

6/13/2023 DATE

☒ REQUIRED COURSE  
☐ ELECTIVE COURSE

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# Lake Land College

## Course Information Form

COURSE NUMBER:	POS-160	TITLE: (30 Characters Max)		American National Government						
SEM CR HRS:	3	Lecture:	3	Lab:	0	SOE/ Internship:	0	ECH:	3	
Course Level:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gen Ed / IAI <input type="checkbox"/> Baccalaureate /Non-IAI		<input type="checkbox"/> Career/Technical <input type="checkbox"/> Dev Ed/ Not in Degree Audit		Clinical Practicum:	0	SOE/ Internship:	0	SOE ECH:	0
COURSE PCS #	11 451001		IAI Code		SS 900		Contact Hours (Minutes Per Week)			
Repeatable (Y/N):	N	Pass/Fail (Y/N):	N	Variable Credit (Y/N):	Min:	Max:	16 Wks	150	8 wks	300
Prerequisites:										
Catalog Description: (40 Word Limit)	The fundamental principles of the American Government are summarized. Such topics as federalism, civil liberties, citizenship, parties and elections, the Presidency, Congress, Judiciary, and national policies and politics are discussed within the framework of the American Constitutional system.									

List the Major Course Segments (Units)	Contact Lecture Hours	Contact Lab Hours	Clinical Practicum	Non-Clinical Internship/ SOE
Constitutional Development	10			
Political Behavior	10			
Institutions	17			
Policy Development	8			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

EVALUATION				
QUIZZES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	EXAMS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	ORAL PRES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	PAPERS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
LAB WORK <input type="checkbox"/>	PROJECTS <input type="checkbox"/>	COMP FINAL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	OTHER <input type="checkbox"/>	

COURSE MATERIALS	
TITLE:	We the People
AUTHOR:	Patterson
PUBLISHER:	McGraw Hill
VOLUME/EDITION/URL:	10th
COPYRIGHT DATE:	2013

MAJOR COURSE SEGMENT	HOURS	LEARNING OUTCOMES
		<i>The student will be able to:</i>
Constitution		Student will demonstrate an understanding of major topics including, but not limited to, the following:
History & Fundamental Principles	1	gender equity, term limits, budget deficits, liberal/conservative.
Federalism Amendments and Developments	1	Students will be able to distinguish the historical origins of our government and understand the variables influencing change.
Civil Rights	4	
Civil Liberties	4	
Political Behavior		
Elections	1	
Political Parties	3	
Interest Groups	3	
Media	3	
Institutions		
Congress	5	
Presidency	6	
Bureaucracy	2	
Judiciary	4	
Policy Developments		
Economic & Domestic Policy	5	
Foreign Policy	3	
	<b>45</b>	

COURSE OUTCOMES*	At the successful completion of this course, students will be able to:
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Explain the major political issues in the United States</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Explain the impact and relevance of the U.S. Constitution on the modern day political issues</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Explain the development and shift of political parties in the United States</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Explain the development of the U.S. Constitution in relation to elections, Amendments, Court cases</li> </ul>

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*\* Course Outcomes will be used in the Assessment Software for Outcomes Assessment. Limit to 3 - 5.*