

CRIMINAL JUSTICE ASSOCIATE IN APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREE (JUS D390)

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The Associate in Applied Science in Criminal Justice prepares students for entry-level careers in the criminal justice system, including law enforcement, corrections, and related public safety fields. The program provides a comprehensive overview of the structure and function of the criminal justice system, with coursework that emphasizes applied learning in policing practices, corrections, criminal law, and community relations.

Students gain practical experience in report writing, problem-solving, and ethical decision-making, preparing them for careers in law enforcement agencies, correctional institutions, and private security. Emphasis is placed on ethical conduct, cultural awareness, and effective interaction with diverse populations.

Graduates are prepared for employment in local, state, and federal agencies, including positions such as police officer, correctional officer, probation assistant, and security specialist.

First Semester Credit Hours 16

ENG	1111	Composition I ¹	3
FYE	1198	College Success	1
JUS	1200	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
JUS	1210	Criminal Law I	3
PSY	1101	General Psychology ^{1*}	3
SPE	1111	Interpersonal Communications ¹	3

Second Semester Credit Hours 16

FYE	1199	Professional Career Development	1
JUS	1202	Introduction to Corrections	3
JUS	1205	Ethics for Law Enforcement	3
JUS	1211	Criminal Law II	3
JUS	2253	Probation and Parole	3
MTH	1201	Technical Mathematics ¹ OR College Level Math ¹	V3

Summer Semester Credit Hours 3

JUS	2200	Criminal Justice Internship	3
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Third Semester Credit Hours 15

JUS	1220	Youth and Administration of Justice	3
JUS	1221	Police Report Writing	3
JUS	2201	Criminal Investigations I	3
JUS	2240	Traffic Administration	3
PLS	2103	State and Local Government ¹	3

Fourth Semester Credit Hours 15

JUS	1230	Substance Abuse Issues	3
JUS	2202	Criminal Investigation II	3
JUS	2220	Police Organization & Operations	3
PEG	1137	First Aid & Safety Education	V3
PSY	2111	Abnormal Psychology	<u>3</u>

Total Credit Hours 65

¹General Education Hours (15)

*This course satisfies the IECC human diversity requirement.