SCHEME OF STUDIES FOR BS-POLITICAL SCIENCE 2023 AND ONWARD

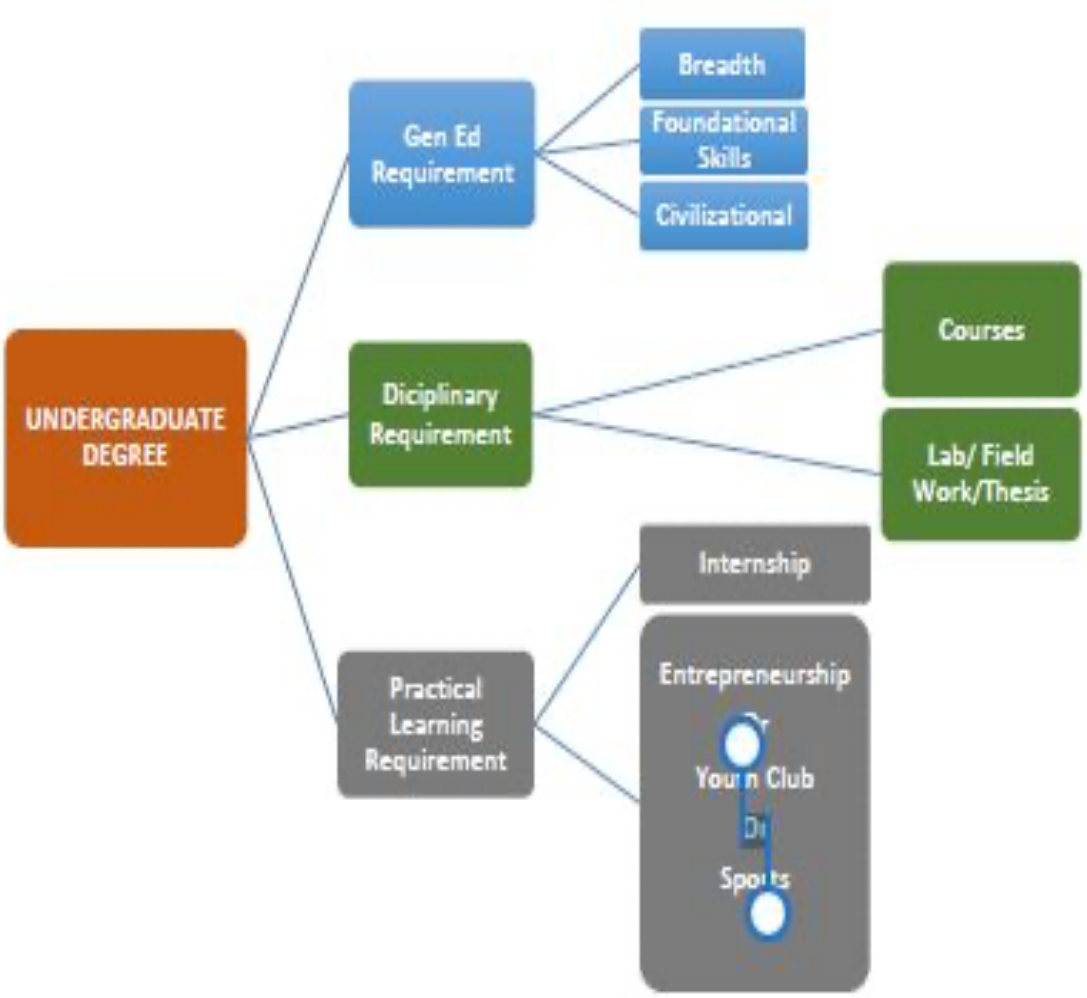


DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

FATA UNIVERSITY

General Framework of Undergraduate Program

Working Paper/ Agenda for 2nd Board of Studies of the Department of Political Science FATA University Dara Adam Khel



Structure and Layout of BS-Political Science

No	Category of Courses	No of Courses	Credit Hours

01	**General Education Requirement Courses**	**12**	**30**
03	Allied Courses (Inter-Disciplinary)	04	12
04	Major Courses	29	87
05	Final Year Project	01	03
06	Field Experience Or Internship	06-08 Weeks	03
Total Credit Hours			**135**

*The students who are admitted after the completion of Bridging semester will have 126 Credit Hours degree while the minimum requirement for the BS Political science degree will be 135 Credit Hours.

