Associate in Science
Criminal Justice Program

To graduate in the Criminal Justice Program, a student must complete the following required course of study.

Course #	Course Title	Credits	Prerequisites	Semester Offered	Semester Taken	Grade Earned
First Semester						
CRJ101	Substantive Criminal Law	3	None	Fall		
CRJ105	Criminology, Theory & Practice	3	None	Fall, Spring		
CRJ125	Contemporary Policing	3	None	Fall, Spring		
ENL101	English Composition I	3	Appropriate scores in Reading Comprehension & in Sentence Skills on CPT or grade of C or better in ENL020 & ENL050 or ESL201	Fall, Spring, Summer		
	Mathematics/Quantitative Reasoning (or) Natural or Physical Science	3 (or) 4				
Second Semester						
CRJ102	Procedural Criminal Law	3	None	Spring		
CRJ116	Introduction to Corrections	3	None	Spring		
	Criminal Justice elective	3				
BIO105	Survey of Human Anatomy & Physiology	4	(MAT020 or MAT025), ENL020 & ENL050 or satisfactory basic skills assessment scores	Fall, Spring, Summer		
ENL102 (or) COM103	English Composition II (or) Human Communication	3	A grade of C- or higher in ENL101 (or) ENL010 or ESL102 or satisfactory basic skills assessment score	Fall, Spring, Summer		
Third Semester						
CRJ206	Principles of Investigation I	3	All Level I CRJ courses	Fall		
CRJ210	Ethical Issues in Criminal Justice	3	All Level I CRJ courses	Fall		
	Criminal Justice elective	3				
HIS104	U.S. History since 1865	3	None; ENL020 & ENL050 strongly recommended	Fall, Spring, Summer		
PSY101	General Psychology	3	ENL020 & ENL050 or satisfactory basic skills assessment score	Fall, Spring, Summer		
Fourth Semester						
CRJ207	Principles of Investigation II	3	CRJ206 & all Level I CRJ courses	Spring		
CRJ240	Selected Issues in Criminal Justice	3	All Level I CRJ courses	Spring		
CRJ261	Criminal Justice Cooperative Work Experience*	3	All Level I CRJ courses	Fall, Spring, Summer		
SOC106	Principles of Sociology	3	ENL020 & ENL050 or satisfactory basic skills assessment score	Fall, Spring, Summer		
	Elective	3				
Total Credits		**61/62**				

*CRJ261 Criminal Justice Cooperative Work Experience can be completed in the fall, spring, or summer semesters. Please refer to the policy statement of Criminal Offender Record information and Sex Offender Registry Information checks.

Criminal Justice Electives
CRJ130 Criminal Evidence
CRJ135 Terrorism
CRJ220 Crisis Intervention for Criminal Justice Professionals
CRJ221 Juvenile Justice

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Overview

Any student whose career plans include probation, corrections, or law enforcement requires not only a broad understanding of the criminal justice system, but also a fundamental knowledge of the social and behavioral sciences.

Career Outlook

The Criminal Justice program prepares students who intend to enter the fields of Law Enforcement, Corrections, or the Court System.

Program Outcomes

Upon completion of the Criminal Justice program, students are able to:

- Read, write, discuss, and think critically about topics and ideas in criminal justice.
- Analyze ethical issues in criminal justice.
- Apply ethical principles to the performance of roles and responsibilities in criminal justice careers.
- Synthesize information from the diversity literature in sociology, psychology, history, and criminal justice to determine sensitive and effective interactions with people encountered in criminal justice settings.
- Assume positions in a variety of criminal justice careers.
- Transfer to professional baccalaureate programs.