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## **CRIMINAL JUSTICE/ LAW ENFORCEMENT PROGRAM**



*Criminal Justice  
Associate in  
Science Degree*

*Law Enforcement  
Associate in Applied  
Science Degree*

*Certificate in  
Law Enforcement*

## Criminal Justice Associate in Science Degree (AS)

Areas I-IV core courses are to be chosen from the Jefferson State Approved AGSC General Course Listing.

### General Courses (60-64 semester hours)

Area I: Written Communication 6

Area II: Humanities and Fine Arts 12

\*Literature 3

Arts (A) 3

+Additional Humanities and Fine Arts 3

Complete one course from the following: 3

SPH 106 Fundamentals of Oral Communications

SPH 107 Fundamentals of Public Speaking

Area III: Natural Sciences and Mathematics 11

+Mathematics 3

+Natural Sciences 8

**If you take BIO 103, you cannot take BIO 101. If you take BIO 104, you cannot take BIO 102. If you take CHM 111, you cannot take CHM 104. If you take CHM 112, you cannot take CHM 105. If you take PHY 213, you cannot take PHY 201. If you take PHY 214, you cannot take PHY 202.**

Area IV: History, Social, and Behavioral Sciences 12

\*History 3

+Additional History, Social, and Behavioral Sciences 9

(6 hours maximum of history)

\*As a part of the General Studies Curriculum, students must complete a six semester hour sequence either in literature or in history.

Area V: Pre-Professional, Major and Elective Courses 19-23

CRJ 100 Introduction to Criminal Justice 3

Complete one course from the following: 3

CRJ 110 Introduction to Law Enforcement

CRJ 150 Introduction to Corrections

CRJ 160 Introduction to Security

Complete one course from the following: 3

CIS 130 Introduction to Information Systems

CIS 146 Microcomputer Applications

\*\*Additional Hours 10-14

**\*\*The additional hours in Area V must be fulfilled by the requirements of the institution to which the student plans to transfer. Students must print and retain the articulation guide for Criminal Justice. Failure to do so may result in the program not being transferable.**

**+Refer to AGSC transfer guide for course options.**

## Certificate in Law Enforcement

The Law Enforcement Certificate program is designed as an intermediate recognition step. All course work in the certificate program will apply to the Associate in Applied Science Degree Program in Law Enforcement.

Prior to seeking admission to this program, the student should meet with and develop a plan for satisfying the following requirements.

### To be eligible for a certificate students must:

- Complete the following courses.
- Have a minimum 2.00 grade point average in Jefferson State courses.

### Courses required for:

Law Enforcement Certificate (STC C140)

Course	Title	Sem Hrs
ENG 101	English Composition I	3
MTH Elective	(A116) MTH 100 <u>or</u> MTH 116 <u>or</u> higher level math course	3
CRJ 100	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
Complete one course from the following:		3
CRJ 130	Introduction to Law and Judicial Process	
CRJ 140	Criminal Law and Procedure	
CRJ 147	Constitutional Law	
CRJ 208	Introduction to Criminology	3
Criminal Justice Electives	11	

## Law Enforcement Associate in Applied Science Degree (AAS)

The Associate in Applied Science program is designed for Criminal Justice practitioners and students interested in such careers. Students transferring into a criminal justice baccalaureate program should follow the Associate in Science in Criminal Justice degree plan in the "University Parallel Program" section of the *Catalog and Student Handbook*. Also, see our web site at [www.jeffstateonline.com](http://www.jeffstateonline.com) or contact Cecilia Tubbs at (205) 856-6051.

A student gains admission to the Associate in Applied Science Program by completing the certificate program. All course work in the certificate program will apply to the Associate in Applied Science Degree Program in Law Enforcement.

### Courses required for:

Law Enforcement Degree (AAS C140)

### General Courses (28 hours)

Course	Title	Sem Hrs
ENG 101	English Composition I	3
SPH 107	Fundamentals of Public Speaking <u>or</u>	3
SPH 106	Fundamentals of Oral Communication	
MTH Elective	(A116) MTH 100 <u>or</u> MTH 116 <u>or</u> higher level math course	3
CIS Elective		3

Lab Science Elective: (ASCI) 4

(astronomy, biology, chemistry, physical science, physics)

Humanities and Fine Arts Elective: (AHUM) 3

(art, humanities, religion, theatre, music philosophy, foreign language, literature)

Social and Behavioral Sciences Elective: (ASOC) 3

(anthropology, geography, history, economics, political science, sociology, psychology)

General Education Electives 6 hrs.

(Transferable Core Courses are recommended; see AGSC Approved Course Listing, University Parallel section of Catalog)

### Major Courses (24 hours)

Course	Title	Sem Hrs
CRJ 100	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
CRJ 146	Criminal Evidence	3
CRJ 208	Introduction to Criminology	3
CRJ 216	Police Organization and Administration	3
*CRJ 220	Criminal Investigation	3
CRJ 290	Seminar in Criminal Justice	3
Complete one course from the following:		3
CRJ 110	Introduction to Law Enforcement	
CRJ 150	Introduction to Corrections	
CRJ 160	Introduction to Security	
Complete one course from the following:		3
CRJ 130	Introduction to Law and Judicial Process	
CRJ 140	Criminal Law and Procedure	
CRJ 147	Constitutional Law	

### CRJ Electives: (9 hours)

Complete three courses from the following:

CRJ 110	Introduction to Law Enforcement	3
CRJ 130	Introduction to Law and Judicial Process	3
CRJ 140	Criminal Law and Procedure	3
CRJ 147	Constitutional Law	3
CRJ 150	Introduction to Corrections	3
CRJ 160	Introduction to Security	3
CRJ 178	Narcotics/Dangerous Drugs	3
CRJ 209	Juvenile Delinquency	3
*CRJ 227	Homicide Investigation	3
*CRJ 230	Criminalistics	3
*CRJ 236	Advanced Criminalistics	3
**CRJ 280	Internship in Criminal Justice	3
Total Credit Hours		61

\*CRJ 220, 227, 230 and 236 are also offered to law enforcement officers via Crime Scene Investigation directed by Mark Bailey, Chief of Campus Security (205) 856-6093.

\*\*Must have sophomore status, minimum of 2.00 GPA and permission of program coordinator.

For information regarding Police/Corrections Academy Credit, refer to the "Admission to the College Section", Credit for Non-Traditional Academic Work section of the *Catalog and Student Handbook*.