

# CRIMINAL JUSTICE - AAS

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**Program Plan Number:** 4301037039

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## Curriculum Effective Spring Semester

Progression in the Criminal Justice Program is contingent upon the achievement of a grade of "C" or better in each CRJ course and maintenance of a 2.0 cumulative grade point average or better (on a 4.0 scale). The grading scale for criminal justice courses with a Pass/Fail scale, the grade of "P or Pass" meets the requirement for the Criminal Justice Program.

Course	Title	Credits
<b>General Education</b>		
ENG 101	Writing I	3
ENG 102	Writing II	3
COM 181	Basic Public Speaking	3
or COM 252	Introduction to Interpersonal Communication	
Quantitative Reasoning		3
Natural Science		3
Heritage/Humanities		3
POL 101	American Government	3
or POL 255	State Government	
PSY 110	General Psychology	3
SOC 101	Introduction to Sociology	3
Elective Courses (Can only include Technical courses with the prefix CRJ, CIT, HSM, ISX, SWK, FRS/FIR, HMS, EMS, or any General Education course)		6
Subtotal		33
<b>Technical Core Requirements</b>		
Digital Literacy or General Education Elective <sup>1</sup>		3
CRJ 100	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
CRJ 202	Issues and Ethics in Criminal Justice	3
CRJ 204	Criminal Investigations	3
CRJ 216	Criminal Law	3
CRJ 217	Criminal Procedures	3
CRJ 295	Criminal Justice Capstone	1
Subtotal		19
General Education and Technical Core Subtotal		52

Students must complete one of the tracks listed below to complete the AAS requirements.

<sup>1</sup> Digital Literacy must be demonstrated either by competency exam or by completing an approved digital literacy course; if student does not have to take a digital literacy class then the student must choose a general education elective for the completion of the three (3) hours.

## Conservation Law Enforcement Track

This program is not currently offered at a KCTCS College.

**Program Plan Number:** undefined

Course	Title	Credits
<b>Required</b>		
General Education and Technical Core Subtotal		52
BIO 122	Introduction to Conservation Biology	3
GLY 125	Geology of the National Parks and Monuments	3
<b>Electives</b>		
Select 3-4 credit hours from the following course options:		3-4
BIO 141	Botany with Laboratory	
BIO 143	Zoology with Laboratory	
CRJ 215	Introduction to Law Enforcement	
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>61-62</b>

## Corrections Track

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Course	Title	Credits
<b>Required</b>		
General Education and Technical Core Subtotal		52
CRJ 102	Introduction to Corrections	3
<b>Track Electives</b>		
Select six credits of the following 13 options:		6
CRJ 203	Community Corrections: Probations & Parole	
CRJ 208	Delinquency and the Juvenile Justice System	
CRJ 220	Introduction to Computer Forensics for Criminal Justice	
CRJ 222	Prison and Jail Administration	
CRJ 228	Unmanned CRJ Technology Applications	
CRJ 231	Legal Aspects of Corrections	
CRJ 255	Correctional Intervention Strategies	
CRJ 277	Introduction to Criminology	
CRJ 278	Victimology	
CRJ 280	Drugs, Crime, and Society	
CRJ 290	Internship in Criminal Justice	

CRJ 296	Criminal Psychology	
CRJ 299	Selected Topics in Criminal Justice	
Technical Elective		0-3
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>61-64</b>

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Course	Title	Credits
<b>Required</b>		
General Education and Technical Core Subtotal		52
<b>Track Electives</b>		
Select nine credit hours from the following course options:		9
CRJ 102	Introduction to Corrections	
CRJ 108	Advanced Firearms and Less Than Lethal Weapons	
CRJ 110	Principles of Asset Protection	
CRJ 201	Introduction to Criminalistics	
CRJ 203	Community Corrections: Probations & Parole	
CRJ 208	Delinquency and the Juvenile Justice System	
CRJ 210	Physical Security Technology & Systems	
CRJ 211	Liability & Legal Issues	
CRJ 215	Introduction to Law Enforcement	
CRJ 218	Police Supervision	
CRJ 219	Police Recruit Defensive Tactics	
CRJ 220	Introduction to Computer Forensics for Criminal Justice	
CRJ 222	Prison and Jail Administration	
CRJ 224	Basic Traffic Collision Investigation	
CRJ 225	Driving and Traffic Enforcement for Law Enforcement	
CRJ 228	Unmanned CRJ Technology Applications	
CRJ 230	Criminal Justice Courtroom Procedures	
CRJ 231	Legal Aspects of Corrections	
CRJ 235	Serial Killers	
CRJ 240	Introduction to Corporate & Industrial Security	
CRJ 245	Introduction to Business and Industrial Fraud	
CRJ 255	Correctional Intervention Strategies	
CRJ 277	Introduction to Criminology	
CRJ 278	Victimology	
CRJ 279	Terrorism and Political Violence	
CRJ 280	Drugs, Crime, and Society	
CRJ 290	Internship in Criminal Justice	
CRJ 299	Selected Topics in Criminal Justice	

Technical Elective	0-3
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>61-64</b>

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Course	Title	Credits
<b>Required</b>		
General Education and Technical Core Subtotal		52
CRJ 215	Introduction to Law Enforcement	3
<b>Track Electives</b>		
Select six credit hours from the following course options:		6
CRJ 108	Advanced Firearms and Less Than Lethal Weapons	
CRJ 201	Introduction to Criminalistics	
CRJ 208	Delinquency and the Juvenile Justice System	
CRJ 218	Police Supervision	
CRJ 219	Police Recruit Defensive Tactics	
CRJ 220	Introduction to Computer Forensics for Criminal Justice	
CRJ 224	Basic Traffic Collision Investigation	
CRJ 225	Driving and Traffic Enforcement for Law Enforcement	
CRJ 228	Unmanned CRJ Technology Applications	
CRJ 230	Criminal Justice Courtroom Procedures	
CRJ 235	Serial Killers	
CRJ 277	Introduction to Criminology	
CRJ 279	Terrorism and Political Violence	
CRJ 280	Drugs, Crime, and Society	
CRJ 290	Internship in Criminal Justice	
CRJ 299	Selected Topics in Criminal Justice	
Technical Elective		0-3
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## Security and Loss Prevention Track

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<b>Course</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Credits</b>
<b>Required</b>		
General Education and Technical Core Subtotal		52
CRJ 110	Principles of Asset Protection	3
<b>Track Electives</b>		
Select six credit hours from the following options:		6
CRJ 210	Physical Security Technology & Systems	
CRJ 211	Liability & Legal Issues	
CRJ 220	Introduction to Computer Forensics for Criminal Justice	
CRJ 228	Unmanned CRJ Technology Applications	
CRJ 240	Introduction to Corporate & Industrial Security	
CRJ 245	Introduction to Business and Industrial Fraud	
CRJ 290	Internship in Criminal Justice	
CRJ 299	Selected Topics in Criminal Justice	
Technical Elective <sup>1</sup>		0-3
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>61-64</b>

<sup>1</sup> CRJ 107 Introduction to Firearms (1 credit hours) may be used as a technical elective only. Course will not substitute for track elective.