

LANSING COMMUNITY COLLEGE

**Liberal Arts**

**Curriculum Code:  
0750 (Effective  
Fall 2017 –  
Summer 2022)**

**Political Science A.A. Pathway**

This degree is designed for students who intend to transfer to a four-year college or university to pursue a baccalaureate degree in this subject area. Students completing this curriculum will also satisfy the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) between two-year and four-year institutions in Michigan and qualify for an LCC Transfer Studies Certificate of Achievement (1482).

- General Education - MTA: MINIMUM: 30 credits  
 Complete General Education - MTA Requirements for the Associate of Arts Degree  
 A. English Composition: One course  
 B. English Composition (second course) or Communication: One course  
 C. Humanities and Fine Arts: A total of 2 courses, each from a different discipline  
 D. Mathematics: One course from Quantitative Reasoning, College Algebra or Statistics  
 E. Natural Sciences: A total of 2 courses, each from a different discipline; one must be a lab course  
 F. Social Science: A total of 2 courses, each from a different discipline

*In order to graduate with this degree, a student must earn a minimum grade of 2.0 in all courses.*

Semester I	Course Title	Prerequisites	Credit/ Billing Hours
<b>General Education - Area A. English Composition - <i>Select 1</i></b>			
ENGL 121 <i>(formerly WRIT 121)</i>	Composition I	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
ENGL 131 <i>(formerly WRIT 131)</i>	Honors Composition I	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 7	4 / 4

<b>General Education - Area C. Humanities and Fine Arts - <i>Select 1</i></b>			
HUMS 120 <i>(formerly ARTS 130)</i>	Masterpieces of Art & Music	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
HUMS 160	Mythology	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
HUMS 211 <i>(formerly ARTS 211)</i>	Art History to the Renaissance	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
HUMS 212 <i>(formerly ARTS 212)</i>	Art Hist from the Renaissance	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
RELG 150	Intro to World Religions	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
THEA 110	Introduction to Theatre	Reading Level 5	3 / 3
<b>Program of Study Requirements</b>			
<i>POLS 120 satisfies 1 of the 2 required courses for the F. Social Sciences Area.</i>			
POLS 120	American Political System	Reading Level 5	4 / 4
<b>Electives - <i>Select 1</i></b>			
<i>Courses may not be duplicated</i>			
HIST 211	U.S. History to 1877	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
HIST 212	U.S. History: 1877 to Present	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
HUMS 140	Art of Being Human	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
HUMS 213	World Civilizations to 1600	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
HUMS 214	World Civilizations from 1600	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
RELG 212	Judaism, Christianity & Islam	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
<b>Credits</b>			<b>15-16 / 15-16</b>

Semester II	Course Title	Prerequisites	Credit/ Billing Hours
<b>General Education - Area B. English Composition or Communication - <i>Select 1</i></b>			
ENGL 122 <i>(WRIT 122 equivalent)</i>	Composition II	Minimum 2.0 in ENGL 121 (formerly WRIT 121) or ENGL 131 (formerly WRIT 131) or (Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 8)	4 / 4
ENGL 132 <i>(WRIT 132 equivalent)</i>	Honors Composition II	Minimum 3.5 in ENGL 121 (formerly WRIT 121) or ENGL 131 (formerly WRIT 131) or Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 8	4 / 4
<b>General Education - Area D. Mathematics - <i>Select 1</i></b>			
MATH 119	Math Applications for Living	(Minimum 2.0 in MATH 105 or MATH 106 or MATH 107 or Math Level 5) and Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 4	4 / 4
MATH 120	College Algebra	(Minimum 2.0 in MATH 109 or MATH 112 within 2 years or Math Level 6 within 2 years) and Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 4	4 / 4
STAT 170	Introduction to Statistics	(Minimum 2.0 in MATH 105 or MATH 106 or above or Math Level 5) and Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 4	4 / 4
<b>General Education - Area F. Social Science - <i>Select 1</i></b>			
ECON 120	Power, Authority and Exchange	Reading Level 5	4 / 4
ECON 201	Principles of Economics-Micro	Reading Level 5 and Math Level 4	4 / 4
PSYC 200	Introduction to Psychology	Reading Level 5 or AASD 105 concurrently	4 / 4
SOCL 120	Introduction to Sociology	Reading Level 5 or AASD 105 concurrently	4 / 4
<b>Program of Study Requirements - <i>Select 1</i></b>			
POLS 121	State and Local Government	Reading Level 5	4 / 4
<b>Credits</b>			<b>16 / 16</b>

