



Criminal Justice, Corrections A.A.S.

Curriculum Code: 1209

Effective: Fall 2019 – Summer 2024

Description

This degree program prepares an individual for a career as a probation or parole officer, corrections officer, halfway house administrator, or jail corrections officer. This degree curriculum meets Michigan Corrections Officers Training Council standards. Students completing this curriculum may also be eligible to apply for the Corrections Office Certificate of Completion (0840). Not all courses in this program transfer to all colleges. Students planning to transfer should see an academic advisor before enrolling in any course.

Contact Information

Contact the Public Service Careers Program at the West Campus Building, Room M127, telephone number 517-483-1570 or Student Services West Campus, West Campus Building, Room M106, telephone number 517-267-5452.

General Education Core Courses, Recommended Choices

(For the full list of options, see [General Education Core](#))

- Communication – *Select one*
COMM 110, Communication in the Workplace, 3 credits / 3 billing hours
- Global Perspective and Diversity – *Select one*
SOCL 120, Introduction to Sociology, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
- Math – *Select one*
MATH 119, Math - Applications for Living, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
MATH 120, College Algebra, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
- Science – *Select one*
BIOL 120, Environmental Science, 4 credits / 6 billing hours
BIOL 121, Biological Foundations for Physiology, 4 credits / 6 billing hours
- Writing – *Select one*
ENGL 121, Composition I, 4 credits / 4 billing hours

Program of Study Required Courses

Course Code	Course Title	Credit / Billing Hours
CITF 110	Intro Computer Info Systems	3 / 3
CJUS 101	Intro to Criminal Justice	3 / 3
CJUS 106	Intro to Juvenile Justice	3 / 3
CJUS 131	Introduction to Corrections	3 / 3

Course Code	Course Title	Credit / Billing Hours
CJUS 134	Probation and Parole	3 / 3
CJUS 135	Legal Issues in Corrections	3 / 3
CJUS 250	Correctional Institutions	3 / 3
CJUS 251	Correctional Clients	3 / 3
CJUS 255	Human Relations/Crim Justice	3 / 3
LEGL 160	Critical Thinking in Law	3 / 3
PSYC 200	Introduction to Psychology	4 / 4

Program of Study Required Courses, Limited Choice – *Select 3-4 for a minimum of 12 credits*

Course Code	Course Title	Credit / Billing Hours
CJUS 102	Crime Causes and Conditions	3 / 3
CJUS 126	Juvenile Offenders/Families	3 / 3
CJUS 130	Local Detention	3 / 3
CJUS 204	Criminal Investigation	4 / 4
CJUS 205	Policing into the 21st Century	3 / 3
CJUS 242	Unarmed Defense	3 / 3
CJUS 245	Report Writing/Crim Justice	3 / 3
CJUS 272	Local Corrections Academy I	5 / 5
CJUS 273	Local Corrections Academy II	3 / 5
SOCL 255	Contemporary Social Problems	3 / 3

Total Credit Hours

65-67 credits / 67-71 billing hours

Recommended Course Sequence

Semester I	Semester II
Global Perspectives and Diversity Core	Math Core
Writing Core	CJUS 106
CJUS 101	CJUS 135
CJUS 131	CJUS 250
	CJUS 251
	CJUS 255

Semester III	Semester IV
CITF 110	Communication Core
CJUS 134	Science Core
LEGL 160	PSYC 200
Limited Choice	Limited Choice
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