

Governance Pathway

Government and Public Administration Career Cluster

This Program of Study plan should serve as a guide in the development of secondary and post-secondary course planning for students. Courses listed within this plan are only recommended and are indicative of the courses needed to complete a Program of Study. The following items need to be considered:

- Courses in the arts and humanities are valued by post-secondary institutions for their cognitive benefits and in communicating and expressing the ideas and emotions of the human spirit.
- Post-secondary institutions have varying course requirements for admission including World Languages.

Grade	English	Math	Science	Social Studies	Other Required Courses	Pathway Electives Recommended	Credit Review	
	Required Credits	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.0	Recommended Sequence for Pathway (<i>may adjust yearly as needed</i>) [Minimum– 8.5 elective credits needed for graduation]	Grade
Grade 9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English 9 (1.0) -OR- • Enriched English 9 (1.0) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Algebra I (1.0) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Earth Science (0.5) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • US History (0.5) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Level 1 Physical Education (0.5) • Health 9 (0.5) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • World Language Level I (1.0) • Microsoft Office Suite (TC) (0.5) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9-12 • 9-12 	4.0 Required 2.0 Elective 6.0 Total
Grade 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English 10 (1.0) -OR- • Enriched English 10 (1.0) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Geometry (1.0) -OR- • Enriched Geometry (1.0) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biology (1.0) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • World Studies (1.0) -OR- • AP European Studies (1.0) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Level II Physical Education (0.5) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • World Language Level II (1.0) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9-12 	4.5 Required 1.5 Elective 6.0 Total
Grade 11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English 11 (1.0) -OR- • AP Language & Composition (1.0) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Algebra II & Trigonometry (1.0) -OR- • Enriched Algebra II/Trigonometry (1.0) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any course that satisfies the Physical Science graduation requirement 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Government (0.5) - <i>fall</i> • AP United States Government and Politics (0.5) - <i>spring</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Level III Physical Education (0.5) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • World Language Level III (1.0) • Marketing I (TC) (1.0) • Entrepreneurship (TC) (0.5) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10-12 • 11-12 • 9-12 	4.0 Required 2.0 Elective 6.0 Total
Grade 12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English 12 (1.0) -OR- • AP Literature & Composition (1.0) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See post-secondary education institution for math requirements 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See post-secondary education institution for science requirements 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AP Psychology (1.0) -OR- • Psychology (0.5) -OR- • Sociology/Social Issues (0.5) • Economics (0.5) - <i>fall</i> • AP Economics (0.5) - <i>spring</i> 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Personal Law (0.5) • Preparation for College and Business Communications (1.0) • Personal Finance (TC) (0.5) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 11-12 • 11-12 • 10-12 	2.5 Required 3.0 Elective 5.5 Total
Course Code Key (see course catalog for further details) AP Advanced Placement AS Advanced Standing (Chippewa Valley Technical College) TC Transcribed Credit (Chippewa Valley Technical College) YO Youth Options (0.5) Course is worth 0.5 credit (0.75) Course is worth 0.75 credit (1.0) Course is worth 1.0 credit			28 Credits Possible Credits Required Grades 9-12 15.0 Minimum Electives..... 8.5 Credits for Graduation.....23.5		Other Related Courses and Activities (curricular, co-curricular, and extra-curricular) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AP Statistics (1.0) • Digital Applications (0.5) • Financial Fitness (0.5) • History of Philosophy A (0.5) • History of Philosophy B (0.5) • Marketing II (TC) (1.0) • World Language Level IV-V (1.0 each) • Yearbook I (1.0) • FBLA, FFA, DECA, FCCLA, Skills USA • Forensics • Student Council • Youth In Government (YMCA) • Other co-curricular and/or community activities that provide leadership opportunities 			

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Advisement provided through Student Services office and post-secondary transfer credits determined by college admissions counselors.

Postsecondary credit transfer information also available at <http://www.uwsa.edu/tis>

Please visit the web site of institutions listed below for any program updates.

Post-Secondary Options	Baccalaureate Degree		Associate Degree Programs		Certificate/License
	<p><u>University of Wisconsin – Eau Claire</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Economics • Management • Political Science 	<p><u>University of Wisconsin - Madison</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Economics • Law (graduate degree) • Management and Human Resources • Political Science <p><u>University of Minnesota – Twin Cities</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Economics • Law (graduate degree) • Political Science • Public/Nonprofit Management • Urban Studies • Urban and Regional Planning (graduate degree) 	<p><u>Chippewa Valley Technical College</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Business Management • Paralegal 		
	<p>Adult Apprenticeship, On-the-Job Training or Other</p>		<p>Employment Options</p>		
		<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Careers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assistant, Deputy, or Chief of Staff • Attorney • Cabinet Level Secretary • City Council • Commissioner (County, City) • Commissioner (State Agency) • County Board • Congressional Aide • Governor • Legislative Aide • Legislative Assistant • Lieutenant Governor • Lobbyist • Mayor 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Policy Advisor • Public Health Policy • Public Relations/Media Communications • President • Representative (Fed/State) • School Board • Senator (Fed/State) • Vice President 	