

**Academic discipline:
«Political science»**

Code and name of specialty	1-23 01 05 Sociology
Training course	1
Semester of training	1
Number of class hours:	8
Lectures	8
Seminar classes	-
Practical classes	-
Laboratory classes	-
Form of current assessment (credit/differential credit/exam)	credit
Number of credits	2
Competencies to be formed	Mastering the academic discipline « Political science » should ensure the formation of universal competencies: to know the fundamentals of research activities, to search, to analyze and to synthesize information; to possess a humanistic worldview, the qualities of citizenship and patriotism; to work in a team, tolerantly perceive social, ethnic, confessional, cultural and other differences.
Summary of the content of the academic discipline:	
« Political science » is a complex academic discipline that includes the following sections (disciplines): political science, the fundamentals of the ideology of the Belarusian state. The content of the academic discipline includes work in the following areas: the main political science categories, approaches to the analysis of political phenomena in the modern world and the Republic of Belarus; the specifics of the formation and functioning of the political system of the Republic of Belarus; essence, structure of political processes in the modern world and the Republic of Belarus; the main directions of the state policy of the Republic of Belarus; system of modern international political relations, foreign policy of the Republic of Belarus; the main categories of the theory of ideology; ideological fundamentals and features of the ideology of the Belarusian state; the role of the ideology of the Belarusian state in the development of modern society.	