



SYLLABUS TEMPLATE

Course Number	PSCI 100
Course Name	The Political World
Credit Value (Breakdown of theory and lab credits)	3 Theory
Catalog Course Description	Introduces you to political science with emphasis on the evolution of political thought and the realities of politics today. (3, 3T+0S) Prerequisite of ENG 109N or an adequate score on the Course Placement Evaluation Meets New Mexico Lower Division General Education Core Curriculum Area V Social and Behavioral Sciences (NMCCN POLS 1113)
Student Learning Outcomes/Objectives /Competencies of the Course	By the end of the course, students will be able to: 1. Construct reasoned civil discourse to advocate a stance or examine alternate positions 2. Identify fundamental concepts and theories in political science. 3. Analyze data and information in order to gain a deeper understanding of the material 4. Articulate how the public influence and are influenced by politics. 5. Identify and compare government systems from democracy to authoritarian, as well as models of analysis of contemporary international relations
College-Wide Student Learning Outcomes	PSCI 110 learning objectives align with the following NNMC College Wide Goals: 1. Communication (SLOs 1, and 4) 2. Critical Thought (SLOs 2 and 3) 3. Information Literacy (SLOs 4 and 5) 4. Cultural Competence (SLO 5)