PHILOSOPHY, POLITICS AND ECONOMICS: CHOICE & BEHAVIOR, BA

Philosophy, Politics and Economics allows undergraduates to study a variety of comprehensive analytical frameworks that have been developed to understand and justify political and economic structures, particularly constitutional democracy and the market system. The program prepares its graduates for careers in public policy, public services, business, and law among others.

The minimum total course units (https://www.college.upenn.edu/credits-needed-major/) for graduation in this major is 36. Double majors may entail more course units.

For more information: https://ppe.sas.upenn.edu/

For information about the General Education requirements, please visit the College of Arts & Sciences Curriculum (https://www.college.upenn.edu/curriculum/) page.

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**Political Science Foundation**

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**Economics Foundation:**

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**Common Core**

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**Choice & Behavior Theme**

Select 5 courses in any theme

For a description of each theme, including sample concentrations and courses, visit: https://ppe.sas.upenn.edu/study/curriculum/thematic-concentrations/

**Capstone Seminar**

PPE’s Capstone requirement may be filled by any course listed between PPE 470 and PPE 490. Select one of the following:

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**Total Course Units** 36
You may count no more than one course toward both a Major and a Sector requirement. For Exceptions, check the Policy Statement (http://www.college.upenn.edu/sectors-policy/).

Honors
Applicants must have a minimum GPA of 3.6 in the major.

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The degree and major requirements displayed are intended as a guide for students entering in the Fall of 2021 and later. Students should consult with their academic program regarding final certifications and requirements for graduation.