proper planning is important. Please see an advisor.		4	
Total Semester Hours		17	

Second Semester

Course Name	Term	Credit	Grade
	Taken	Hours	
Social & Behavioral Science – 3 hours (SPC Social and Behavioral Sciences Core – 080 and		3	
WBU Behavioral/Social Science Core). Select one course from the following:			
ECON2301 Principles of Macroeconomics will transfer as ECON2307			
PSYC2301 General Psychology will transfer as PSYC1301			
SOCI1301 Introduction to Sociology will transfer as SOCI1301			
Life and Physical Science – must be a 4-hour course with lab (SPC Life and Physical Sciences		4	
Core – 030 and WBU Science Core)			
ENGL1302 – Composition II will transfer as ENGL1302 (SPC Communications Core – 010 and		3	
WBU English Core). Prerequisite: ENGL1301 with a 'C' or better or English Chairperson			
Approval.			
SPAN1412 – Beginning Spanish II will transfer as SPAN1402. Foreign Language is strongly		4	
recommended. Six hours of sophomore level foreign language is required at WBU and will			
count as an elective at SPC. This sequence can take a number of semesters so proper			
planning is required.			
HIST1302 – United States History II will transfer as HIST2302 (SPC American History Core –		3	
060 and WBU History Core)			
Total Semester Hours		17	

Third Semester			
Course Name	Term Taken	Credit Hours	Grade
SPAN2311 – Intermediate Spanish I will transfer as SPAN2301. Foreign Language is strongly		3	
recommended. Six hours of sophomore level foreign language is required at WBU and will			
count as an elective at SPC. This sequence can take a number of semesters so proper			
planning is required.			
GOVT2305 – Federal Government will transfer as POLS2301 (SPC Government/Political		3	
Sciences – 070 and WBU Political Science Core)			
Speech Communication (SPC Component Area Core – 090 and WBU Communications Core).		3	
Select one of the following:			
 SPCH1321 Business and Professional Speech transfers as COMS1303 			
SPCH1315 Public Speaking transfers as COMS2303			
 SPCH1311 Intro to Speech Communication transfers as COMS1301 			
BCIS1305 – Business Computer Applications will transfer as COSC2311 – Computer		3	
Applications (WBU BA Degree Specific Gen Ed Core Requirement)			
Sophomore English Literature — (SPC Language, Philosophy, and Culture Core and WBU		3	
Sophomore English Core Requirement). Select one course from the following:			
ENGL 2321 British Lit (overview course), ENGL 2326 American Lit (overview course), ENGL			
2328 American Lit Since 1865, ENGL 2332 World Lit I, ENGL 2333 World Lit II, ENGL2341			
Forms of Literature			
KINE Activity Course – 1 hour class (SPC KINE Activity and WBU Exercise & Sports Science		1	
Core Requirement)			
Total Semester Hours		16	

Fourth Semester

Course Name	Term Taken	Credit Hours	Grade
GOVT2306 – Texas Government (SPC American Government/Political Science Core – 070)		3	
Sophomore English – Choose one of the following: ENGL2321 (British Literature) will		3	
transfer as ENGL 2301, ENGL2326 (American Literature) will transfer as ENGL2302, ENGL			
2332 (World Literature I) will transfer as ENGL 2303. Will count as an elective at SPC.			
Creative Arts – (SPC Creative Arts Core - 050 and WBU Creative Arts Core)		3	
SPAN2312 – Intermediate Spanish II will transfer as SPAN2301. Foreign Language is strongly		3	
recommended. Six hours of sophomore level foreign language is required at WBU and will			
count as an elective at SPC. This sequence can take a number of semesters, so proper			
planning is required.			
KINE Activity Course – 1 hour class (SPC KINE Activity and WBU Exercise & Sports Science		1	
Core Requirement)			
Total Semester Hours		13	
Total Hours		63	

TSI-Compliance

Students who are not TSI-compliant in reading or English are advised to take the INRW0300/ENGL1301 corequisite. Successful completion will grant TSI-compliance in these areas and college-credit for ENGL1301. ENGL1302 requires a 'C' or better in the corequisite or approval by the English Chairperson.

Students who are not TSI-compliant in math are advised to take the MATH0342/MATH1342 corequisite. Successful completion will grant TSI-compliance in math and college-credit for MATH1342.

Applicable Transfer Credit Hours

The University will consider transfer collegiate-level work completed at an institution of higher education. To be acceptable for transfer, the work must be of comparable level and content with the degree being sought at Wayland.

