

Career Education

Criminal Justice-AS

The Department of Criminal Justice offers courses leading to the Associate of Applied Science and Associate of Science in Criminal Justice degrees and courses leading to a Certificate of Proficiency or Technical Certificate in Community Policing, Science of Criminal Investigations, Law Enforcement, and Wildlife Enforcement.

A baccalaureate program in Criminal Justice is available on the Beebe campus through ASU-Jonesboro. Interested students should contact the criminal justice department or the ASU-Jonesboro program office.

Associate of Science Criminal Justice Total Program = 60 Credit Hours

The fourth digit in the course number indicates the number of credit hours.

University Requirement - 1 or 3 hours

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The 3-hour credit course is required for students who must take at least one remedial course. Students who are not required to take a remedial course may take the 3-hour credit course. In both situations, the courses (1-hour or 3-hour) count toward electives.

UNIV 1001 Principles of Academic Success I
UNIV 1003 Principles of Academic Success III

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General Education Core - 36 hours

English/Communications - 9 hours

English/Communications

ENG 1003 Freshman English I
ENG 1013 Freshman English II
SPCH 1203 Oral Communications

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English
English
Speech

ENG 1003 (Freshman English I) and ENG 1013 (Freshman English II) must have a final grade of "C" or better.

Literature - 3 hours

Literature

Choose one course below.

ENG 2003 World Literature I
ENG 2013 World Literature II
PHIL 1103 Introduction to Philosophy

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English
English
Philosophy

Fine Arts/Humanities - 3 hours

Fine Arts/Humanities

Choose one course below.

- ART 2503 Fine Arts-Visual
- MUS 2503 Fine Arts-Musical
- THEA 2503 Fine Arts-Theatre
- THEA 2513 Fine Arts-Film

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- Art
- Music
- Theatre
- Theatre

Government - 3 hours

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Choose one course below.

- POSC 2103 Introduction to United States Government
- POSC 2203 State and Local Government

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- Political Science
- Political Science

Psychology/Sociology - 6 hours

Psychology/Sociology

- PSY 2013 Introduction to Psychology
- SOC 2213 Principles of Sociology

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- Psychology
- Sociology

Physical Education - 1 hour

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Choose an activity course from PE.

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Mathematics - 3 hours

Mathematics

- MATH 1043 Quantitative Literacy
- A student may take a MATH course higher than MATH 1043.*

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- Mathematics

Life Science - 4 hours

Life Science

Choose one course below.

- BIOL 1004 Biology for General Education
- BIOL 1014 Principles of Biology

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- Biological Science
- Biological Science

Physical Science - 4 hours

Physical Science

Choose one course below.

- CHEM 1014 General Chemistry I
- CHEM 1024 General Chemistry II
- PHSC 1204 Physical Science
- PHSC 1304 Earth Science
- PHYS 2054 General Physics I
- PHYS 2064 General Physics II
- PHYS 2074 University Physics I

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- Chemistry
- Chemistry
- Physical Science
- Physical Science
- Physics
- Physics
- Physics

PHYS 2084 University Physics II

Physics

Professional Core - 15 hours

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CRIM 1023 Introduction to Criminal Justice
CRIM 2253 Criminal Investigation
CRIM 2263 Criminal Evidence and Procedure
CRIM 2043 Community Relations in the Administration of Justice
CRIM 1013 Introduction to Law Enforcement

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Electives - 9 hours

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Choose three courses below.

CRIM 1113 Ethical Dilemmas
CRIM CRIM 1163 Multiculturalism in Criminal Justice
CRIM 2243 Criminalistics
CRIM 1103 Victimology
CRIM 1123 Criminal Profiling
CRIM 2023 Probation, Parole, and Community Corrections
CRIM 2113 Critical Thinking in Criminal Justice
CRIM 2313 Contemporary Issues in Criminal Justice

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