Texas Lutheran University Undergraduate Degree Plan
Bachelor of Arts in Political Science Policy & Administration

Student Name: _____ **ID#:** _____

Prospective Graduation Date: _____ **Catalog Year:** 2026 - 2027

General Education			
CRHR	**Course Title**	**TZCE**	**Notes**
18	**Hrs**	**Foundations**	
Basic Quantitative Literacy			
3	MATH 130 College Math or Higher	T	
Critical Reading			
3	FREX 134 Exploring the Arts and Sciences		
Engaging Faith Traditions			
3	THEO 133 Introduction to Theology		
Modern Language*			
3	Foreign Language at 131 Level or Higher	Z	
Written Communications			
3	COMP 131 English Composition I		
3	COMP 132 English Composition II		
*Can be met by a study abroad program lasting 4+ weeks			
24	**Hrs**	**Distributions Requirements:**	
6	**Arts (6)**		
	ARTS 130, AMMS, DRAM, MUSI, VART		
3			
3			
12	**Humanities (Max 2 course/discipline) (12)**		
	AFAM, COMM, ENGL, HIST, HUMA 130, MAST, Mod. Lang, PHIL, THEO, WOST		
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6	**Natural Science & Math (1 crs w/lab) (6)**		
	BIOL, CHEM, CSCI, ENVS, MATH, NSCI 140, PHYS, STAT		
3			
3			
0	**Social Sciences (6)**		
	CRCJ, ECON, GEOG, POLS, PSYC, SOCI, SSCI 130		
0	POLS 231 American Politics I		
0	PSYC 271 Quantitative Methods I		

Complete each of the following **Competencies:**			
3 Critical Thinking Courses (T)	X	X	X
3 Engaged Citizenship Courses (Z)	X		
2 Communication Course (C)			
1 Ethics Course (E)			

96	**Total Hours – 124 Hours Needed**

Student: _____

Advisor: _____

Department Chair: _____

Registrar: _____

Date: _____

54	**Hrs**	**Political Science Policy & Administration (30)**	
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3	POLS 231 American Politics I	T	
3	POLS 232 American Politics II		
3	POLS 235 or POLS 237		
3	POLS 331 or POLS 336		
3	POLS 339 Political Philosophy		
3	POLS 430 or POLS 439		
3	POLS 433 Data Analysis in Social Sci		
3	POLS Elective		
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POLS 430 or 439 is waived if student participates in Washington Semester or Study Abroad			
	Supporting Coursework (24)		
3	PSYC 271 Quantitative Methods I	T	
3	GEOG 236 Geographical Info System		
3	GEOG 380 Metropolis		
3	ECON Elective (237 or higher)		
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3	BUSI 231 Principles of Accounting		
6 hours determined by advisor			
3			
3			
	Electives or minor to total 124 hrs		

IMPORTANT: An overall GPA 2.0 and a major/minor GPA of 2.0 are required for graduation. All undergraduate degrees require a minimum of 124 hours. It is the student's responsibility to fulfill all degree requirements.