

**HOUSTON BAPTIST UNIVERSITY DEGREE PROGRAM PLAN ^**  
**BACHELOR OF ARTS (BA)**  
**GOVERNMENT MAJOR**

CATALOG YEAR: 2018/2019

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**LIBERAL ARTS CORE REQUIREMENTS:**

“\*” Indicates course must be completed with a “C” or higher

COURSES	Hours	COURSES	Hours
*ENGL 1313 Composition and Literature I	3	*MATH 1305 Math for Critical Thinking or <u>higher</u>	3
*ENGL 1323 Composition and Literature II	3	GOVT 2313 American and Texas Government	3
ENGL 2315 or 2325 Great Works of Literature I or II	3	HIST 2311 Western Civilization I	3
PSYC 1313 General Psychology	3	HISTORY: Choose 1 from HIST 2312, HIST 2313 or HIST 2323	3
PHIL 1313 Introduction to Philosophy	3	ART 2343 Art Appreciation or MUSI 1331 Music Appreciation	3
Natural Science & Lab	4	COMM 1323 Rhetoric and Public Speaking	3
CHRI 1301 Introduction to the Bible	3		
CHRI 2373 Christian Theology and Tradition	3	<b>TOTAL HOURS IN LIBERAL ARTS CORE</b>	<b>43</b>

Students transferring to Houston Baptist University with 45 hours or more of transferable college credit are only required to take CHRI 1314, Introduction to the Christian Faith, to meet their Liberal Arts Core Curriculum Christianity requirements.

**SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES CORE:**

COURSE NO.	COURSE NAME	HOURS
ENGL 2315/2325	Take remaining course not taken in core curriculum	3
HIST 2312/2313/2323	Take remaining two courses not taken in core curriculum	6
One Foreign Language	6 hours of one foreign language	6
	<b>Total School of Humanities Core Hours</b>	<b>15</b>

**MAJOR REQUIREMENTS: All courses within major must be completed with a “C” or higher.**

COURSE NO.	COURSE NAME	HOURS
GOVT 2334	American and Texas Government II : Campaigns, Elections and Political Behavior	3
GOVT 2360	Understanding Politics	3
GOVT 3348	American Political Thought	3
	21 Hours (7 classes) of upper level GOVT classes with the option to take 6 of those hours (2 classes) from upper level History, Communications or Sociology classes, as approved by advisor.	21
	<b>Total Hours in Major</b>	<b>45</b>
	<b>Elective Hours Required</b>	<b>37</b>
	<b>TOTAL HOURS IN DEGREE</b>	<b>125</b>

^ Students may obtain the official degree plan from their academic advisor.