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**Bachelor of General Studies – Political Leadership and Public Service Plan File (PPF)  
Category I**

 <b>Degree Requirement</b>	<b>Required Semester Credits</b>	<b>CCAF Transfer Credits</b>	<b>Course Credits to take at Institution</b>
<b>Concentration</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>21</b>
POLS 320 Introduction to Law	3		3
POLS 665 Interest Groups and Lobbying	3		3
Choose One: PHIL 201 Political Philosophy POLS 621 American Civil Liberties POLS 650 History of Political Theory POLS 651 Recent Political Theories POLS 653 American Political Thought	3		3
LDRS 300 Introduction to Leadership Concepts	3		3
LDRS 302 Introduction to Leadership Behavior	3		3
LDRS 310 Fieldwork in Leadership Studies	3		3
LDRS 640 Civic Leadership	3		3
<b>General Education</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>19</b>
ENG 101 English Composition I	3	3	
ENG 102 English Composition II	3		3
COMM 100 Fundamentals of Oral Communication <b>OR</b> COMM 304 Intermediate Interpersonal Communication	3		3
MATH 101 Contemporary Mathematics <b>OR</b> MATH 105 College Algebra w/ Review <b>OR</b> MATH 110 College Algebra <b>OR</b> MATH 122 Plane Trigonometry <b>OR</b> MATH 130 Pre-Calculus Mathematics <b>OR</b> MATH 234 Analytic Geometry & Calculus I <b>OR</b> MATH 250 Elements of Statistics <b>OR</b> MATH 331 Calculus Methods	3		3
Arts & Humanities	6	6	
Natural & Physical Sciences	4	3	1



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Social & Behavioral Science	6	3	3
<b>Institutionally Designated Area</b>	<b>6</b>		<b>6</b>
PHIL 100 Critical Thinking	3		3
FIN 205 Principles of Personal Finance OR GSCI 240 Intro to Geographic Information Systems OR HHP 200 Personal Wellness OR INF 101 Intro to Computer Information Systems OR MIL 302 Holistic Health and Wellness	3		3
<b>Additional BGS Required Courses</b>	<b>6</b>		<b>6</b>
UNIV 301 Information Literacy	3		3
UNIV 402 Upper Level Writing	3		3
<b>Free Electives</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>Total Credits Required Bachelor of ---- Degree</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>60</b>

- A minimum of 80 hours coursework in the liberal arts and sciences areas: ART, BIO, CHEM, COMM, ECON, ENG, GSCI, HIST, INT, IDS, CRJ, LDRS, MATH, MLNG, MUS, PHIL, PHYS, POLS, PSY, SOC
- A maximum of 40 hours from one department.
- A minimum GPA of 2.0
- A minimum of 45 hours upper division coursework.
- A minimum of 60 hours from a 4-year school.
- A minimum of 30 hours from Fort Hays State University.