# **CRIMINAL JUSTICE, A.A.S.**

### **Entry Time**

Fall, Spring, Summer

#### **Award**

Associate of Applied Science (4 terms)
Associate of Arts Liberal Arts (transfer degree)

This degree opens doors to a possible career in criminal justice including positions in law enforcement and corrections. Students enrolled in criminal justice may obtain a two-year Associate of Applied Science in Criminal Justice degree that will include both general education and criminal justice courses.

# **Career Opportunities**

- sheriff
- · police officer
- · highway patrol officer
- · corrections officer
- · probation officer

# **Degree Requirements**

Term 1		Credit Hours	
CRJ-100	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	
SOC-110 or SOC-115	Introduction to Sociology or Social Problems	3	
ENG-105	Composition I	3	
SPC-101 or SPC-112	Fundamentals of Oral Communication or Public Speaking	3	
Math Course (from approved list)		3	
	Term Totals:	15	
Term 2			
CRJ-101	Ethics in Criminal Justice	3	
WBL-109	Exploring Careers: Govt & CJ	1	
HSV-282	Health & Psychosocial Rehab	3	
SCI-120	Forensic Science	3	
PHI-105	Introduction to Ethics	3	
ENG-106 or ENG-108	Composition II or Composition II: Technical Writing	3	
	Term Totals:	16	
Term 3			
CRJ-111	Police and Society	3	
CRJ-141	Criminal Investigation	3	
CRJ-130	Criminal Law	3	
PSY-111	Intro to Psychology	3	
HSV-130	Interview/Interper Relation	3	

CRJ-120	Introduction to Corrections	3	
	Term Totals:	18	
Term 4			
CRJ-200	Criminology	3	
CRJ-316	Juvenile Justice	3	
CRJ-202	Cultural Competency for Criminal Justice Practitioners	3	
SOC-200	Minority Group Relations	3	
CRJ-133	Constitutional Criminal Proc	3	
	Term Totals:	15	
	Program Totals:	64	