Government Major Worksheet

The field of Government is divided into five subfields:
- American Politics (Intro. 3, Upper – Levels 30’s, Seminars 83’s)
- Comparative Politics (Intro. 4, Upper – levels 40’s, Seminars 84’s)
- International Relations (Intro. 5, Upper – levels 50’s, Seminars 85’s)
- Political Theory/Public Law (Intro. 6, Upper – levels 60’s, Seminars 86’s)
- Political Analysis (Upper – level courses 11-19)
- Courses that Cross Subfields (Upper – levels 20’s and Seminars 81’s)

Prerequisite:
Government 10, Economics 10, Math 10, or QSS 15 (circle one) Term
LING 10, PSYC 10, or SOCY 10 also may be substituted for Government 10 but these courses are not recommended for Government majors because they are not as closely aligned with the kind of quantitative research students will read and conduct in many upper-level Government classes.

In Addition to the prerequisite, 10 courses are required for the Government Major:

- 2 Introductory Courses:
  - Government 3 – The American Political System Term
  - Government 4 – Comparative Politics Term
  - Government 5 – International Politics Term
  - Government 6 – Political Ideas Term

- 2 Seminar Courses (One of which is the culminated experience):
  - Government 80 – Independent Study Term
  - Government 81 – Seminars that are in two or more subfields Term
  - Government 83 – Seminars in American Government Term
  - Government 84 – Seminars in Comparative Politics Term
  - Government 85 – Seminars in International Relations Term
  - Government 86 – Seminars in Political Theory and Law Term
  - Government 92 – Seminar taught by Dartmouth Government Faculty – London FSP Term
  - Government 94 – Seminar taught by Dartmouth Government Faculty – Washington, DC Term
  - Government 95 – Seminar taught by Dartmouth Government Faculty – Washington, DC Term
  - Government 97 – First of 3 required courses for the Honors Program Term

Apart from the 90 courses, you may take multiple sections with each of these numbers as long as they are unique courses.

- 6 Additional Courses at any level:
  - Government Term
  - Government Term
  - Government Term

For course descriptions, the most current course schedules and Honors Program requirements, please consult our website: www.govt.dartmouth.edu.