

LANSING COMMUNITY COLLEGE

CURRICULUM GUIDE

Criminal Justice
Associate in Arts Degree

Curriculum Code: 0146 (Effective Fall 2011 – Summer 2016)

This degree is designed for students who intend to transfer to a four-year college or university to pursue a baccalaureate degree in this subject area. Students completing this curriculum will also satisfy the MACRAO Transfer Agreement between two-year and four-year institutions in Michigan. General education and subject area requirements vary from one college or university to another.

Prior to beginning this curriculum, students should contact the Academic Advising Department, Room 212, Gannon Building, telephone number (517) 483-1904, to consult with an academic advisor and obtain an appropriate transfer guide. They are also available on the web at www.lcc.edu/transfer/guides. Students should also contact the school to which they will transfer for specific transfer institution requirements. (See *Transfer Information* for a list of institutions for which transfer guides are available.)

PREREQUISITES

Students should see *Course Descriptions* or *Course Offerings* for course prerequisite information. See the *Assessment and Placement Testing* section for skills assessment and advising information.

INFORMATION

Contact the Public Service Careers Department, West Campus Building, Room M127, telephone number (517) 483-1570 (Website: www.lcc.edu/publicservice/) or the Academic Advising Department, Gannon Building, Room 212, telephone number (517) 483-1904.

REQUIREMENTS

| CODE | TITLE | TOTAL: 15 CREDITS CREDIT HOURS |
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| CJUS 101 | Intro to Criminal Justice | 3 |
| CJUS 102 | Crime Causes and Conditions | 3 |
| CJUS 103 | Criminal Law | 3 |
| CJUS 106 | Intro to Juvenile Justice | 3 |
| CJUS 131 | Introduction to Corrections | 3 |

LIMITED CHOICE REQUIREMENTS

TOTAL: 45-62 CREDITS

Complete the indicated number of credits from EACH CHOICE listed below.

CHOICE 1: General Education MACRAO Requirements

24 Credits

(See *Transfer Information/MACRAO Transfer Agreement* for approved courses in each area.)

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| English Composition (See Note 1) | 0 |
| Science and Mathematics (See Note 2) | 8 |
| Social Science (See Note 2) | 8 |
| Humanities (See Note 2) | 8 |

CHOICE 2: General Education Core Requirements **0–17 Credits**
 (See *General Education Core Requirements* for information on how to fulfill these requirements. Core area proficiency exams, where appropriate, are available for each core area. Meeting Core with a proficiency test may require additional MACRAO credits.)

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| Communication Core Area (See Note 2) | 0–4 |
| Global Perspectives and Diversity Core Area (See Note 2) | 0–4 |
| Mathematics Core Area (See Note 2) | 0–4 |
| Science Core Area (See Note 2) | 0–5 |
| Writing Core Area (See Note 1) | 0 |

CHOICE 3: Writing (Complete one course from each Subchoice) **8 Credits**

Subchoice 3A

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| WRIT 121 | Composition I | 4 |
| WRIT 131 | Honors Composition I | 4 |

Subchoice 3B

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| ENGL 122 | Writ About Literature & Ideas | 4 |
| ENGL 132 | Honors Writ–Literature & Ideas | 4 |
| WRIT 122 | Composition II | 4 |
| WRIT 132 | Honors Composition II | 4 |

CHOICE 4: Related Courses (See Note 3) **13 Credits**

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| CJUS 255 | Human Relations/Crim Justice | 3 |
| PSYC 200 | Introduction to Psychology | 4 |
| PSYC 202 | Psychology of Personality | 3 |
| PSYC 203 | Social Psychology | 3 |
| PSYC 205 | Human Growth and Development | 3 |
| PSYC 250 | Abnormal Psychology | 3 |
| SOCL 120 | Introduction to Sociology | 4 |
| SOCL 255 | Contemporary Social Problems | 3 |
| SOCL 260 | Race and Ethnicity | 3 |

MINIMUM TOTAL **60**

NOTES:

1. Students completing “CHOICE 3” have fulfilled the requirements for these MACRAO and Core areas.
2. Certain Core courses may also be used to meet MACRAO requirements. See the *Transfer Information/LCC Core–MACRAO Crosswalk* for suggested courses.
3. If a “CHOICE 4” course is used to meet MACRAO or Core requirements, additional “CHOICE 4” courses are required.