

SCHOOL OF LIBERAL ARTS

CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Bachelor of Science

The Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Criminal Justice prepares students to work in the areas of municipal, state and federal law enforcement, corrections, juvenile justice and probation, and provides a firm foundation in the analytical, communication, and research skills needed for law and graduate school.

Lower Level Curriculum

Course	Number		Credit Hours
AREA A Essential Skills (9 hours)			
ENGL	1101	English Composition I	3
ENGL	1102	English Composition II	3
MATH	1111	College Algebra or	
MATH	1113	Precalculus	3
AREA B Institutional Options (4 hours)			
COMM	1110	Fundamentals of Speech	3
Area B Elective		BIOL 1001, COMM 1120, ENGL 1105, 1110, HIST 1050, 1051, HUMN 1000, 1100, PHED 1030, SOCI 1000	1
AREA C Humanities/Fine Arts (6 hours)			
Electives		ENGL 1201, 2111, 2112, 2120, 2121, 2130, 2131; HUMN 1201 or MUSC 1100 or THEA 1100	6
AREA D Science/Mathematics/Technology (11-12 hours)			
Lab Science Electives		BIOL 1105K, 1107K, 1108K, 1203K, 1124K, CHEM 1151K, 1211K, 1212K, PHYS 1111K, 1112, 2211K, 2212K; GEOL 1121K, 1122K	8
Elective		ASTR 1101, BIOL 1105K, 1203K, 1224K, CHEM 1151K, COMPS 1130, 1301, 1302, MATH 1113, 2181, 2200*, 2253, 2254 (MATH 2200 strongly recommended)	3-4
AREA E Social Sciences (12 hours)			
HIST	2111 or 2112	United States History	3
POLS	1101	American Government	3
Electives		ANTH 1103, ECON 2105, 2106, GEOG 1100, 1101, or 1111, HIST 1111, 1112, 2111, 2112, PHIL 1101, 1103, POLS 2101, 2301, 2401, PSYC 1101,* SOCI 1101* (PSYC 1101 and SOCI 1101 strongly recommended)	6

AREA F Major Related (18 hours)**Required Courses (9 hours)**

CRJU	1100	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
SPAN	1001	Elementary Spanish I	3
SPAN	2034	Spanish for Criminal Justice	3

Elective Courses (9 hours)

CRJU	2000	Criminal Justice Issues in Northwest Georgia	3
CRJU	2100	Introduction to Law Enforcement	3
PHIL	1102	Logic and Critical Thinking	3
POLS	2201	State and Local Government	3
PSYC	2101	Psychology of Adjustment	3
PSYC	2103	Human Development	3
PSYC	2204	Applications in Psychology	3
PSYC	2250	Abnormal Psychology	3
SOCI	1160	Social Problems	3
SOWK	2103	Interviewing Skills	3

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

PHED		Activity Elective	<u>1</u>
		Total Lower Level Hours	61-62

Upper Level Curriculum**Core Curriculum (24 hours)**

CRJU	3100	Introduction to Criminal Law	3
CRJU	3110	Introduction to Criminal Procedure	3
CRJU	3200	Introduction to Criminology	3
CRJU	3300	Introduction to Corrections	3
CRJU	3400	Introduction to Juvenile Justice	3
CRJU	3700	Research Methodology	3
CRJU	4700	Ethical Issues in Criminal Justice	3
ENGL	3000	Writing in the Social Sciences and Education	3

Electives (36 hours)

CRJU	3500	Introduction to Criminal Investigation	3
CRJU	3600	Criminal Justice Administration	3
CRJU	3710	Special Topics in Criminal Justice	3
CRJU	3800	Race, Ethnicity, and Criminal Justice	3
CRJU	3810	Victimology	3
CRJU	4000	Criminal Justice Internship	3
CRJU	4000	Judicial Process	3
CRJU	4110	Criminal Evidence	3
CRJU	4200	Profiling the Serial Offender	3
CRJU	4210	Terrorism and the Criminal Justice System	3
CRJU	4300	Community Corrections	3
CRJU	4400	Juvenile Delinquency	3
CRJU	4500	Management of Forensics	3
CRJU	4600	Police Problems and Practices	3
CRJU	4710	Readings in Criminal Justice	3
PSYC	3325	Social Psychology	3
PSYC	3800	Forensic Psychology	3
PSYC	4800	Development of Criminal Behavior	3
SOCI	3100	Sociology of Latino Family and Culture	3
SOWK	3101	Cultural Diversity	3
SOWK	3102	Human Behavior in the Social Environment	3
SOWK	3503	Substance Abuse	<u>3</u>
		Total Upper Level Hours	60
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Successful completion of the Computer Literacy requirement.