

CRIMINAL JUSTICE COMPREHENSIVE, BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Offered by Department of Criminal Justice (<http://catalog.unk.edu/undergraduate/departments-programs/criminal-justice/>)

Code	Title	Credit Hours
General Education		
<i>Foundational Requirements (LOPERs 1-4)</i>		12
Including:		
LOPER 4: Mathematics, Statistics, and Quantitative Reasoning		
STAT 235	Introduction to Statistics for Social Sciences	
	or STAT 241 Elementary Statistics	
<i>Broad Knowledge Requirements (LOPERs 5-8)</i>		12
Including:		
LOPER 7: Social Science		
PSY 203	General Psychology	
	or PSY 230 Human Development	
<i>Dispositional Requirements (LOPERs 9-10) ¹</i>		6
Including:		
LOPER 9: Civic Competency and Engagement		
PSCI 110	Introduction to American Politics	
<i>Wellness (LOPER 11) Optional</i>		0
BS Science-related course requirements		
Program Specified Requirements		3
SOC 100	Introduction to Sociology	
Major Option		
Complete all required courses		58-61
Unrestricted electives		
Needed to reach 120 credit hour minimum		26-29
Total Credit Hours		120

A grade of "C-" or above is required for all courses in this major.

At least 15 credit hours (5 courses) of upper division credit in Criminal Justice must be taken from UNK.

Major Option

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Criminal Justice Comprehensive Core Requirements		
CJUS 101	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
CJUS 103	Orientation to Criminal Justice	1
CJUS 215	Correctional Services and Systems	3
CJUS 230	The Police Service	3
CJUS 304	Criminal Justice Research Methods I	3
CJUS 326	Theories of Crime and Criminal Law	3

CJUS 340	Criminal Evidence, Procedure and the Courts	3
CJUS 480	Criminal Justice Seminar: Professional Ethics and Career Development	3
CJUS 475	Internship ²	6-9

Criminal Justice Comprehensive Criminal Justice Electives

Select 21 credit hours of the following:		21
CJUS 201	The Juvenile Justice System	
CJUS 310	Community Based Corrections	
CJUS 315	Victimology: Victims of Crime	
CJUS 321	Technology in Criminal Justice	
CJUS 345	Criminal Law	
CJUS 350	Organized Crime	
CJUS 360	Sex Crimes	
CJUS 370	Women and Crime	
CJUS 380	Minorities and Criminal Justice	
CJUS 390	Criminal Investigation	
CJUS 401	Special Topics	
CJUS 405	Criminal Justice Research Methods II	
CJUS 411	Readings in Criminal Justice	
CJUS 420	Supervision and Management in Criminal Justice	
CJUS 430	Drugs and the Criminal Justice System	
CJUS 435	Interviewing and Correctional Case Management	
CJUS 440	Laws of Arrest, Search and Seizure	
CJUS 445	Sex Offender Supervision and Control	
CJUS 490	Advanced Criminal and Crime Scene Investigations (CSI)	
CJUS 499	Independent Study	

Criminal Justice Comprehensive Social Science Electives

Select 9 credit hours of the following:		9
CSP 404	Counseling & Mental Disorders	
CSP 407	Clinical Treatment Issues in Addictions Counseling	
CSP 408	Assessment, Case Planning & Management of Addictions	
CSP 417	Counseling Skills	
CSP 418	Introduction to Counseling and Social Advocacy	
CJUS 376	Psychology and Criminal Behavior	
FAMS 150	Lifespan Development and the Family	
FAMS 250	Infant Development	
FAMS 253	Child and Adolescent Development	
FAMS 302	Parent Education	
FAMS 351	Marriage and Family Relationships	
FAMS 362	Families and Social Policy	
FAMS 430	Grantwriting and Fundraising for Human Service Programs	
FAMS 481	Cross-Cultural Family Patterns	
FAMS 486	Families in Crisis	
KSS 262	CPR/AED for the Professional Rescuer	
PSCI 252	The Courts and the Judicial Process	
PSCI 300	American Constitutional Law	

