



Criminal Justice - Law Enforcement A.A.S.

Curriculum Code: 1210

Effective: Fall 2021 – Summer 2026

Description

This degree program prepares individuals for a career as a law enforcement officer. It also prepares students for possible entry into the Police Academy Program. Not all courses in this program transfer to all colleges. Students planning to transfer should see an academic advisor before enrolling in any course.

Additional Information

Students who successfully complete LCC's Mid-Michigan Police Academy may substitute the Academy courses; CJUS 270, CJUS 271, PFFT 114 and PFHW 100; for the entire fourth semester of this guided pathway. Please see an advisor in the Public Service Careers Department office for more information.

Contact Information

Contact the Public Service Careers Program at the West Campus Building, Room M127, telephone number 517-483-1570 or Student Services West Campus, West Campus Building, Room M106, telephone number 517-267-5452.

General Education - Applied Degrees, Recommended Courses

(For the full list of options, see [General Education](#))

- English Composition or Applied English – *Select one*
ENGL 121, Composition I, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
- English Composition (Second Course)/Communications or Applied Communications – *Select one*
COMM 110, Communication in the Workplace, 3 credits / 3 billing hours
COMM 130, Fundamentals Public Speaking, 3 credits / 3 billing hours
- Humanities and Fine Arts or Social Sciences or Applied Social Sciences–
Program of Study Required Courses will meet this requirement
- Mathematics or Applied Mathematics – *Select one*
MATH 119, Math - Applications for Living, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
- Natural Sciences Lab or Applied Science and Technology Lab – *Select one*
BIOL 120, Environmental Science, 4 credits / 6 billing hours

Program of Study Required Courses

Course Code	Course Title	Credit / Billing Hours
CITF 110	Intro Computer Info Systems	3 / 3
CJUS 101	Intro to Criminal Justice	3 / 3
CJUS 102	Crime Causes and Conditions	3 / 3
CJUS 103	Criminal Law	3 / 3
CJUS 104	Theory of Patrol	3 / 3
CJUS 106	Intro to Juvenile Justice	3 / 3
CJUS 131	Introduction to Corrections	3 / 3
CJUS 201	Criminal Justice Org/Admin	3 / 3
CJUS 203	Criminal Procedure	3 / 3
CJUS 204	Criminal Investigation	4 / 4
CJUS 205	Policing into the 21 st Century	3 / 3
CJUS 207	Digital Evidence/1 st Responder	3 / 3
CJUS 210	Intro to Forensic Science	3 / 3
CJUS 245	Report Writing/Crim Justice	3 / 3
MGMT 234	Diversity in the Workplace	3 / 3

Total Credit Hours

61 credits / 63 billing hours

Recommended Course Sequence

Semester I	Semester II
Gen Ed – English Composition or Applied English	Gen Ed – Mathematics or Applied Mathematics
Gen Ed – English Composition (Second Course)/Communications or Applied Communications	CJUS 103
CITF 110	CJUS 106
CJUS 101	CJUS 205
CJUS 102	

Semester III	Semester IV
Gen Ed – Natural Sciences Lab or Applied Science and Technology Lab	CJUS 131
CJUS 104	CJUS 201
CJUS 203	CJUS 204
CJUS 210	CJUS 207
CJUS 245	