REGENT UNIVERSITY

COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES
Bachelor of Arts in Government

Spring and Summer 2026 Approved Degree Worksheet

GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES (33-34 CREDITS)

Biblical Worldview: All Required

- ☐ GENE 100 The Making of a Christian Mind (3)
- ☐ GENE 402 The Making of a Christian Leader (3)

Communication: 6 credits

- ☐ COMM 110 Public Speaking (3) Campus Only[1]
- ☐ UNIV 100 Regent Foundations of Success (3)[2]
- ☐ ENGL 101 English Composition (3)

Critical Thinking & Moral Reasoning: 6 credits

- ☐ ENGL 102 Research and Academic Writing (3)
- ☐ GENE 250 The Making of the Christian Life (3)

Cultural Foundations - Literature: 3 credits

- ☐ ENGL 205 Literature of the Western World (3)

Cultural Foundations - Economics: 3 credits

- ☐ ECON 101 Introduction to Economics (3)
- ☐ ECON 120 Microeconomics (3)

Cultural Foundations - U.S. History or Government: 3 credits

- ☐ HIST 201 U.S. History I (to 1877) (3)
- ☐ HIST 202 U.S. History II (from 1877) (3)
- ☐ GOVT 201 The American Republic (3)

Quantitative & Scientific Literacy - Natural Science: 3-4 credits

- ☐ BIOL 101 Introduction to Biology with Laboratory (4)
- ☐ BIOL 121 General Biology I (4)
- ☐ BIOL 201 Intro to Earth Science w/Lab (4) Online only
- ☐ EASC 101 Human Anatomy and Physiology I (4)
- ☐ CHEM 100 Introduction to Chemistry (3)
- ☐ BIOL 240 Ecology (3)
- ☐ PHYS 101 Physics for Future Leaders (3)
- ☐ PHYS 221 University Physics I (4)

Quantitative & Scientific Literacy - Math: 3-4 credits

- ☐ MATH 201 Statistics (3)*

* MATH 201 is required for this major.

[1]COMM 110 must be taken by on campus students

[2]UNIV 100 must be taken by online students

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS CONTINUED

General Elective Courses: Select (38 credits)

*select any 100-400 level Course

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On Campus Only (15 credits)

On campus students must complete an additional 15 credits in one of the areas below. Honors courses are only available to Honors College Students.

Christianity & Culture

- ☐ BIBL 105 Introduction to the Bible (3)
- ☐ BIBL 106 Christian Doctrine (3)
- ☐ GENE 150 The Good, True, & Beautiful (3)
- ☐ HIST 207 Western Civilization I (3)
- ☐ HIST 208 Western Civilization II (3)

Honors College

- ☐ HONS 150 The Good Person (3)
- ☐ HONS 200 The Great Family (3)
- ☐ HONS 250 The Just Society (3)
- ☐ HONS 300 The Exceptional Country (3)
- ☐ HONS 350 The Flourishing World (3)

Please see next page for major requirements

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (48 CREDITS)

Government Core Requirements (30 credits) All Required

- ☐ GOVT 196 Introduction to the Study of Government (3)*
- ☐ GOVT 204 International Relations (3)
- ☐ GOVT 220 Comparative Politics (3)
- ☐ GOVT 240 American Government and Politics I (3)
- ☐ GOVT 245 American Government and Politics II (3)
- ☐ GOVT 327 Ancient Political Philosophy (3)
- ☐ GOVT 329 Modern Political Philosophy (3)
- ☐ GOVT 330 Political Ideologies (3)
- ☐ GOVT 457 Research Methods (3)
- ☐ GOVT 493 Senior Seminar in Government (3)

Electives for the BA in Government (6 credits)

- ☐ GOVT 368 Moot Court (2)
- ☐ GOVT 432 The American Political Tradition (3)
- ☐ GOVT 434 Christian Political Philosophy (3)

Students not doing a concentration must complete twelve (12) additional major electives in lieue of a concentration.

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Students may choose one (1) of three (3) major concentrations. Students not doing a concentration must take eighteen (18) credits of government electiv

☐ **American Govt. & Politics Concentration (12 credits)**

☐ *Choose four (4) of the following six (6) courses:*

- ☐ GOVT 300 The Legislative Process (3)
- ☐ GOVT 301 The American Presidency (3)
- ☐ GOVT 302 The American Judicial System (3)
- ☐ GOVT 303 State and Local Government (3)
- ☐ GOVT 311 Public Policy (3)
- ☐ GOVT 360 Religion and Politics (3)

Pre-Law Concentration (12 credits)

- ☐ COMM 255 Persuasive Communication (3)
- ☐ GOVT 302 The American Judicial System (3)
- ☐ GOVT 382 Constitutional Law (3)
- ☐ ENGL 308 Business and Professional Writing (3)

☐ **International Relations & Foreign Policy Concentration (12 credi**

- ☐ GOVT 305 Contemporary Global Problems (3)
- ☐ GOVT 340 American Foreign Policy (3)
- ☐ GOVT 360 Religion and Politics (3)

Choose one (1) of the seven (7) courses below to complete the International Relations & Foreign Policy conc.

- ☐ CRJU 380 Domestic and International Terrorism (3)
- ☐ ECON 380 International Economics (3)
- ☐ GOVT 290 Political Economy (3)
- ☐ HIST 358 History of the British Empire (3)
- ☐ HIST 369 Modern European History, 1815 - Present (3)
- ☐ HIST 374 Hist. Totalitarianism & Authoritarianism in 20th Cen
- ☐ HIST 394 History of the Cold War (3)

General Notes

- Check Degree Works or the Catalog for course pre-requisite information.
- Minimum C- grade for major coursework required
- 50% of major requirements must be taken at Regent University
- A minimum cumulative 2.0 GPA is required to maintain good academic standing.
- Some majors also require a minimum grade in all major courses.
- As a general rule, 100 and 200 level courses should be taken prior to upper level (300 and 400) level courses.
- A minimum of 120 credits is required.
- A minor may be completed in place of a portion of the general electives. Students must still earn 120 credits total.
- Honors & on campus students will have 15 less general elective credits due to taking the C&C minor or Honors courses.

Major Related Notes

- The Government major is offered on campus and online.
- Students majoring in Government (B.A.) must complete MATH 201.
- GOVT 196 *Intro. to the Study of Govt.* is a prerequisite for three required major courses: GOVT 327, GOVT 329, GOVT 330
- GOVT 457 requires senior standing and a prerequisite of MATH 201.
- GOVT 493 requires senior standing and a prerequisite of GOVT 457.

All official degree information is found in Degree Works and the Undergraduate Catalog

Degree Works (for Active Degree seeking students only)

Course Planning Tool (Active students only)

Academic Catalogs

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