MISSOURI WESTERN STATE UNIVERSITY

Major Declaration Form

Student Name__________________________________________________________
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All students should seek the advice of an MWSU advisor. The student is responsible for knowing the regulations and policies in the current University Catalog and Student Handbook and for meeting the requirements for a degree or certificate.

Advisor _____________________________ Department __________

SIGNATURES REQUIRED:
Student___________________________________ Date __________
Advisor___________________________________ Date __________
Chairperson_______________________________ Date __________
Registrar _________________________________ Date __________

Transfer students using the CORE 42 general education curriculum should access requirements and courses that count through Griffon GPS or at https://main.missouriwestern.edu/registrar/core42.

PREPARATORY COURSES
MAT083____   ENG100____   RDG095____

GENERAL STUDIES (42-47 credits)

CATEGORY ONE: BASIC SKILLS (12-14 credits)
1. MAT110 or MAT110E or MAT111 or MAT111E or MAT112 or MAT116 or MAT147 or MAT165 or MAT167
Grade 3/4/5
2. ENG104 and 108 or ENG112
Grade 6
3. COM104
Grade 3

CATEGORY TWO: NATURAL SCIENCES (8-10 credits)
Minimum of 8 credits with lab from two of the following groups.
1. BIO101 or 105
Grade 4
2. CHE101(4) or 104(5) or 111(5)
Grade 4/5
3. ESC111
Grade 4
4. PHY101(4) or 107(4) or 110(4) or 210(5)
Grade 4/5
5. PHY104
Grade 4
6. GEO160
Grade 4

CATEGORY THREE: SOCIAL SCIENCES (9 credits)
Minimum of 9 credits with at least one course from each of the following two groups.
1. ECO101 or 260 or 261 or GEO100 or PSY101 or SOC110 or 120
Grade 3
2. HIS140 or 150 or PSC101
Grade 3
3. Additional course from group 1 or 2
Grade 3

CATEGORY FOUR: HUMANITIES (9 credits)
One course each from three of the following four groups.
1. HIS200 or 210 or 230 or HUM203 or 204 or 205
Grade 3
2. ENG210 or 220 or PHL210 or 230 or 231 or 232 or REL250 or 251 or 252
Grade 3
3. ART100 or MUS101 or THR113
Grade 3
4. Any 3-credit hour 100-level or higher foreign language course
Grade 3

CATEGORY FIVE: PHYSICAL HEALTH (4 credits)
1. PED101
Grade 3
2. One approved physical activity course
Grade 1-2

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Course ID   Grade
1. LAS Writing Intensive
2. LAS Computer Literacy
3. LAS Ethics
4. LAS International/Intercultural

Degree/Program: B.A. – Political Science
Major: Political Science
Catalog Year: 2019-2020 Expires: 2025-2026

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS
--- Earn a minimum of 120 credit hours, including 60 from a senior college (100 level and higher, maximum of 6 CED credit hours applicable).
--- Earn a minimum of 30 credit hours in upper division courses. Lower division transfer courses accepted as meeting upper division departmental course requirements cannot be used to fulfill this requirement.
--- Earn 30 of the last 45 credit hours at MWSU in institutional course work (exclusive of credit by examination).
--- Participate in required departmental and campus wide assessments.
--- Earn an overall GPA of at least 2.0 and a major GPA of at least 2.0.
--- Earn 12 credit hours in one foreign language.
--- Fulfill the Missouri Constitution requirement.
--- Successfully pass the Missouri Higher Education Civics Achievement exam.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (48-57 Credits)

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Any SOC course 300 or higher

Foreign language requirement:

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TOTAL 12

TR beside grade denotes that transfer work fulfills course requirements.

Students must earn a grade of C or higher in all PSC courses required in the major.

This form is not official until signed by the Registrar.