Some courses within this program may require additional coursework that must be completed prior to enrollment in these courses. Please consult the individual course listings for prerequisites and any other limitations on enrollment.
THIRD SEMESTER
MATH 252  Analytic Geometry and Calculus III  4
PHYS 272  Principles of Physics II  3
PHYS 273  Principles of Physics II  1

FOURTH SEMESTER
PHYS 274  Principles of Physics III  3
PHYS 275  Principles of Physics III  1

Total units  30

To earn an associate degree, additional general education and graduation requirements must be completed. See page 64.

* Students planning to transfer to a four-year college or university should complete courses specific to the transfer institution of choice. University requirements vary from institution to institution and are subject to change. Therefore, it is important to verify transfer major preparation and general education requirements through consultation with a counselor in either the Counseling Center or Transfer Center. See catalog TRANSFER COURSES INFORMATION section on page 45 for further information.

POLITICAL SCIENCE

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GENERAL DESCRIPTION
Political science is the study of the theory and practice of government. Prelaw is the preparation for the study of application of law within the juridical system of government. Public administration is the study of the implementation practices of the governmental agencies and legal bodies. These three departments are closely related through the common interests of the people and in service of the populace either at the local, state, or national level. These departments explore social behavior, customs, rules, and practices within the context of the self-defined common good of the community and the willingness of the members of the community to delegate authority under proscribed conditions to individuals, groups, and agencies.