PSCI 325	Individual Liberties and Civil Rights
PSCI 341	Politics of the Drug War
PSCI 400	Public Administration
PSY 231	Abnormal Behavior and Society
PSY 374	Psychology of Gender
PSY 407	Psychopathology
PSY 455	Adolescent Psychology
PSY 477	Psychology and Law
SOC 225	Global Cultures and Diversity
SOC 360	Criminology
SOC 363	Juvenile Delinquency
SOC 369	Sociology of Gender
SOC 430	Sociology of Family
SOC 461	Deviance and Social Control
SOWK 172	Human Service Ethics and Experience
SOWK 410	Social Policy & Programs
SOWK 420	Diversity and Social Justice
SOWK 469	Introduction to Mental Health Issues
SOWK 473	Child Welfare Services
SOWK 475	Child Abuse and Neglect
SOWK 476	Social Work in Legal Settings
SOWK 479	Violence Across the Lifespan
SPAN 103	Spanish for Special Purposes
Any SPAN course 200 or above	
Total Credit Hours	58-61

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Designated courses with the appropriate content may be approved to satisfy one of the Broad Knowledge requirements plus LOPER 9 or Broad Knowledge plus LOPER 10. Courses may be approved to satisfy LOPER 9 or LOPER 10 alone. (Courses satisfying LOPER 9 or LOPER 10 alone must be 3 credit hours.) Students applying this option will need to take additional hours in other categories to meet the required General Education hours.

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Permission of Department Chair required. Students normally take their internship during the summer following their junior year, although the course is offered at other times. Students with field experience in Criminal Justice or going to graduate school may substitute CJUS 405 Criminal Justice Research Methods II in place of the Internship.

This document represents a sample 4-year plan for degree completion with this major. Actual course selection and sequence may vary and should be discussed individually with your academic advisor. Advisors can also help you plan other experiences to enrich your undergraduate education such as internships, education abroad, undergraduate research, learning communities, and service learning and community-based learning.

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Semester 1		
CJUS 101	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
LOPR 126	First Year Seminar	3
LOPER 2: Writing Skills		3

LOPER 3: Oral Communication Skills	3
Major Elective	3
Total Credit Hours	15

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Semester 2		
CJUS 103	Orientation to Criminal Justice	1
PSCI 110	Introduction to American Politics	3
SOC 100	Introduction to Sociology	3
LOPER 5: Visual or Performing Arts		3
LOPER 6: Humanities		3
Total Credit Hours		13

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Semester 3		
CJUS 230	The Police Service	3
PSY 203	General Psychology	3
	or PSY 230 Human Development	
STAT 235	Introduction to Statistics for Social Sciences	3
	or STAT 241 Elementary Statistics	
LOPER 10: Respect for Human Diversity		3
Major Elective		3
Total Credit Hours		15

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Semester 4		
CJUS 215	Correctional Services and Systems	3
CJUS 304	Criminal Justice Research Methods I	3
LOPER 8: Natural Science		3
Major Elective		3
Major Elective		3
Total Credit Hours		15

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Semester 5		
CJUS 326	Theories of Crime and Criminal Law	3
Major Elective		3
Major Elective		3
Major Elective		3
Unrestricted Elective		3
Total Credit Hours		15

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Semester 6		
CJUS 340	Criminal Evidence, Procedure and the Courts	3
Social Science Elective		3
Social Science Elective		3
Unrestricted Elective		3

Unrestricted Elective	3
Total Credit Hours	15

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Semester 7

CJUS 480	Criminal Justice Seminar: Professional Ethics and Career Development	3
Social Science Elective		3
Unrestricted Elective		3
Unrestricted Elective		3
Unrestricted Elective		3
Total Credit Hours		15

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Semester 8

CJUS 475	Internship	5-9
Unrestricted Elective		3
Unrestricted Elective		3
Unrestricted Elective		3
Total Credit Hours		14-18