

MAJOR PLANNING WORKSHEET 2023-2024

Criminal Justice majors are assigned a faculty advisor at the time they are approved for admission into the major. Majors must meet with their assigned faculty advisor during their first semester. Advising appointments are scheduled online visit the CRJ website.

Students should consult other University publications and the Academic Advising Center (LSN-1013) to determine their catalog rights and to learn of all the graduation requirements which exist in addition to the work needed to complete an academic major in Criminal Justice.

Required Lower Division Courses (12 units)

Criminal Justice is currently an impacted major. See CRJ website (<https://www.csus.edu/college/health-human-services/criminal-justice/>) for current impaction and application information.

To be considered for acceptance into the Criminal Justice major, students must complete the following four courses with a grade of “C” or better, have completed a minimum of 45 units, have an overall GPA of 2.6 or higher, and submit the online Supplemental Application during the posted filing period.

- _____ Δ▼ CRJ 001 Introduction to Criminal Justice and Society (GE Area D)
- _____ Δ▼ CRJ 002 Law of Crimes
- _____ Δ▼ CRJ 004 General Investigative Techniques
- _____ CRJ 005 The Community and the Justice System

Required Upper Division Courses (24 units)

Students must achieve a “C-” grade or better in each upper division “C-” applied to the major and a GPA of at least 2.0 (“C”) in all upper division required courses.

- _____ ● CRJ 101 Introduction to Criminal Justice Research Methods
- _____ ● CRJ 102 Crime and Punishment
- _____ Δ▼● CRJ 121 Structure and Function of the American Courts
- _____ ▼● CRJ 123 Law of Arrest, Search and Seizure
- _____ ▼● CRJ 130 Fundamentals of Corrections
- _____ Δ▼● CRJ 141 Police and Society
- _____ ● CRJ 160 Justice & Public Safety Administration
- _____ ● CRJ 190 Contemporary Issues in Criminal Justice (UD core, SR status, WPJ)

- Student must be a declared CRJ major.
- ▼ Declared CRJ minors are permitted to take these courses. **SUSPENDED**
- Δ Declared FORI minors are permitted to take these courses.

Electives (see reverse): 24 units

Note: Up to 12 units of UD units from an approved minor may be applied toward CRJ electives.

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_____ Supporting Course
Elective: _____

(must be from Section VII on reverse, or from approved minor)

Electives (24 UNITS)

Students will collaborate with their Criminal Justice advisor to develop a plan of electives that reflects the student's academic and professional interests. Electives must be drawn from at least two of the listed "Areas of Interest," of which one must be from the "Supporting Courses" area. The Writing Intensive graduation requirement may be completed in the major. An approved minor may be substituted for up to 12 units of the major elective courses and fulfills the requirement for selection of a course from the "Supporting Courses."

Area of Interest I -- CRJ ADMINISTRATION

- CRJ 142 Police Admin (102, 160, 141)
- CRJ 144 Critical Issues in Police Admin (102, 141)
- CRJ 163 Leadership in CRJ & Public Safety (160)
- CRJ 165 Planning for Justice & Public Safety (101, 102, 160)
- CRJ 167 Collective Bargaining & Arbitration Issues in Public Safety
- CRJ 168 Justice & Public Safety Information Systems
- CRJ 169 Emergency Management

Area of Interest II -- INVESTIGATION & ENFORCEMENT

- CRJ 152 Interviewing & Detection of Deception (004, 102)
- Δ** CRJ 153 Advanced Criminal Investigation (004, 102)
- Δ** CRJ 154 Intro to Physical Evidence (004, 102)
- CRJ 156 Intro to Crime & Intelligence Analysis (101)

Area of Interest III -- CORRECTIONS

- CRJ 131 Correctional Institutions (101, 102, 130)
- CRJ 134 Community Based Corrections (101, 102, 130)
- CRJ 136 Corrections Administration (102, 130, 160)

Area of Interest IV -- OFFENSES AND OFFENDERS

- CRJ 105 Delinquency Prevention & Control (101, 102)
- CRJ 106 Analysis of Career Criminals (101, 102)
- CRJ 108 Domestic Crimes & Violence (101, 102)
- **CRJ 112** Gangs & Threat Groups in America (D)
- **CRJ 114** Sexual Offenses and Offenders (D)
- **CRJ 115** Violence and Terrorism (D)
- **CRJ 116** Restorative Justice & Conflict Resolution (D)
- **CRJ 117** American CRJ and Minority Groups (D, R&E)
- **CRJ 118** Drug Abuse and Criminal Behavior (D)
- CRJ 151 White Collar Crime
- CRJ 170 Human Trafficking and Slavery

