

UNT | DALLAS

Division of Urban & Professional Studies Bachelor of Science – Criminal Justice (2011-2012)

Name: _____

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* Denotes a "Double-Dip" major-core course.

Core Requirements	Courses	Hrs	Progress	Course Requirements	Hrs	Progress
English 6 hours	ENGL 1313D College Writing I	3	—	Supporting Course Requirements		
Math 3 hours	ENGL 1323D College Writing II	3	—			
Science 6 hours	1.	3	—	*SOC 1510D Introduction to Sociology	3	—
	2.	3	—	PSYC 1630D General Psychology	3	—
				TECM 2700D Technical Writing	3	—
				COMM 1010D Introduction to Communication	3	—
Visual & Performing Arts 3 hours		3	—	Foundation Requirements		
Humanities 3 hours		3	—	CJUS 2100D Crime & Justice in the United States	3	—
				CJUS 2600D Diversity Issues	3	—
				CJUS 3201D Criminal Law	3	—
History 6 hours	HIST 2610D US to 1865	3	—	CJUS 3300D Police Systems	3	—
	HIST 2620D US from 1865	3	—	CJUS 3400D Correctional Systems	3	—
				CJUS 3600D Criminology	3	—
				*CJUS 3700D Ethical Issues in Criminal Justice	3	—
				CJUS 4200D Criminal Procedure	3	—
Political Science 6 hours	PSCI 1040D State & Local Govt	3	—	CJUS 4360D Criminal Investigation	3	—
	PSCI 1050D American Govt	3	—	CJUS 4700D Research Methods	3	—
				*CJUS 4901D Senior Seminar: Criminal Justice	3	—
*Social / Behavioral Science 3 hours		3	—	Criminal Justice Advanced Electives		
				CJUS 3/4XXXD _____	3	—
*Discovery 3 hours		3	—	CJUS 3/4XXXD _____	3	—
				CJUS 3/4XXXD _____	3	—
*Capstone 3 hours		3	—	CJUS 3/4XXXD _____	3	—
				CJUS 3/4XXXD _____	3	—

Minor, Certificate, or General Electives (24 hours)		
General Elective _____	—	—
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University College Evaluator: _____ Date: _____ Overall UNT GPA: _____ Overall GPA: _____ Catalog Year: _____

Graduation Check:
 It is the student's responsibility to: 1.) include this sheet with their graduation application; 2.) apply for graduation by the published deadline in the undergraduate catalog; 3.) Meet all requirements for the degree as stated by the University Catalog and official degree plan.

Student's Signature: _____

Date: _____

Faculty Mentor's Approval: _____

Date: _____

Dean's Approval: _____

Date: _____

GRADUATION APPLICATION PROCESSED	SIGNATURE: _____	DATE: _____
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Requirements for the Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Criminal Justice include the following:

1. **Hours Required and General/College Requirements:** A minimum of 120 semester hours, of which 42 must be at the 3000 level or above (advanced), and fulfillment of degree requirements for the Bachelor of Science degree.
 2. **Major Requirements:** 54 hours, including 48 hours in criminal justice and 15 hours of advanced criminal justice elective courses.
 3. **Minor Requirements:** A minor is not required **BUT** recommended. A minor requires at least 18 hours in a given subject, including 6 hours of advanced work. Specific course sequences for a minor are determined by the department offering the minor.
 4. **Supporting Course Requirements:**
 - a. SOCI 1510D- Introduction to Sociology
 - b. TECM 2700D- Technical Writing
 - c. COMM 1010D- Introduction to Communication
 - d. PSYC 1630D- General Psychology I
 5. **Other Requirements:** Students who have courses that “double-dip,” which count for both core and major, may be required to take additional electives to meet the 120 semester hour requirement
 6. **GPA Requirements:** All Criminal Justice students must have a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.0 to qualify for graduation.
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Frequently Asked Questions

Do you award academic credit for life or work experience in Criminal Justice?

Generally, we do not award academic credit for life or work experience in Criminal Justice. If you wish, you may discuss your particular experience with an academic advisor or Department Chair for guidance in this matter.

Can I perform an internship in criminal justice?

Students in the last semester of their criminal justice degree may participate in an internship, with a cooperating criminal justice agency subject to available space. Students cannot be guaranteed an internship with a specific agency. Students are the guests of the agencies and must meet all rules-dress code, confidentiality, and schedule and pass an agency's background investigation. Permission to perform an internship is revocable by the cooperating agency at anytime.

Do I need to take a foreign language as a degree requirement for criminal justice?

The bachelor's degree in criminal justice at UNT Dallas *does not* require a foreign language.