

**Important:** This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2018 through summer 2019. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations or cognates.

**GENERAL EDUCATION/**

**CORE COMPETENCY REQUIREMENTS (37-40 hours)**

<u>Course</u>	<u>Hrs</u>	<u>Sem</u>	<u>Grade</u>
<b>Communication (6 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>			
ENGL 101     Composition & Rhetoric	3	_____	_____
_____     Communications Elective	3	_____	_____

<b>Math, Science &amp; Technology (7-10 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>			
MATH _____     Math Elective (MATH 114 or higher)	3	_____	_____
_____     Natural Science Elective	3	_____	_____
_____     Technology Competency <sup>2</sup>	0-3	_____	_____
UNIV 101     University Core Competencies	1	_____	_____

<b>Information Literacy (6 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>			
_____     Composition Elective	3	_____	_____
_____     Information Literacy Elective	3	_____	_____

<b>Critical Thinking (6 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>			
_____     Lit OR Philosophy OR Cultural Studies	3	_____	_____
_____     Social Science Elective	3	_____	_____

<b>Christian Life &amp; Thought (12 hours)<sup>1,3</sup></b>			
BIBL 105     Old Testament Survey	2	_____	_____
BIBL 110     New Testament Survey	2	_____	_____
EVAN 101     Evangelism & Christian Life	2	_____	_____
RLGN 105     Intr Bwvw/Contemp Moral Issues	2	_____	_____
THEO 201     Theology Survey I	2	_____	_____
THEO 202     Theology Survey II	2	_____	_____

<u>Course</u>	<u>Hrs</u>	<u>Sem</u>	<u>Grade</u>
<b>Major Foundational Courses (3-6 hours)<sup>4</sup></b>			
GOVT 200     Constitutional Govt. & Free Enterprise	3	_____	_____
GOVT 220     American Government	3	_____	_____

**MAJOR**

<b><u>Core (21 hours)</u></b>			
GOVT 210     Introduction to Political Science	3	_____	_____
GOVT 320     American Executive Process	3	_____	_____
GOVT 322     American Legislative System	3	_____	_____
GOVT 327     State & Local Government	3	_____	_____
GOVT 350     Political Economy & Public Policy	3	_____	_____
_____	5	3	_____
_____	5	3	_____

<p><b>Graduation Requirements</b></p> <p>61 Total Hours</p> <p>2.0 Overall grade point average</p> <p><b>Grade of 'C'</b> Minimum required for all upper-level courses in the major</p> <p>50% Of major taken through Liberty University</p> <p>15.25 Hours must be completed through Liberty University</p> <p><b>Grad App</b> Submission of Graduation Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date</p> <p><b>CSER</b> All requirements must be satisfied before a degree will be awarded</p>
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<p><b>Notes</b></p> <p><i>All applicable prerequisites must be met</i></p> <p><sup>1</sup>Refer to the list of approved general education electives at <a href="http://www.liberty.edu/gened">www.liberty.edu/gened</a> before enrolling in core competency requirements</p> <p><sup>2</sup>All students must pass the Computer Assessment OR complete applicable INFT course; refer to <a href="http://www.liberty.edu/computerassessment">www.liberty.edu/computerassessment</a> for more information</p> <p><sup>3</sup>Students transferring in 45 or more UG credit hours will have the requirements of RLGN 105 &amp; EVAN 101 waived; Students transferring in 60 or more UG credit hours will also have the requirements of THEO 201 &amp; THEO 202 waived</p> <p><sup>4</sup>Major Foundational Courses can also fulfill General Education/Core Competency requirements as applicable</p> <p><sup>5</sup>Choose a 300-400 level CJUS or GOVT course not already required in the major</p> <p><i>Suggested Course Sequence on second page</i></p>
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## SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

### FIRST YEAR

<u>First Semester</u>		<u>Second Semester</u>	
BIBL 105	2	BIBL 110	2
ENGL 101	3	EVAN 101	2
RLGN 105	2	THEO 201	2
UNIV 101	1	Composition Elective <sup>1</sup>	3
Communications Elective <sup>1</sup>	3	Technology Competency <sup>2</sup>	0-3
Social Science Elective <sup>1</sup> [GOVT 200]	3	GOVT 210	3
CSER	<u>0</u>	GOVT 220	3
Total	14	CSER	<u>0</u>
		Total	15-18

### SECOND YEAR

THEO 202	2	Natural Science Elective <sup>1</sup>	3
Lit <u>or</u> Phil <u>or</u> Cultural Studies Elective <sup>1</sup>	3	Information Literacy Elective <sup>1</sup>	3
Math Elective <sup>1</sup>	3	GOVT 327	3
GOVT 320	3	GOVT 350	3
GOVT 322	3	Elective <sup>3</sup>	3
Elective <sup>3</sup>	3	CSER	<u>0</u>
CSER	<u>0</u>	Total	15
Total	17		

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