

Cedar Crest College's Four-Year Graduation (4YG) Guarantee is open to all academically qualified candidates enrolled full-time in a 4year bachelor's degree program, with the exception of Nuclear Medicine Technology. It does not apply to dual degree, fifth-year, or graduate programs. Provided students comply with all of the conditions of the program, Cedar Crest College will guarantee graduation within four years. The guarantee extends to one major only. While many students add additional majors and minors and finish within four years, Cedar Crest will not be able to provide four year guarantee in those cases.

<u>Conditions</u>

By signing below, _______ is enrolled in the 4YG program for the Political Science major under the 2015 catalog requirements and agrees to

- assume ultimate responsibility for monitoring academic progress and the completion of all academic requirements;
- enroll at Cedar Crest for four continuous academic years;
- remain in good academic standing;
- complete an average of 30 new credits in each academic year. Courses must be selected in consultation with her academic advisor and 4YG coordinator and must apply to the recommended course sequence on page 2;
- maintain the GPA requirements of the Political Science major and Liberal Arts Curriculum;
- meet regularly with her assigned academic advisor and 4YG coordinator following the schedule outlined below;
- resolve all outstanding holds that would prevent registration prior to the start of registration for each semester;
- register for classes each semester on the date appropriate for class standing as set forth by the Registrar;
- be responsive to communication from Cedar Crest College, including advisors and the 4YG coordinator;
- officially declare an Political Science major by the completion of 30 credits. If a change of major is requested after 30 credits, the ability to sign a new 4YG contract is not guaranteed.
- complete all other Political Science major requirements

The 4YG does not guarantee that courses will be offered at a particular time or on particular days, nor can it assure graduation in four years if accreditation agencies require immediate curricular changes. This agreement pertains only to the catalog specified; if major requirements change and the student elects to follow the newer requirements, this contract is void.

If a student meets all of the degree/program requirements but cannot graduate in four years because a course or courses are not available, the student will meet with her advisor as soon as the problem is discovered to discuss options for completion. These options could include a course substitution, an independent study, or permission to enroll in the course in a subsequent semester at no tuition cost to the student.

Required Meeting Schedule:

	Semester 1	Semester 2	Semester 3	Semester 4
Beginning of Semester	Advisor 4YG Coordinator	Advisor 4YG Coordinator	Advisor 4YG Coordinator	Advisor 4YG Coordinator
Prior to registration	Advisor 4YG Coordinator	Advisor 4YG Coordinator	Advisor 4YG Coordinator	Advisor 4YG Coordinator
	Semester 5	Semester 6	Semester 7	Semester 8
Beginning of Semester	Advisor 4YG Coordinator	Semester 6 Advisor 4YG Coordinator	Semester 7 Advisor 4YG Coordinator	Semester 8 Advisor 4YG Coordinator

I agree to the stipulations set forth in this agreement.

Student Signature

Date

ID Number

Entry Term

Advisor Signature

4YG Coordinator Signature

Date



POLITICAL SCIENCE (AMERICAN GOVERNMENT) Recommended Course Sequence 2015-2016 Catalog

FALL 2015 SPRING 2			016				
Course	Cr	Title	√	Course	Cr	Title	\checkmark
	3	PSC 211 New Global Economy or elective***		PSC 120	3	Introduction to International Relations	
	3	LAC Art course			3	Concentration elective	
	3	Humanities LAC course		WRI 100	3	College Writing	
FYS	3	First Year Seminar			3	LAC Art course	
SPS 120	0.5	College Life		SPS 160	0.5	Exploring Your Future	
	3	elective***			3	elective***	

FALL 2016				SPRING 2	SPRING 2017			
Course	Cr	Title	\checkmark	Course	Cr	Title	 ✓ 	
PSC 110	3	American Politics		HIS 122	3	Survey of US History II		
HIS 121	3	Survey of American History I			3	Concentration elective*		
	3	Concentration elective* or elective***			3	Concentration elective*		
	3	Mathematics and Logic LAC course			3	Concentration elective* or elective***		
ETL 235	3	Ethical Life			3	Mathematics and Logic LAC course		

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FALL 2017				SPRING	SPRING 2018			
Course	Cr	Title	✓	Course	Cr	Title		
	3	Concentration elective*		PSC 250	3	Modern Political Thought		
	3	Concentration elective or elective***			3	ECO 222 Economic Geography or elective***		
	4	Science LAC course with lab			3	Social Science LAC course		
	3	elective***			3	Science LAC course		
	3	elective***			3	Concentration elective or elective***		
FALL 20	18			SPRING	2019			
Course	Cr	Title	\checkmark	Course	Cr	Title		
THS 105	2	Public Speaking			2	elective***		

THS 105	3	Public Speaking		 3	elective***	
	3	elective***		 3	elective***	
	3	elective***		 3	elective***	
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 \ast Choose 5 courses from: PSC 210, 202 or 207, 312; HIS/PSC 224; CRJ 101

*** Electives must be included to ensure that the overall total number of credits reaches the 120 credits needed to complete a degree. Liberal Arts Curriculum (LAC) for Political Science majors

Natural Science: One must be a lab-based course	Writing: 6 cr.
1. 2	1. WRI 100 2. PSC 250
Arts: 6 cr. total, one must be a 3 cr. course*	Humanities: 6 cr. total from two disciplines*
1. 2.	1. HIS 121 2
Mathematics & Logic: 6 cr total, one mathematics course	Social Science: 6 cr. total from two disciplines*
1. 2	1. PSC 202 or 207 2
Ethics: 3 cr.	Global Studies: 3 cr.
1. ETL 235	1. PSC 120
Technology:	Information Literacy:
1. PSC 110	1. HIS 122
Oral Presentation:	* The A dissiplines used to fulfill the Universities and Casial Calence
1. THS 105	* The 4 disciplines used to fulfill the Humanities and Social Science requirements cannot be used to fulfill the Arts requirement.