



Academic & Career PATHWAYS

Associate of Applied Science (A.A.S.) Criminal Justice Juvenile Services- Advising Guide

Criminal justice careers include correctional officers and jailers who guard inmates in penal, rehabilitative, or juvenile detention and may guard prisoners in transit. Probation officers help rehabilitate law offenders in custody or on probation or parole and make recommendations for treatment of offenders. Police officers enforce laws and ordinances, regulate traffic, control crowds, arrest violators and work to prevent crime.

Semester 1		
Course	Credits	Action Steps
^ENGL 101 (General Education Requirement)	3	Meet with academic advisor to build a degree plan in starfish Complete Civics exam with
HIST 120, HIST 121, or POLS 136 (General Education Requirement/Civics)	3	
CRJU 101 (Program Requirement)	3	
PSYC 140 (General Education Requirement)	3	
CRJU 168 (Program Requirement)	3	
Total Credits	15	70% or higher
Semester 2		
SOCI 160 (General Education Requirement)	3	
^CRJU 165 (Program Requirement)	3	
CRJU 169 (Program Requirement)	3	
CRJU 215 (Program Requirement)	3	7
CRJU 167 A-C (Program Requirement)	3	1
Total Credits	15	
Semester 3		
PSYC 245 (Program Requirement)	3	Work with Career Services
CRJU 132 (Program Requirement)	3	to develop resume
CRJU 122 (Program Requirement)	3	
CRJU 132 (Program Requirement)	3	
GEOG 105 or GEOG 113 (General Education Requirement)	3	
Total Credits	15	1
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Semester 4		
Any course numbered 100 or above in CRJU, SPAN, PSYC, or SOCI (Program Elective)	3-5*	Apply for graduation
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CRJU 200 Internship in Criminal (Program Requirement)	3	
Any course numbered 100 or above in CRJU, SPAN, PSYC, or SOCI	3	
(Program Elective)		
^COMM 100 (General Education Requirement)	3	
Total Credits	15-19	1
Credits Required	60*	

*The A.A.S. degree requires at least 60 total credits to graduate. When selecting a course from multiple options, please consider the number of credits for each course to ensure meeting the minimum requirements for graduation.

This Pathway Map is an advising tool designed for full-time students on this A.A.S. degree and identifies the course taking recommendation for timely degree completion. Degree requirements and prerequisite information can be found here: https://mcckc.edu/programs/criminal-justice. All students are encouraged to meet with their academic advisor to develop an individualized completion plan that best meets their goals, interests, and objectives.

^Course requires a prerequisite or appropriate placement, see catalog for additional information.