

Associate of Applied Science Degree Public Service Technologies

Criminal Justice - Corrections (9630)

The Corrections program introduces pre-service students to careers in corrections and equips students with both the skills and knowledge needed to pursue careers and/or additional education. Positions are available in federal, state, local, and private institutions as well as in community-based programs. Activities range from custody and control to responsibility for assisting in treatment and prevention programs.

The program is also intended to support the continued professional growth of in-service correctional practitioners through the enhancement of general skills and knowledge related to the correctional field. Therefore, credit may be granted for in-service practitioners who present proof of having completed advanced corrections-related training, educational programs and/or the Corrections Academy of the Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Corrections. Students seeking credit for experience should contact the Counseling Office or the Criminal Justice Program Director.

Legislative mandates also govern admission requirements for employment in the corrections field. These mandates include, but are not limited to, maintenance of both good moral character and a clean criminal record.

Lakeland graduates may, through transfer agreements with local four-year colleges, choose to continue their formal education toward positions in probation and parole systems, and advanced positions in a correctional agency, institution or community-based correctional facility.

A certificate is also available.

First Semester:

CRMJ 1110	Introduction to Criminal Justice	4
ENGL 1110*	English Composition I (A)	3
	OR	
ENGL 1111	English Composition I (B)	
ITIS 1005	Computers and Information Processing	3
SOCY 1150	Principles of Sociology	3
SPCH 1000	Effective Public Speaking	3
	OR	
SPCH 1100	Effective Interpersonal Communications	

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Second Semester:

CRMJ 1211**	Community Corrections	3
CRMJ 2244	Criminology	3
ENGL 1120	English Composition II	3
PSYC 1500	Introduction to Psychology	3
	Choose any Mathematics (from MATH 1550 or higher) or Science courses(s)	3-4

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Third Semester:

CRMJ 2210	Ethics in Criminal Justice	3
CRMJ 2212	Criminal Law	3
CRMJ 2260	Interview and Interrogation	3
HUMX 1100	Introduction to Humanities	3
POLS 1300	U.S. National Government	3
	Choose course(s) from the Technical Electives list **	3-4

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Fourth Semester:

CRMJ 2216	Criminal Procedure	3
CRMJ 2219	Correctional Practices and Challenges	3
CRMJ 2231	Juvenile Delinquency	3
CRMJ 2250	Current Issues in Criminal Justice	3
	Choose any course(s) as a general elective	3

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Program Total: 64-66

**English course selection is based on placement test results (ENGL 1111 is 4 credits, only 3 credits apply to the degree).*

Technical Electives: minimum 3 credits

CRMJ 1130	Crisis Intervention	3
CRMJ 2239**	Criminal Justice Practicum	3
HLTH 1210*	Medical Terminology	2
HLTH 1600*	Basic Pharmacology	2
PEHR 1121	Weight Training and Fitness Conditioning	1
PEHR 1650	Health Fitness	2
PSYC 2400	Child Psychology	3
PSYC 2700	Introduction to Psychopathology	3
SOCY 1190	Chemical Dependency and Society	3

**HLTH 1600 has a prerequisite of HLTH 1210 which can be taken concurrently.*

***Credit for CRMJ 1211, CRMJ 2239, and three (3) technical elective credits may be granted to persons who present proof of having completed the Corrections Officer Academy of the Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Corrections.*