

Important: This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2023 through summer 2024. 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/

FOUNDATIONAL SKILLS REQUIREMENTS (62-65 hours)

Course	Hrs	Sem	Grade
Communication & Information Literacy (16 hours)¹			
ENGL 101	Composition & Rhetoric	3	_____
INQR 101	Inquiry 101	1	_____
_____	Communications Elective	3	_____
_____	Composition Elective	3	_____
_____	Information Literacy Elective	3	_____
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Technological Solutions & Quantitative Reasoning (4-7 hours)¹			
UNIV 101	Foundational Skills	1	_____
MATH _____	Math Elective (MATH 114 or higher)	3	_____
_____	Technology Competency ²	0-3	_____
Critical Thinking (8 hours)¹			
RLGN 105	Intr Bwvw/Contemp Moral Issues ³	2	_____
RSCH 201	Research 201	3	_____
_____	Critical Thinking Elective	3	_____
Civic & Global Engagement (5 hours)¹			
EVAN 101	Evangelism & Christian Life ³	2	_____
_____	Cultural Studies Elective	3	_____
Social & Scientific Inquiry (6 hours)¹			
_____	Natural Science Elective	3	_____
_____	Social Science Elective	3	_____
Christianity & Contexts (8 hours)¹			
BIBL 105	Old Testament Survey	2	_____
BIBL 110	New Testament Survey	2	_____
THEO 201	Theology Survey I ³	2	_____
THEO 202	Theology Survey II ³	2	_____
Liberal Arts Focus (15 hours)^{1,4}			
_____	Language Elective	3	_____
_____	Language Elective	3	_____
_____	Language Elective	3	_____
_____	Language Elective	3	_____
_____	Integrative Elective	3	_____

Course	Hrs	Sem	Grade
Major Foundational Courses (3-6 hours)			
GOVT 200	Constitutional Govt. & Free Enterprise ⁵	3	_____
GOVT 220	American Government ⁵	3	_____

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Course	Hrs	Sem	Grade
Core (21 hours)			
GOVT 210	Introduction to Political Science	3	_____
GOVT 340	International Relations	3	_____
GOVT 350	Political Economy & Public Policy	3	_____
GOVT 421	American Constitutional History	3	_____
GOVT 440	Political Geography	3	_____
GOVT 480	Terrorism	3	_____
GOVT 490	Political Theory	3	_____

Course	Hrs	Sem	Grade
Concentration (21 hours)			
GOVT 380	Intro. to Intelligence & National Security	3	_____
GOVT 381	Intelligence Analysis	3	_____
GOVT 382	History of Intelligence	3	_____
GOVT 483	Military Operations & Intelligence	3	_____
GOVT 484	Strategic Intelligence	3	_____
GOVT 487	Ethics in Intelligence	3	_____
GOVT _____	_____ ⁶	3	_____

FREE ELECTIVES (7-13 hours)

Course	Hrs	Sem	Grade
_____	_____	_____	_____
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<p>Graduation Requirements</p> <p>120 Total Hours</p> <p>2.0 Overall grade point average</p> <p>30 Hours must be upper-level courses (300-400 level)</p> <p>Grade of 'C' Minimum required for all courses in the major</p> <p>25% Of major and concentration taken through Liberty University</p> <p>30 Hours must be completed through Liberty University</p> <p>Grad App Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date</p> <p>CSER All requirements must be satisfied before a degree will be awarded</p>
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<p>Notes</p> <p>All applicable prerequisites must be met</p> <p>¹Refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened before enrolling in foundational skills requirements</p> <p>²All students must pass the Computer Assessment OR complete applicable INFT course; refer to www.liberty.edu/computerassessment for more information</p> <p>³Students transferring in 45 or more UG credit hours will have the requirements of RLGN 105 & EVAN 101 waived; Students transferring in 60 or more UG credit hours will also have the requirements of THEO 201 & THEO 202 waived</p> <p>⁴Must be the same language; 6 hours must be 200-400 level</p> <p>⁵Courses may also fulfill select General Education Requirements. Please refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened</p> <p>⁶Choose a course not already required in the major from GOVT 380-389 or 480-489</p> <p><i>Suggested Course Sequence on second page</i></p>
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SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

FRESHMAN YEAR

First Semester		Second Semester	
BIBL 105	2	BIBL 110	2
ENGL 101	3	RLGN 105	2
INQR 101	1	Communications Elective ¹	3
UNIV 101	1	Composition Elective ¹	3
Cultural Studies Elective ¹ [GOVT 200]	3	Information Literacy Elective ¹	3
Language Elective ²	3	Language Elective ²	3
CSER	<u>0</u>	CSER	<u>0</u>
Total	13	Total	16

SOPHOMORE YEAR

EVAN 101	2	GOVT 220	3
THEO 201	2	RSCH 201	3
Information Literacy Elective ¹	3	THEO 202	2
Language Elective ²	3	Language Elective ²	3
Natural Science Elective ¹	3	MATH Elective ¹	3
Social Sciences Elective ¹	3	Technology Competency ³	0-3
CSER	<u>0</u>	CSER	<u>0</u>
Total	16	Total	14-17

JUNIOR YEAR

Critical Thinking Elective ¹	3	GOVT 381	3
GOVT 210	3	GOVT 382	3
GOVT 340	3	GOVT 421	3
GOVT 350	3	GOVT 440	3
GOVT 380	3	Government Elective ⁴	3
CSER	<u>0</u>	Elective	1
Total	15	CSER	<u>0</u>
		Total	16

SENIOR YEAR

Integrative Elective ¹	3	GOVT 487	3
GOVT 480	3	GOVT 490	3
GOVT 483	3	Elective	3
GOVT 484	3	Elective	3
Elective	3	Elective	3
CSER	<u>0</u>	CSER	<u>0</u>
Total	15	Total	15

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