In no instance will remedial, high school, or duplicate work be accepted for transfer. Acceptability of work for transfer does not imply that it is applicable toward the requirements of a particular degree program. It is the responsibility of the student to provide official transcripts of all college work completed as of the date of the application. Failure to list all colleges attended is considered grounds for denial of admission into Wayland as well as possible immediate suspension for those currently enrolled at Wayland.

The student must provide official copies of transcripts from each institution attended. The records facility of the granting institution must send such transcripts directly to the University Registrar's office. Students registering at one of the university's external campuses may have the transcript sent to the external campus executive director/dean. The executive director/ campus dean will then forward the transcript to the Office of the University Registrar. A hand-carried document will be accepted for evaluation if it is in a sealed institution envelope with a school seal, stamp, or signature on the back flap of the envelope. **Upon receipt, the documents become the property of Wayland and will not be returned to the student either as originals or as copies.** The university's transcript evaluators are responsible for the evaluation of transfer credit. For courses not previously assessed, a syllabus and course outcomes may be required and reviewed by the school dean for which that course would be considered equivalent to Wayland work. The university's academic council will hear appeals of decisions made by these evaluators and the judgment of this council is final.

All transferred work (with accompanying grades or marks) will be translated into Wayland terms. At the undergraduate level, when the content or level renders an equivalency impossible, the work will be given a generic title and number. Under no circumstance will work taken at the freshman or sophomore level count toward satisfying the upper-level requirements established for any degree. Work completed at universities or colleges that are designated as testing schools will be evaluated using the standards established under the advanced standing examination portion of the catalog.

Transfer work will become a part of the student's record only after matriculation (defined as enrollment continued after census date) and then only when the student has established a course of record. Transfer credit will be assessed and students will be informed of the amount of credit which will transfer, preferably prior to their enrollment, but at least prior to the end of the first academic term in which they are enrolled or permitted. A total of six hours of D grades may be accepted in transfer. No courses with a grade of D will be accepted from an institution at which the student has a GPA of less than a 2.0. A grade of D will not be accepted as transfer for any English course used to fulfill a university or degree specific general education core requirement. A grade of D will not be accepted as transfer into a student's major, minor or specialization.

Additional WBU Advising Notes

- Make an appointment with an academic advisor of the major, once accepted to WBU, in order to clarify
 department, university policies and procedures, to review course sequencing, and to help with identifying
 resources for academic success. A current list of academic advising resources can be found at
 https://www.wbu.edu/academics/academic-resources/index.htm.
- Refer to the official source of information on specific courses within the WBU requirements of this degree plan from the WBU Undergraduate Catalog or visit the web site at www.wbu.edu.
- Read the WBU Undergraduate Catalog.
- Pay close attention to course sequencing and availability at WBU as it will affect the time it takes to complete the degree program.

Using this Transfer Advising Guide with Wayland Baptist University

This Transfer Advising Guide represents WBU's degree plan and is subject to change at the university's discretion. It is intended for advising purposes only so students know exactly which courses they can take at South Plains College and have the courses count towards degree requirements when they transfer to WBU. It is highly recommended that students meet with their assigned academic advisor to review all graduation and transfer requirements listed in the Transfer Advising Guide.

The ultimate goal is to provide students with accurate information for transfer pathways while minimizing loss of credits in transfer. Students are encouraged to review WBU's requirements frequently.

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Blue & Gold Transfer Scholarships

In its tradition of encouraging promising students, Wayland is proud to offer its Blue & Gold Transfer Scholarship to *outstanding transfer students*. These awards will be applied to undergraduate block tuition (12 – 18 credit hours) for face-to-face or online courses. Full-time status (12 credit hours) is required to receive these scholarships. For renewal, the student's GPA is evaluated at the close of each spring term and must meet the required cumulative GPA listed.

Blue & Gold: General

• Scholarship Amount: \$5000.00

Transferring GPA 3.75 - 4.0

Required Cumulative GPA for Renewal: 3.0

Scholarship Amount: \$3000.00

Transferring GPA 3.25 - 3.74

Required Cumulative GPA for Renewal: 3.0

Scholarship Amount: \$1500.00

Transferring GPA 2.75 - 3.24

Required Cumulative GPA for Renewal: 3.0

Blue & Gold: Pioneer

• Scholarship Amount: 1/3 tuition

Transferring GPA 3.25 and higher PLUS ACT of 25+ or SAT1200+ (M+ERW) CLT 78+

Required Cumulative GPA for Renewal: 3.0

Blue & Gold PTK Scholarship

Scholarship Amount: 2/3 tuition

Active Phi Theta Kappa membership

Required Cumulative GPA for renewal: 3.25

Click here for more information: https://www.wbu.edu/admissions/financial-aid/scholarships/blue-and-gold.htm.