POLITICAL SCIENCE (B.A.)

The Political Science major provides students with an understanding of politics and government as practiced in the United States and throughout the world, a knowledge of global political relationships, opportunities to develop skills that are useful both in the course of participating first-hand in politics and in the rigorous analysis and communication of complex information, familiarity with methods used in the study of political science, and preparation for professional careers in law, government, international affairs, and the teaching of politics and the social sciences.

Students pursuing the major in Political Science must have a GPA of 2.0 or higher in the major in order to graduate.

Our program assumes responsibility for the general education of KSC students, work in the Political Science major will contribute to all eight broad categories of skill that the Integrative Studies Program has identified as potential emphases of courses that participate in the program: reading; writing; information literacy; ethical reasoning; critical thinking; creative thinking; critical dialogue; technological fluency; and quantitative reasoning.