

The Associate in Science (A.S.) Degree in Criminal Justice Technology program prepares for entry-level positions in the criminal justice system.

The curriculum emphasizes the development of introductory knowledge of criminological theories and ethics in the criminal justice system, along with communication and critical thinking skills. The program has an applied focus on corrections, courts, policing, juvenile justice, and victim service professions.

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<input type="checkbox"/> Explore career resources at fscj.edu/student-services/career-development .
<input type="checkbox"/> Meet with your advisor each term.
<input type="checkbox"/> Fulfill the Civic Literacy requirement.
<input type="checkbox"/> Satisfy the associate in science degree graduation requirements.

Career Options

Graduates of this program are prepared for careers in local, state, and federal first responder agencies as well as for other public safety positions, such as public safety project manager, public safety and regulatory specialist, or public safety compliance manager.

Advising

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Sample Roadmap

This roadmap provides general guidance about required courses. For specific guidance about your individual academic degree plan, please see an advisor. Also refer to the College Catalog and class schedules for additional information. **Full-time students will refer to the term-by-term recommendations, and part-time students will take courses in the order listed.**

A minimum grade of C or higher must be achieved in all courses used to satisfy the general education and civic literacy requirements. A list of Professional Elective Coursework options is available at the end of this document.

Note: CJL courses are offered in specific terms. Please be sure to take them when offered.

Term 1

Students who do not successfully complete CCJ 1020 in their first term will not be able to register for other criminal justice courses and will be delayed in completing the program.

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Course: Course Title	Credit Hours	Terms Offered
<input type="checkbox"/>	CCJ 1020: Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	All
<input type="checkbox"/>	ENC 1101: English Composition I or ENC 1101C: English Composition I Enhanced	3 or 4	All
<input type="checkbox"/>	MAC 1105: College Algebra or higher-level MAC prefix course or MAP 2302: Differential Equations or MGF 1106: Topics in College Mathematics or MGF 1107: Explorations in Mathematics or STA 2023: Elementary Statistics	3	Varies
<input type="checkbox"/>	BSC 1005: Life in Its Biological Environment or BSC 2010C: Principles of Biology I or BSC 2085C: Human Anatomy and Physiology I or AST 1002: Introduction to Astronomy or CHM 1020: Chemistry for Liberal Arts or CHM 2045C: General Chemistry and Qualitative Analysis I or ESC 1000: Earth and Space Science or EVR 1001: Introduction to Environmental Science or PHY 1020C: Physics for Liberal Arts with Laboratory or PHY 2048C: Physics I With Calculus or PHY 2053C: General Physics I	3-4	Varies
<input type="checkbox"/>	AMH 2020: United States History From 1877 to the Present or POS 2041: American Federal Government	3	Varies

Term 2

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Course: Course Title	Credit Hours	Terms Offered
<input type="checkbox"/>	CCJ 2010: Criminology	3	Fall, Summer
<input type="checkbox"/>	CCJ 2930: Careers in Criminal Justice	3	Fall, Summer
<input type="checkbox"/>	CJC 2000: Corrections	3	All
<input type="checkbox"/>	CJE 2000: Policing	3	All
<input type="checkbox"/>	ARH 2000: Art in the Humanities or PHI 2010: Philosophy in the Humanities or MUL 2010: Music in the Humanities or LIT 2000: Literature in the Humanities or HUM 2020: Topics in the Humanities or THE 2000: Theatre in the Humanities	3	Varies

Important for You to Know

This academic roadmap does not include developmental education courses in reading, writing, and/or mathematics that you may be required to take. Students who place into developmental education courses are required to complete designated developmental education courses with a grade of C or higher regardless of program of study. In addition, it does not include MAT 1033: Intermediate Algebra, which, for many students, is a prerequisite course for MAC 1105.

Related Roadmaps

Embedded Technical Certificate(s)

Technical certificates are available within this degree program. Contact an advisor to determine the career education path that is best for you. Embedded technical certificates include:

- Criminal Justice Technology Specialist

Program Learning Outcomes

Upon completing this program, students will be able to demonstrate proficiency in the following program learning outcomes:

- Students will be able to describe and discuss the criminal justice system.
- Students will describe and discuss the principles of criminology.
- Students will be able to describe criminal investigation procedures.
- Students will be able to describe and discuss juvenile delinquency and the juvenile justice system.
- Students will be able to describe the types of evidence, define admissibility and discuss the legal procedures for securing admissions and confessions.
- Students will be able to identify the issues relating to human diversity in the criminal justice system.

Term 3

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Course: Course Title	Credit Hours	Terms Offered
<input type="checkbox"/>	CJL 2062: Constitutional Law	3	Spring
<input type="checkbox"/>	CCJ 2030: Diversity, Crime and Society	3	Spring
<input type="checkbox"/>	CJL 2400: Criminal Law	3	All
<input type="checkbox"/>	CJE 2600: Criminal Investigation	3	Fall, Spring
<input type="checkbox"/>	Professional Elective	3	Varies

Term 4

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Course: Course Title	Credit Hours	Terms Offered
<input type="checkbox"/>	CJL 2130: Criminal Procedure	3	Summer
<input type="checkbox"/>	CJE 2300: Criminal Justice Management	3	All
<input type="checkbox"/>	CJJ 2002: Juvenile Delinquency	3	Fall, Summer
<input type="checkbox"/>	Professional Elective	3	Varies
<input type="checkbox"/>	Professional Elective	3	Varies

Total Program Credit Hours

The **Criminal Justice Technology** A.S. degree program requires a **minimum of 60 credit hours**. Total program hours may vary based on the student's individual degree plan. Please see an advisor for individual guidance. This program **is eligible** for financial aid.

Professional Elective Coursework Options

Minimum Credit Hours: 9

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Course: Course Title	Credit Hours	Terms Offered
<input type="checkbox"/>	CCJ 2053: Ethics in Criminal Justice	3	Fall
<input type="checkbox"/>	CCJ 2687: Victim Services	3	Spring
<input type="checkbox"/>	CGS 1060C: Introduction to Information Technology or CGS 1100C: Microcomputer Applications for Business and Economics	3	All
<input type="checkbox"/>	CJC 2162: Community Corrections	3	Spring
<input type="checkbox"/>	CJE 1651: Introduction to Crime Analysis	3	Summer
<input type="checkbox"/>	CJE 1680: Introduction to Computer Related Crimes	3	Fall
<input type="checkbox"/>	CJE 1685: Legal Aspects of Computer Related Crime Investigations	3	Spring
<input type="checkbox"/>	CJE 1686: Investigation of Computer Related Crimes	3	Varies
<input type="checkbox"/>	CJE 2603: The Investigative Cycle	3	Varies
<input type="checkbox"/>	CJL 1500: Introduction to the Courts	3	Varies
<input type="checkbox"/>	ENC 2210: Technical Report Writing	3	All