PSC 211 · Summer 2019 at a Glance

**Please note:** Proctored exams must be taken in-person in the 365 Learning testing room. This is a suggested outline only. The instructor may change the topics or schedule as needed.

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| **Week 1:** May 27–June 2 | Introduction to the Course; Political Science and the Study of Comparative Politics | Drogus and Orvis  
• chapter 1  
Ostergard and Fisher  
• pages xiii–xvii  
• pages 1–8 and 17–23  
• chapter 2 | Discussion  
Quiz  
Syllabus Quiz |
| **Week 2:** June 3–9  | Concept of the State | Drogus and Orvis  
• chapter 2  
Ostergard and Fisher  
• chapter 3  
Course Reserves | Discussion  
Quiz |
| **Week 3:** June 10–16 | Citizens within States | Drogus and Orvis  
• chapter 3  
Ostergard and Fisher  
• chapter 4 (partial)  
Course Reserves | Discussion  
Quiz |
| **Week 4:** June 17–23 | Identity, Nationalism, Religion | Drogus and Orvis  
• chapter 4  
Course Reserves | Discussion  
Quiz  
Short Essay 1 |
| **Week 5:** June 24–30 | States and Markets | Drogus and Orvis  
• Pages 522–537  
Course Reserves | **Proctored Midcourse Exam**  
(Monday–Friday only)  
Discussion  
Quiz |
| **Week 6:** July 1–7 | Governing Institutions | Drogus and Orvis  
• chapter 5  
Course Reserves | Discussion  
Quiz |
| **Week 7:** July 8–14 | Political Participation | Drogus and Orvis  
• chapter 6 | Discussion  
Quiz |
| **Week 8:** July 15–21 | Authoritarian Institutions | Drogus and Orvis  
• chapter 8  
Course Reserves | Discussion  
Quiz  
Short Essay 2 |
| **Week 9:** July 22–28 | Types of Institutional/Regime Change | Drogus and Orvis  
• chapter 9  
Course Reserves | Online Chat |
| **Week 10:** July 29–August 4 | Global Economic Issues; Role of Values in Comparative Politics | Drogus and Orvis  
• Pages 537–580  
Course Reserves | Discussion  
Quiz |
| **Week 11:** August 5–9 |                              |                              | **Proctored Final Exam** |
