Bachelor of Applied Science (BAS) in Criminal Justice

Students should work closely with their academic advisor before enrolling in courses. Course availability, prerequisites, transfer-credit applicability, and program requirements are subject to change.

GENERAL EDUCATION CORE — 30 HOURS

English Composition — 6 Hours

Course	Title	Hours
EN 1103 or EN 1104	English Composition I Expanded English Composition I Modified Course	3
EN 1113 or EN 1173	English Composition II Accelerated Composition II	3

Creative Discovery — 9 Hours

Course	Hours
History course from the Arts and Sciences Core	3
Literature course from the Arts and Sciences Core	3
Additional general education requirement	3

Social and Behavioral Sciences — 6 Hours

Course	Title	Hours
ASO 1003	Introduction to Applied Sociology	3
CRM 1003	Crime and Justice in America	3

Quantitative Reasoning (Choose one) — 3 Hours

Course	Title	Hours
MA 2113	Elementary Statistics	3
ST 2113	Elementary Statistics	3

Natural Sciences — 6 Hours

Course	Hours
Arts and Sciences Core natural science course with laboratory	3
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COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS — 9 Hours

Foreign Language — 6 Hours

Course	Hours
Foreign Language I	3
Foreign Language II	3

Oral Communication (Choose one) — 3 Hours

Course	Title	Hours
CO 1003	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3
CO 1013	Introduction to Communication	3

Junior/Senior Writing Requirement

The junior/senior writing requirement is satisfied through CRM 3103, Contemporary Issues in Criminal Justice, in the major core.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE MAJOR CORE — 21 Hours

Course	Title	Hours
CRM 3103	Contemporary Issues in Criminal Justice	3
CRM 3113	Community Crime Prevention and Policy	3
CRM 4513	Correctional Systems	3
ASO 3213	Applied Sociology Research Methods	3
ASO 4803	Applied Sociology Capstone	3

Select One — 3 Hours

Course	Title	Hours
CRM 4323	Victimology	3
CRM 3353	Race, Crime and Justice	3
CRM 3343	Gender, Crime, and Justice	3

Select One — 3 Hours

Course	Title	Hours
CRM 3503	Violence in the United States	3
CRM 4233	Juvenile Delinquency	3

MAJOR ELECTIVES — 9 Hours

Complete nine hours of upper-division Arts and Sciences electives selected in consultation with your academic advisor.

TECHNICAL COURSES IN THE DISCIPLINE — Up to 45 Hours

Students may apply approved technical courses transferred from a community college toward the degree.

Eligible technical coursework should focus on areas such as:

- Criminal justice systems and procedures
- Law enforcement
- Corrections Courts
- Investigations
- Public safety
- Career-specific criminal justice competencies

All technical transfer credit is subject to review and approval

GENERAL ELECTIVES — 6 Hours

Students complete six hours of general electives selected in consultation with their academic advisor.

TOTAL HOURS REQUIRED — 120