

WAYNE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Criminal Justice Technology (A55180)

Official Program Description registered with the N.C. Community College System:

The Criminal Justice Technology curriculum is designed to provide knowledge of criminal justice systems and operations. Study will focus on local, state, and federal law enforcement, judicial processes, corrections, and security services. The criminal justice system's role within society will be explored.

Emphasis is on criminal justice systems, criminology, juvenile justice, criminal and constitutional law, investigative principles, ethics, and community relations. Additional study may include issues and concepts of government, counseling, communications, computers, and technology.

Employment opportunities exist in a variety of local, state, and federal law enforcement, corrections, and security fields. Examples include police officer, deputy sheriff, county detention officer, state trooper, intensive probation/parole surveillance officer, correctional officer, and loss prevention specialist.

Program Learning Outcomes

Upon completion of the Criminal Justice program, a graduate should be able to:

- Identify deviant behavior from a criminological and sociological perspective.
- Demonstrate critical reasoning, problem solving, and ethical concerns in criminal justice.
- Describe how criminal law is related to the diversity of people and cultures within society.
- Explore various professions in criminal justice.
- Investigate a crime scene using legal procedures.

Degree Awarded

The Associate in Applied Science Degree - Criminal Justice Technology is awarded by the College upon completion of this program.

For More Information

The Criminal Justice Technology program is in the Public Safety Division. Additional information can be obtained by calling (919) 739-6800, or visit us at our web site at www.waynecc.edu.

Admissions

- A high school diploma or equivalent is required.
- A placement test in English, mathematics, reading and computer skills are required to determine entry-level courses that match individual needs.

First Step To Enroll:

Call the Admissions and Records Office at (919) 739-6720.

	Contact Hours	Semester Credit Hours
FIRST SEMESTER		
ACA 111 College Student Success.....	1	1
CJC 111 Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	3
CJC 121 Law Enforcement Operations..	3	3
ENG 111 Expository Writing	3	3
POL 130 State and Local Government..	3	3
SOC 210 Introduction to Sociology	3	3
		16
SECOND SEMESTER		
CIS 110 Introduction to Computers	4	3
CJC 112 Criminology.....	3	3
CJC 141 Corrections	3	3
CJC 212 Ethics & Comm Relations	3	3
ENG 113 Literature-Based Research.....	3	3
Humanities/Fine Arts Elective..	3	3
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SUMMER TERM			
PSY 150	General Psychology.....	3	3
			3
THIRD SEMESTER			
CJC 132	Court Procedures.....	3	3
CJC 213	Substance Abuse.....	3	3
CJC 225	Crisis Intervention	3	3
CJC 215	Organization & Administration .	3	3
MAT 115	Mathematical Models.....	4	3
	OR		
		Contact Hours	Semester Credit Hours
MAT 140	Survey of Mathematics	3	3
	Major Elective	3	3
			18
FOURTH SEMESTER			
CJC 221	Investigative Principles	5	4
CJC 113	Juvenile Justice	3	3
CJC 131	Criminal Law	3	3
CJC 231	Constitutional Law	3	3
HEA 112	First Aid & CPR.....	3	2
			15
	Total Credit Hours		70
Major Electives - Select one course:			
CJC 160	Terrorism: Underlying Issues ...	3	3
CJC 170	Critical Incident Management for Public Safety.....	3	3
CJC 232	Civil Liabilities	3	3
CJC 255	Issues in Criminal Justice Applications	3	3
PSY 281	Abnormal Psychology	3	3
SOC 220	Social Problems.....	3	3
SOC 230	Race and Ethnic Relations	3	3