Associate Degree in Political Science

No	Category	No of Courses	Credit Hours
01	**General Education Requirement Courses**	**12**	**30**
02	Major Courses	10	30
03	Allied/Interdisciplinary	02	06
Total Credit Hours			**66**

Bridging Semester Breakup (To be Offered in Summer)

Course code	Name of Subject	Cr.hr	
Zero Semester			
	Introduction to Political Science-I	3	100
	Introduction to Political Science-II	3	100
	Introduction to Political Science-III	3	100
	Introduction to International Relations	3	100
	Public Administration	3	100
	Western Political Philosophy-I	3	100
	Political Systems (UK, USA)	3	100
Cr. Hr		**21**	**700**

General Education Requirement Courses (Minimum 30 Credit Hours)

Level	Area of Study	Courses
	Arts and Humanities	Arts & Humanities one course (02 Credit Hour)
	Social Sciences	Social Science-01 (02 Credit Hours)
	Natural Sciences	Natural Science -01 (03 Credit Hours)
	Functional English	English-1 (03 Credit Hours)
	Expository Writing	English-1I (03 Credit Hours)
	Quantitative Reasoning	Quantitative Reasoning 01. (Introduction to Maths 03 Credit Hours)
		Quantitative Reasoning -02 (Introduction to statistics 03 Credit Hours)
	Islamic Studies	01 course (02 Credit Hours)
	Ideology and Constitution of Pakistan	01 course (02 Credit Hours)
	Application of Information and Communication Technologies	01 course (03 Credit Hours)
	Entrepreneurship	01 course (02 Credit Hours)
	Civic and Community Engagement	01 course (02 Credit Hours)
Total	**12 Courses**	30 Credit hours

List of Subjects for General Education Courses

Arts and Humanities	Social Science	Natural Science	Quantitative Reasoning
Fine Arts, Introduction to Pashto Literature, Introduction to Urdu Literature, History, Islamic History, Introduction to Philosophy.	Introduction to Psychology, Mass Communication and Journalism, Human Rights, Introduction to Law, Introduction to Anthropology	Introduction to Environmental Studies, Everyday Science, Physics, Biology, Chemistry	Introduction to Statistics, Introduction to Mathematics

***For the remaining General Education Courses, the HEC developed syllabus will be followed.**

Course Level	Courses	Course Code
Foundational Courses	Introduction to Political Science-I	
	Introduction to Political Science-II	
	Introduction to Political Science-III	
	Introduction to International Relations	
	Public Administration	
	Political Systems (Developed)	
	Western Political Philosophy-I	
Allied (Inter-Disciplinary) **Minimum 04 Courses**	Introduction to Economics	
	Pakistani Society and Culture	
	Gender Studies	
	Population Studies	

Specialized/Major Courses (Minimum 24 Courses of 72 Credit Hours)

No	Course Title	Code
1.	Political Systems (Developed)	
2.	Political Systems (Developing)	
3.	Political Systems (Malaysia, Germany, Iran, Turkey)	
4.	Freedom Movement in Indo-Pakistan	
5.	Western Political Philosophy-I	
6.	Western Political Philosophy-II	
7.	Muslim Political Philosophy-I	
8.	Muslim Political Philosophy-II	
9.	Public Administration	
10.	Comparative Politics and Development-I	
11.	Comparative Politics and Development-II	
12.	Constitution of Pakistan 1973	
13.	Political Development in Pakistan	
14.	Foreign Policy Analysis	
15.	Foreign Policy of Pakistan	
16.	International Organizations	
17.	International Political Economy	
18.	Political Economy of Pakistan	
19.	Political Development in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa	
20.	Electoral Politics in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa	
21.	Local Government in Pakistan	

