

Security/Pre-Law Enforcement

This certificate provides instruction on issues and techniques encountered for law enforcement and security positions focusing on such areas as patrol offices, civilian support staff positions, communications officers, community service officers, private security officers and investigators.

*This Certificate in Applied Science may be applied toward an Associate's Degree.

Year 1 Fall Classes

Course Prefix/Number	Course Title	CEUs	Description
CRJ 101	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	This course includes an overview of the functions and responsibilities of agencies involved in the administration of justice to include police organizations, court systems, correctional systems and juvenile justice agencies.
CRJ 125	Criminology	3	This course is a study of the various theories of criminal causation and control, the identification of criminal typologies, and the reaction of society to crime and criminals.

Year 1 Spring Classes

Course Prefix/Number	Course Title	CEUs	Description
CRJ 224	Police Community Relations	3	This course is a study of the importance of two-way communication between the criminal justice system and the community to foster a working relationship to control crime. A variety of topics are studied, including citizen involvement in crime prevention and police officer interpersonal relations.
CRJ 102	Introduction to Security	3	This course includes an introduction to the philosophy and application of security. The protection of personnel, facilities and other assets, as well as administrative, legal and technical problems of loss prevention and control are analyzed.

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Course Prefix/Number	Course Title	CEUs	Description
CRJ 110	Police Patrol	3	This course provides an understanding of the duties, extent of authority and responsibilities of the uniformed patrol officer. Special emphasis is placed on patrol function; line activities, including traffic control and investigation; community relations; vice control; tactical units; civil disturbances; and preventive patrol.
CRJ 220	The Judicial Process	3	This course includes an overview of the law-making function of the court, the growth of common law, the structure and organization of the courts, court processes and procedures involved in criminal and civil cases, and the question of reform for the administration of justice.
CRJ 140	Criminal Justice Report Writing	3	This course is a study of the proper preparation and retention of criminal justice records and reports, including observational skills, formatting, and the value of accurate, complete and selective written articulation of information and observations. <i>Prereq: ENG 100 or appropriate test score</i>

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Course Prefix/Number	Course Title	CEUs	Description
CRJ 222	Ethics in Criminal Justice	3	This course is a study of the application of ethical theories to the criminal justice profession.
CRJ 115	Criminal Law	3	This course covers the development of criminal law in America. The basic elements of specific criminal offenses, criminal defenses and various legal principles upon which criminal law is established are reviewed.