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Program Description

The Humanities & Social Sciences Department encompasses a number of academic disciplines: Anthropology, History, Honors, Humanities, Philosophy, Political Science, and Sociology. Some of the topics encompassed in this department include the following: the human condition; institutions of human society; individual relationships in and to human society; knowledge, values, and reason; ethics; the past; government; and politics.

The main focus of courses in the department is to help students fulfill General Education Social & Behavioral Sciences and Humanities / Literature requirements. However, there are also opportunities for

advanced study in many of these areas.

According to Utah law, every student who wishes to graduate with a bachelor's degree or with an associate of arts or science degree must complete an American Institutions course. Popular courses students use to fulfill that requirement are HIST 1700 American Civilization, POLS 1200 American Government, and ECON 1740 Economic History of the U.S.

Course Prefixes

- ANTH, HIST, HON, HUM, PHIL, POLS, SOC