Training in political science is not only designed to prepare you for a specific job, but to give you knowledge that you can use in almost every field.

Whether you think taxes are too high, are concerned about the future of the country, or disagree with the actions of a politician, everyone has an opinion about American politics.

An education in political science is essential, whether or not you are interested in pursuing a career in the field. In order to be an effective citizen, you need to understand the nature of the United States government. In fact, a fair amount of political knowledge is indispensable for those who hope to play leading roles in any sector of society.

Political science majors generally pursue a career in one of the following areas:
- Law
- Federal government
- State government
- Interest groups
- International organizations
- Business
- Personnel management
- Campaign management
- Journalism
- Education
- Civil service

Citrus College's instructors will teach you the origins and functions of the United States government. You will also learn political theories and ideologies, the nature of the state and the nature of foreign policy. In class, you will discuss major political issues of the day and their relationship to institutions of American government.

• Transferable
  Transfer requirements vary from college to college. See a counselor to set or review an educational plan.
• Associate in Arts degree in Social and Behavioral Sciences
• Day Classes
• Evening Classes
• Assessment test required for associate degree, certificate of achievement and transfer students.
• Financial aid is available to qualified students. Complete and submit FAFSA to determine your eligibility.
College Admission
Admission to Citrus College is open to high school graduates and any person 18 years of age or over.

To enroll, submit an application for admission online at: https://wingspan.citruscollege.edu

New students enrolled in five or more units and planning to earn an associate degree, a certificate of achievement, or a skill award must take an English and math skills assessment. In addition, new students who plan to enroll in English, mathematics or reading classes must participate in the skills assessment process.

Concurrent Enrollment for High School Students
Some programs and classes are available to current junior and senior high school students. Interested students should contact their high school counselor or the college’s Admissions and Records Office.

Associate Degree
For an associate degree, a student must complete 60 degree-applicable units of work and fulfill specific general education requirements, including electives and physical education. A cumulative grade-point average of 2.0 (“C”) or above is required.

For detailed information, refer to the college catalog or consult a counselor.

Transfer Requirements
Transfer requirements can be integrated with the associate degree option so that you may receive a degree at the time of transfer. See a counselor for specific requirements for your major. Course requirements may vary among colleges.

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