Area of Interest V -- LAW & COURTS

- CRJ 125 Law of Responsibility
- CRJ 126 Law of Evidence (121, 123)
- CRJ 127 Juvenile Law (002, 102, 121)
- CRJ 128 Administrative Law for Public Safety Personnel (121, 123)

Area of Interest VI -- ADDITIONAL COURSES

- CRJ 109 Media, Crime, and Criminal Justice (101, 102)
- **CRJ 111** Women and the CRJ System (D)
- CRJ 172 Comparative Criminal Justice Systems (IR)
- CRJ 174 CRJ Systems of the Future
- CRJ 176 Security Systems (101, 102)
- CRJ 181 Topics In Criminal Justice
- CRJ 191 Topics in Criminal Justice Admin (101, 102)
- ≡** CRJ 195* Internship (SR; UD core)
- CRJ 196 Experimental Offerings in CRJ
- ≡** CRJ 198* Co-Curricular Activities
- ≡** CRJ 199 Special Problems(Senior status; all UD core)

GE: Courses in **BOLD** print are accepted toward GE designated by Area, and satisfaction of Writing Intensive (WI) and/or Race & Ethnicity (R&E) requirements.

- Course open to declared CRJ majors and minors only
- Δ** Declared FORI minors are permitted to take these courses.
- ≡** No more than 6 units of Credit/No Credit courses will be allowed towards completion of the degree

Area of Interest VII -- SUPPORTING COURSES

ACCY 161	Gov't & Non-Profit Accounting
ANTH 101	Cultural Diversity (D, R&E)
ANTH 144	Contemporary Amer. Culture in Anthropological Pers.
ANTH 159	Forensic Anthropology (B5)
ANTH 163	Urban Anthropology
ANTH 166	Rise of Religious Cults (C)
ANTH 183	Women Cross-Culturally (D)
ANTH 186	Culture and Poverty (D, WI, R&E)
ENGL 120P	Professional Writing
ENGL 120S	Writing in the Social Sciences
ETHN 100	Ethnic America (D, WI, R&E)
ETHN 110	Asian American Experience (D)
ETHN 117	Black Political Thought
ETHN 130	Chicano/Mexican-American Experience (D)
ETHN 131	La Raza Studies (D, R&E)
ETHN 136	U.S. Mexican Border Relations (D)
ETHN 140	Native-American Experience (D)
ETHN 155	Genocide and Holocaust Studies (D)
ETHN 170	Pan African Studies (D)
ETHN 173	The Black Family in the United States
GEOG 109	Geographic Information Systems
POLS 120A	Constitutional Law
POLS 120B	Constitutional Rights and Liberties
POLS 122	Law and Bureaucracy
POLS 155	United States Congress
POLS 165	Politics of the Underrepresented (D, WI, R&E)
POLS 170	Public Policy Development (Must have taken WPJ)
POLS 180	California State & Local Government (D)
HIST 162	Social History of the United States (D)
HIST 163	The City in United States History (D)
HIST 173	The Hist of the Civil Rights Mov: 1865-Pres(D, R&E)
HIST 177	The African-American Experience, 1603-Present (D, R&E)
HIST 180	History of the Legal System
PHIL 101	Ethics and Social Issues (D, WI)
PHIL 102	Professional and Public Service Ethics (C)
PHIL 122	Political Philosophy (C)
PHIL 155	Philosophy of Law
PHIL 160	Deductive Logic II
PSYC 103	Perception
PSYC 108	Organizational Psychology
PSYC 130	Personality Theories
PSYC 135	Psychology of Multicultural Groups (D)
PSYC 137	Stress Management (D)
PSYC 145	Social Psychology
PSYC 149	Psychology of Adolescence
PSYC 151/GERO 124	Psychological Aspects of Death
PSYC 168	Abnormal Psychology
RPTA 152	Law Enforcement for Rangers
RPTA 169	Traumatology: An intro to Posttraumatic Growth (B5)
SOC 120	Ethnic and Race Relations (D, R&E)
SOC 130	Political Sociology
SOC 136	Social Movements
SOC 155	Criminology (D)
SOC 156	Delinquency (D)
SOC 157	Issues in Courts and Prisons
SOC 158	Sociology of Deviance (E)
SOC 162	Middle Eastern Societies and Cultures (C)
SWRK 102	Cross-Cult. Theory & Practice: Issues of Race, Gender
SWRK 118	Chemical Dependency and SWRK Practice
SWRK 126	Theories of Criminal Behavior (D, WI)
SWRK 134	Crimes Without Victims (D)
SWRK 136	Poverty and Homelessness in America (D)
SWRK 137	The Child and the Law
SWRK 138	Violence in the Family
WOMS 139	Violence Against Women (D)