For IS3D Students Interested in Political Science as a Department

Pre-approved lower division classes (choose 6 units):

101, 102, 103, 104, 201

Upper division classes (choose 9-18 units):

You’re welcome to choose any upper-division Political Science courses numbered 300-596, with the exception of 390W.

All upper-division Political Science courses are pre-approved with the exception of the following: 450, 495, 497A, 497B, 498, 499, and all 500-level courses. If you would like to add any of these courses to your plan, please contact the Political Science advisor at psadvice@sdsu.edu

If you’d like any advice about the upper-division courses that make the most sense for your interests, please contact the Political Science advisor at psadvice@sdsu.edu

Some IS3D students choose to focus on a particular subfield of Political Science, such as political theory, American politics, comparative politics, or international politics. Other students choose classes that are connected thematically, such as courses about “democracy” or “law.”