Semester III	Course Title	Prerequisites	Credit/Billing Hours
<b>General Education - Area E. Natural Sciences (Lab) - <i>Select 1</i></b>			
ASTR 201	Introductory Astronomy	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6 and (Math Level 5 or MATH 107 or MATH 109 concurrently)	4 / 5
CHEM 135	Chemistry in Society	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6 and Math Level 4	4 / 5
GEOG 221	Physical Geography	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
ISCI 131	Integrated Physical Science	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6 and Math Level 4	4 / 6
<b>Program of Study Requirements</b>			
POLS 201	Intro to Political Science	Reading Level 5	3 / 3
POLS 260	Comparative Political Systems	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	3 / 3
<b>Electives - <i>Select 1</i></b> <i>Courses may not be duplicated</i>			
HIST 211	U.S. History to 1877	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
HIST 212	U.S. History: 1877 to Present	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
HUMS 140	Art of Being Human	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
HUMS 213	World Civilizations to 1600	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
HUMS 214	World Civilizations from 1600	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
RELG 212	Judaism, Christianity & Islam	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
RELG 250	Religions of East Asia	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
<b>Credits</b>			<b>14/ 14-16</b>

Semester IV	Course Title	Prerequisites	Credit/Billing Hours
<b>General Education - Area C. Humanities and Fine Arts - <i>Select 1</i></b> <i>This selection MUST be from a different code than the previous course chosen.</i>			
HUMS 120 <i>(formerly ARTS 130)</i>	Masterpieces of Art & Music	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
HUMS 160	Mythology	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
HUMS 211 <i>(formerly ARTS 211)</i>	Art History to the Renaissance	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
HUMS 212 <i>(formerly ARTS 212)</i>	Art Hist from the Renaissance	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
RELG 150	Intro to World Religions	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
THEA 110	Introduction to Theatre	Reading Level 5	3 / 3
<b>General Education - Area E. Natural Sciences - <i>Select 1</i></b>			
BIOL 120	Environmental Science	(Reading Level 5 or AASD 105 concurrently) and Writing Level 6	4 / 6
BIOL 125	Introductory Biology	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 5
GEOL 221	Physical Geology	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6 and Math Level 4	4 / 6
GEOL 230	Environmental Geology	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6 and Math Level 4	4 / 6
PFHW 123	Human Nutrition	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	3 / 3
PHYS 120	The Art of Physics	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6 and (Math Level 5 or MATH 107 concurrently or MATH 109 concurrently)	4 / 5
<b>Required Elective - <i>Select 1</i></b>			
POLS 240	Introduction to Public Policy	Reading Level 5	3 / 3
POLS 270	International Relations	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	3 / 3

<b>Electives - <i>Select 2</i></b>			
<i>Courses may not be duplicated</i>			
HIST 211	U.S. History to 1877	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
HIST 212	U.S. History: 1877 to Present	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
HUMS 140	Art of Being Human	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
HUMS 213	World Civilizations to 1600	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
HUMS 214	World Civilizations from 1600	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
RELG 212	Judaism, Christianity & Islam	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
RELG 250	Religions of East Asia	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
<b>Credits</b>			<b>18-19 / 18-21</b>
<b>Total Credits</b>			<b>63-65 / 63-69</b>