

Criminal Justice - Correctional Science Certificate

Length: Two Semester (One-Year) Program

Purpose: The certificate program is designed for individuals working in the correctional field.

Program Requirements: A certificate student takes thirty (30) hours of prescribed courses. Upon successful completion of the approved course work, the student will be awarded a Correctional Science Certificate. Interested non-inservice persons should obtain permission from the Criminal Justice Chairperson.

<i>Course Number</i>	<i>Course Title</i>	<i>Lecture Hours</i>	<i>Lab Hours</i>	<i>Credits</i>
First Semester				
CRIJ 1301	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	0	3
CRIJ 1306	Court Systems and Practices	3	0	3
CRIJ 1307	Crime in America	3	0	3
CRIJ 1310	Fundamentals of Criminal Law	3	0	3
SOCI 1301	Introductory Sociology	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3</u>
		15	0	15
Second Semester				
CJCR 1304	Probation and Parole	3	0	3
CRIJ 2301	Community Resources in Corrections	3	0	3
CRIJ 2313	Correctional Systems and Practices	3	0	3
CRIJ 2314	Criminal Investigation	3	0	3
CJCR 1300	Basic Jails Course	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3</u>
		15	0	15

Total Credits for Correctional Science Certificate30

Criminal Justice - Crime Scene Technician Certificate

Length: Thirty-Three Semester Hours

Purpose: This course provides the student with the goals and principles of physical evidence and defines the application of forensic sciences to the criminal investigation. It identifies the goals of crime scene management and provides the methodologies employed in recording the crime scene and in locating, collecting, and preserving the evidence. The importance and procedures for establishment of the chain of custody are presented, as are the methods utilized for requesting laboratory analysis of the recovered items of evidence. Emphasis is placed on providing each student with hands-on experience with lecture.

Program Requirements: A certificate student takes thirty-three (33) hours of prescribed courses. Upon successful completion of the approved course work, the student will be awarded a Crime Scene Certificate.

<i>Course Number</i>	<i>Course Title</i>	<i>Lecture Hours</i>	<i>Lab Hours</i>	<i>Credits</i>
First Semester				
CRIJ 1301	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	0	3
CRIJ 1306	Court Systems and Practices	3	0	3
CRIJ 2328	Police Systems and Practices	3	0	3
CRIJ 1310	Fundamentals of Criminal Law	3	0	3
CRIJ 2314	Criminal Investigation	3	0	3
CJSA 1308	Criminalistics I	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3</u>
		18	0	18
Second Semester				
CJSA 2323	Criminalistics II	2	4	3
CJLE 2345	Vice and Narcotics Investigation	3	0	3
CRIJ 1307	Crime In America	3	0	3
CJSA 2332	Criminalistics III	2	4	3
CJSA 1325	Criminology	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3</u>
		13	8	15

Total Credits Required for Crime Scene Technician33