

CRIMINAL JUSTICE TECHNOLOGY (A.S.)

Previous Degree Required: HS Diploma

Eligible for Financial Aid: Yes

Delivery Method(s): On-Campus, Hybrid, Online

Location(s): Cocoa, Melbourne, Titusville, Online

Limited Access: No

Program Testing Requirements: Assessment in Reading, Writing, and Math

Academic Community: PBSA

Program Code: CJAS

Classification of Instructional Programs (CIP) Code: 43.0103

Florida Department of Education CIP Code: 1743010302

This program is designed for students interested in broadening their knowledge of criminal justice and for field professionals seeking incentive benefits, career enhancement, or increasing their on-the-job competence. Many of the credits earned may be transferable to a baccalaureate degree program.

The Criminal Justice Technology A.S. degree program includes the following College Credit Certificate:

- [Criminal Justice Technology Specialist CCC](#)

Refer to the [Associate in Science \(A.S.\)](#) page to find information about admission, graduation, general education and other requirements. Students will work with an advisor to determine the courses best suited to their plan of study.

Visit the [program page](#) for more information.

Program of Study

| Code | Title | Credit Hours |
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| General Education Courses | | |
| ENC 1101 | Composition 1 | 3 |
| POS 2041 | American National Government | 3 |
| | Humanities Core Requirement | 3 |
| | Mathematics Core Requirement | 3 |
| | Natural Science Core Requirement | 3 |
| Major Courses | | |
| CCJ 1010 | Criminology | 3 |
| CCJ 1020 | American Criminal Justice | 3 |
| CCJ 1452 | Criminal Justice Administration | 3 |
| CCJ 2650 | Drugs, Alcohol and Crime | 3 |
| CJC 2000 | American Corrections | 3 |
| CJE 1000 | Introduction to Law Enforcement | 3 |
| CJJ 1540 | Juvenile Delinquency | 3 |
| CJL 1400 | Criminal Procedure | 3 |
| CJL 2401 | Criminal Law | 3 |
| POS 2112 | State and Local Government | 3 |
| Support Course | | |
| CGS 2100 | Microcomputer Applications | 3 |
| Technical Electives | | |
| Select 12 credits from the following: | | 12 |

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| CCJ 2022 | Critical Issues in Criminal Justice |
| CCJ 2948 | Service-Learning Field Studies 1 |
| CJE 1642 | Introduction to Crime Scene Technology |
| CJE 1643 | Advanced Crime Scene Technology |
| CJE 2330 | Ethics in Criminal Justice |
| CJE 2600 | Investigations |
| ENC 2210 | Technical Writing |
| HSC 2400 | First Aid & Safety for the Citizen Responder |
| MAT 1033 | Intermediate Algebra |
| SOW 1051 | Human Service Experience 1 |
| SOW 2054 | Community Involvement |
| SPC 2608 | Fundamentals of Speech Communication |

Total Hours: 60

Note: In accordance with Florida Statute and Florida Administrative Code, students must satisfy the [Civic Literacy Graduation Requirement](#).

Special Note: Students with law enforcement experience and certification may receive credit toward this degree in accordance with EFSC articulation agreements. See the [Articulation Agreements List](#) for more information.

Course Sequence

Below is the recommended sequence for taking courses in this degree. Using this guide and meeting with your assigned advisor each term is the key to successful program completion.

Please note that course prerequisites, including required developmental math, reading, or writing, need to be completed to continue on to the more advanced course. Click on the course number to see the requirements.

| Code | Title | Credit Hours |
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| CCJ 1020 | American Criminal Justice | 3 |
| ENC 1101 | Composition 1 | 3 |
| CGS 2100 | Microcomputer Applications | 3 |
| | Technical Elective ¹ | 3 |
| CCJ 1010 | Criminology | 3 |
| CJL 1400 | Criminal Procedure ^{Fa, Sp} | 3 |
| | Mathematics Core Requirement | 3 |
| | Technical Elective ¹ | 3 |
| POS 2041 | American National Government | 3 |
| | Technical Elective ¹ | 3 |
| CCJ 2650 | Drugs, Alcohol and Crime | 3 |
| CJL 2401 | Criminal Law ^{Fa, Sp} | 3 |
| | Natural Science Core Requirement | 3 |
| | Technical Elective ¹ | 3 |
| | Humanities Core Requirement | 3 |
| CCJ 1452 | Criminal Justice Administration ^{Fa, Sp} | 3 |
| CJC 2000 | American Corrections ^{Fa, Sp} | 3 |
| CJE 1000 | Introduction to Law Enforcement ^{Sp} | 3 |
| CJJ 1540 | Juvenile Delinquency ^{Sp} | 3 |

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| POS 2112 | State and Local Government | 3 |
| Total Hours: | | 60 |

¹ Select 12 credits from the Technical Electives list on the Program of Study.

FaCourse is offered in fall term

SpCourse is offered in spring term

* Course scheduling may be subject to change

Learning Outcomes

1. Analyze the structure, functions, and interrelationships of law enforcement, courts, and corrections within the criminal justice system.
 - *Core Ability Supported: Process Information*
2. Apply principles of criminology, criminal law, and investigation procedures to assess criminal behavior and justice processes.
 - *Core Ability Supported: Process Information*
3. Demonstrate professional skills in communication, technology, and employability required for success in diverse criminal justice environments.
 - *Core Ability Supported: Communicate Effectively*
4. Evaluate contemporary issues, ethical considerations, and human diversity as they impact decision-making in criminal justice practice.
 - *Core Ability Supported: Think Critically and Solve Problems*