

CRIMINAL JUSTICE

ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE

At Labette Community College we are preparing students to start a career in this professional field. The primary focus of the program is geared towards administration and management. Our goal is to provide students with the tools to pursue an advanced degree and a career in local, state, or federal agencies. The Criminal Justice Program Mission is to provide students with a strong, knowledge base of the criminal justice system to dispel myths, broaden perspectives, and prepare students to become inspirational leaders in the communities they serve.

LCC's criminal justice program is a military friendly college and awards college credit for prior service training received equivalent to course work required.

Credits Required: 62

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Recommended Course Sequence

It is recommended the student speak with an advisor and follow the strict semester plan, as these courses will be offered only during the semester sequence and rotation listed below.

SEM 1: CRIM 101, Concentration Elective

SEM 2: CRIM 112, CRIM 137

SEM 3: CRIM 119, CRIM 135, Concentration Elective

SEM 4: CRIM 138, Concentration Elective

After Graduation

There are many careers available in the criminal justice field. Different agencies require different educational levels. Many law enforcement agencies are requiring at minimum an associate's degree within their organizations. Many of our graduates have gone on to obtain advanced degrees, such as Bachelor and Master Degrees. Many graduates have gone into the following professional careers: State and local agencies as officers, detectives, agents and chiefs, correctional officers, federal agencies, college instructors, and private sector as private security, investigators, asset protections, etc.

Concentration Requirements 27

<input type="checkbox"/>	CRIM	101	Introduction to Administration of Justice	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	CRIM	112	Ethics in Criminal Justice	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	CRIM	119	Interview and Report Writing	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	CRIM	135	Criminal Procedures	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	CRIM	137	Criminal Law	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	CRIM	138	Juveniles in the Criminal Justice System	3
<input type="checkbox"/>			*Concentration Electives	9

General Education Requirements 35

<input type="checkbox"/>	COMM	101	Fundamentals of Speech	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	ENGL	101	English Composition I	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	ENGL	102	English Composition II	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	MATH	115	College Algebra <i>or higher</i>	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	PED	116	Lifetime Fitness	1
<input type="checkbox"/>			Physical Science Elective with lab	5
<input type="checkbox"/>			Natural Science Elective with lab	5
<input type="checkbox"/>			Humanities Electives	6
<input type="checkbox"/>			Social and Behavioral Science Electives	6

*Concentration Elective:

<input type="checkbox"/>	CRIM	111	Patrol Procedures	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	CRIM	118	Drugs in Society	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	CRIM	131	Community Policing	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	CRIM	204	Police Supervision and Management	3

Note: If a student has successfully completed the **Law Enforcement Academy**, the student may receive credit for the following courses. Students must pay tuition and fees for the courses they want added to their LCC transcript.

<input type="checkbox"/>	CRIM	111	Patrol Procedures	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	CRIM	119	Interview and Report Writing (subject to proficiency test)	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	CRIM	135	Criminal Procedures (subject to proficiency test)	3

Courses designated as Physical Science, Natural Science, Humanities, Social Behavioral and General Education electives can be found on page 82. Placement Tests or pre-requisites are required for English Composition I, Math courses and most General Education Electives. See page 31 for complete Placement information. All first-time, full-time students with fewer than 15 credit hours after high school graduation are required to enroll in the College Success Skills course during their first semester. Some courses are not offer each semester. Always make an appointment with your major advisor to enroll each semester.