22.	Political Islam	
23.	Politics of Identity and Ethnicity	
24.	Political Parties and Interest Groups	
25.	Research Methods and Techniques	
26.	Politics of Development	
27.	Governance in Pakistan: Problems, Issues and Strategies	
28.	Politics of Environment	
29.	Federalism and National Integration in Pakistan	
30.	New Media and Politics	
31.	Politics of South Asia	
32.	Politics of Human Rights	

**** Any Major course after 5th semester can be replaced with a course in the list given above**

Semester-wise Distribution of Courses

Semesters	I	II	III	IV
Illustrative Courses	Functional English (English-I) (03)	Ideology and Constitution of Pakistan (02)	Social Science Introduction to Law (02)	Quantitative Reasoning -02 (03)
	Quantitative Reasoning-I (03)	Islamic Studies	Entrepreneurship 02	Foundational/Major Western Political Philosophy-I
	Natural Science (Everyday Science) (03)	Arts & Humanities (Introduction to Pashto Language and Literature) (02)	Expository Writing (English-II) (03)	Foundational/Major Political System Developed (UK, USA)
	Application of Communication and Information Technologies (03)	Foundational/Major Introduction to Political Science-II (03)	Civic and Community Engagement (02)	Foundational/Major Muslim Political Philosophy-I
	Foundational/Major Introduction to Political Science-I (03)	Foundational/Major History of IR (03)		Foundational/Major Public Administration
		Allied Introduction to Economics (03)	Foundational/Major Introduction to Political Science-III	
	Foundational/Major Introduction to International Relations (03)	Pakistan Studies (02)	Foundational/Major Movement in Indo-Pakistan	Allied (SOC-443) Pakistani Society and Culture)
Credits	**18**	**17**	**15**	**18**
Total 66				
Semesters	**V**	**VI**	**VII**	**VIII**
Illustrative Courses	Major	Major International Law	Major	Major

	Foreign Policy of Pakistan		Comparative Politics and Development-II	International Organizations
	Major Western Political Philosophy-II	Major Local Government in Pakistan	Major Political Islam	Major International Political Economy
	Major Political Systems (Developing)	Major Comparative Politics and Development-I	Major Research Methodology	Major Politics of South Asia
	Major Muslim Political Philosophy-II	Major Political Economy of Pakistan	Major Political Parties and Interest Groups	Major Politics of Environment
	Allied (SOC-444) Gender Studies	Allied (SOC-563) Population Studies	Major Politics of Human Rights	
	Major Governance in Pakistan: Problems, Issues and Strategies	Major New Media and Politics	6-8 Weeks Internship or PLL	Capstone Project
Credits	**18**	**18**	**18**	**15**
Total Credit Hours				**135**

Students shall opt for internship during 7th semester

Associate Degree-Political Science

Semester-wise Courses

Illustrative Courses	Functional English (English-I)	Ideology and Constitution of Pakistan	Social Science Introduction to Law	Quantitative Reasoning -02 (Introduction to Statistics)
	Quantitative Reasoning (Introduction to Mathematics)	Islamic Studies	Entrepreneurship	Foundational/Major Western Political Philosophy-I
	Natural Science (Everyday Science)	Arts & Humanities (Introduction to Pashto Language and Literature)	Expository Writing (English-II)	Foundational/Major Political System Developed (UK, USA)
	Application of Communication and Information Technologies	Foundational/Major Introduction to Political Science-II	Civic and Community Engagement	Foundational/Major Muslim Political Philosophy-I
	Foundational/Major Introduction to Political Science-I	Foundational/Major History of IR		Foundational/Major Public Administration
		Allied Introduction to Economics	Foundational/Major Introduction to Political Science-III	
	Foundational/Major		Foundational/Major	Allied (SOC-443) Pakistani Society and Culture)

	Introduction to International Relations		Freedom Movement in Indo-Pakistan	
Credits	**18**	**15**	**15**	**18**
Total 66				