

LIBERTY

UNIVERSITY.

ONLINE

Bachelor of Science in Law and Policy
Public Policy Concentration
 2023-2024 Degree Completion Plan

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 (39-42 hours)

Course	Hrs	Sem	Grade
Communication & Information Literacy (12 hours)¹			
ENGL 101	Composition & Rhetoric	3	_____
_____	Communications Elective	3	_____
_____	Information Literacy Elective	3	_____
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Technological Solutions & Quantitative Reasoning (3-6 hours)¹

UNIV 104	Instructional Tech. for Online Learning	0-3	_____
MATH _____	Math Elective (MATH 114 or higher)	3	_____

Critical Thinking (7 hours)¹

RLGN 104	Christian Life & Biblical Worldview ²	4	_____
_____	Critical Thinking Elective	3	_____

Civic & Global Engagement (3 hours)¹

_____	Cultural Studies Elective	3	_____
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Social & Scientific Inquiry (6 hours)¹

_____	Natural Science Elective	3	_____
_____	Social Science Elective	3	_____

Christianity & Contexts (8 hours)¹

BIBL 104	Survey of Old & New Testament	4	_____
THEO 104	Introduction to Theology Survey ²	4	_____

Major Foundational Courses (3-6 hours)

Course	Hrs	Sem	Grade
GOVT 200	Constitutional Govt. & Free Enterprise ³	3	_____
GOVT 220	American Government ³	3	_____

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Core (15 hours)

GOVT 215	Logic and Legal Reasoning	3	_____
GOVT 325	Legal Ethics	3	_____
GOVT 408	Negotiation	3	_____
GOVT 421	American Constitutional History	3	_____
GOVT 422	American Constitutional Law	3	_____

Concentration (21 hours)

GOVT 458	Public Policy Dev. in the Political Environ	3	_____
GOVT 459	Criminal Justice Law & Policy	3	_____
GOVT 461	National Security Law & Policy	3	_____
GOVT 463	Health Care Law & Policy	3	_____
GOVT 465	Education Law & Policy	3	_____
GOVT 467	Religious Liberty Law & Policy	3	_____
GOVT 469	Economics Law & Policy	3	_____

FREE ELECTIVES (36-42 hours)

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_____	_____	-	_____
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Graduation Requirements
 120 Total Hours
 2.0 Overall grade point average
 30 Hours must be upper-level courses (300-400 level)
Grade of 'C' Minimum required for all courses in the major
 25% Of major and concentration taken through Liberty University
 30 Hours must be completed through Liberty University
Grad App Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

Notes
All applicable prerequisites must be met
¹Refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened before enrolling in foundational skills requirements
²Students transferring in 45 or more UG credit hours will have the requirement of RLGN 104 waived; Students transferring in 60 or more UG credit hours will also have the requirement of THEO 104 waived
³Courses may also fulfill select General Education Requirements. Please refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened
Suggested Course Sequence on second page

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

FRESHMAN YEAR

First Semester		Second Semester	
BIBL 104	4	THEO 104	4
ENGL 101	3	Critical Thinking Elective ¹	3
RLGN 104	4	Information Literacy Elective ¹	3
UNIV 104	0-3	Social Science Elective ¹ [GOVT 200]	<u>3</u>
Communications Elective ¹	<u>3</u>	Total	13
Total 14-17			

SOPHOMORE YEAR

Information Literacy Elective ¹	3	Cultural Studies Elective ¹	3
Math Elective ¹	3	Natural Science Elective ¹	3
GOVT 220	3	GOVT 215	3
Elective	3	Elective	3
Elective	<u>3</u>	Elective	<u>3</u>
Total 15		Total 15	

JUNIOR YEAR

GOVT 325	3	GOVT 422	3
GOVT 408	3	GOVT 459	3
GOVT 421	3	GOVT 461	3
GOVT 458	3	Elective	3
Elective	<u>3</u>	Elective	3
Total 15		Elective	<u>3</u>
		Total 18	

SENIOR YEAR

GOVT 463	3	GOVT 467	3
GOVT 465	3	GOVT 469	3
Elective	3	Elective	3
Elective	3	Elective	3
Elective	<u>3</u>	Elective	<u>3</u>
Total 15		Total 15	

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