

Appendix A

Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice (BSCJ)
University of Arkansas - Fort Smith
In Partnership with Arkansas State University - Newport

Arkansas State University – Newport (ASUN) students interested in earning a Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice (BSCJ) degree from the University of Arkansas – Fort Smith (UAFS) may complete the first two years (lower division coursework) of the bachelor degree requirements at ASUN by completing an Associate of Science in Criminal Justice. Completed ASUN courses will be accepted by UAFS and applied to the BSCJ degree requirements according to the UAFS Undergraduate Academic Catalog. UAFS will offer the remaining BSCJ degree requirements through online courses. Per the partnership agreement, UAFS will transfer 64 hours of lower division coursework for the BSCJ.

Print Name: _____ Student ID _____
 Major Code: 4097, Catalog Year 2026-2027

ASU - Newport A.S. Criminal Justice Program Hours to Transfer to UAFS BSCJ [UAFS course numbers are italicized in brackets if different.]			
Hours	Courses	Notes	Grade
General Education Requirement (35 Hours)			
6	English Composition ENG 1003 Composition I [ENGL 10103] ENG 1013 Composition II [ENGL 10203]	1	
3	SPCH 1203 Oral Communication [SPCH 10003-Speech requirement]	1	
3	Math Select one course from the following: MATH 1023 College Algebra [MATH 11003] or MATH 1083 Quantitative Literacy [MATH 11103]	1	
8	Lab Sciences Select one lab science from Biology Select one lab science from Physical Sciences CHEM, GEOL, PHSC or PHYS	1	
3	Fine Arts Select one course from the following: ART 2503 Fine Arts Visual [HUMN 25603] MUS 2503 Fine Arts Musical [MUSC 10003] THEA 2503 Fine Arts Theatre [THTR 10003]	1	
3	Humanities Select one course from the following: ENG 2003 Introduction to Literature of the Western World I [TRAN2GEHU] ENG 2013 Introduction to Literature of the Western World II [TRAN2GEHU] PHIL 1103 Introduction to Philosophy [PHIL 11003]	1	
9	Social Science SOC 2213 Principles of Sociology [SOCI 10103] Choose 1 of the following: HIST 1013 World Civilization to 1660 [HIST 11103] or HIST 1023 World Civilization Since 1660 [HIST 11203] And take the following [History/Government requirement] POSC 2103 Introduction to US Government [PLSC 20003]	1	
Criminal Justice Program Requirements and additional lower level hours to be taken at ASUN (21 Hours)			

3	CRIM 1023 Introduction to Criminal Justice [CRJU 10203]		
3	CRIM 2043 Community Relations [electives]	4	
3	CRIM 2253 Criminal Investigations [electives]	4	
3	CRIM 2273 Criminal Law [CRJU 33073 elective]	4	
3	CRIM 1053 Introduction to Corrections [CJ 23173]		
3	CRIM 22603 Criminal Evidence and Procedure [CRJU 36073]		
3	SOC 2223 Social Problems – Social Science requirement [elective]	4	
Additional courses that can be taken at ASUN or UAFS (3 Hours)			
3	PSY 2013 Introduction to Psychology [PSYC 11003]	1	
Total Hours 59 ASUN A.S. Criminal Justice Program Hours that will transfer to the BSCJ.			
ADDITIONAL BSCJ PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS TO BE COMPLETED ONLINE THROUGH UAFS (61 Hours) Some courses may be transferred from another bachelor's degree granting institution with UAFS advisor approval.			
1	FINN 15201 Personal Finance Applications	6	
3	CRJU 12573 Criminology	2	
3	CRJU 23773 Police Systems and Practices	2	
3	CRJU 35173 Juvenile Delinquency and Juvenile Justice	2	
3	CRJU 39873 Introduction to Research Methods	2	
3	CRJU 41173 Professionalism and Ethics in Criminal Justice	2	
3	CRJU 49673 Criminal Justice Capstone	2	
27	CRJU upper-level electives	2, 3	
3	MATH 21003 Probability and Statistics I or BUSI 21003 Business Statistics [Can be taken at ASUN as MATH 2233 or ECON 2113]	1	
12	3 Upper-level free electives and 9 upper or lower-level free electives	4	
Total Hours 120 Must complete 40 hours of upper-level courses			
NOTES			
1: General Education Core Requirements, see Graduation Requirements section of UAFS Undergraduate Academic Catalog OR follow the ASUN General Education Core requirements. History/Government stipulation: must take POSC 2103 United States Government [PLSC 20003] and SOC 2213 Principles of Sociology [SOCI 10103] for social science.			
2: These courses are used to determine major GPA, see Graduation Requirements section of the UAFS Undergraduate Academic Catalog.			
3: Upper-level Criminal Justice electives, 27 hours. Confer with advisor.			
4: Free or Unrestricted Electives, 30 hours. In consultation with a faculty advisor, all of free electives may be upper or lower level.			
5. Must complete one foreign language course.			
6: Prior to graduation students must demonstrate competency in financial literacy by satisfying completion of FINN 15201 Personal Finance Applications (or an approved substitution) with a grade of C or better, or by a score of 70% or more on a challenge exam for FINN 15201.			
Program requirements- Must earn at least a "C" grade in all Criminal Justice courses applied to the degree.			

ACTS Transfer Course Information

The Arkansas Course Transfer System (ACTS) contains information about the transferability of courses within Arkansas public colleges and universities. Students are guaranteed the transfer of applicable credits and the equitable treatment of the application of credits for the admissions and degree requirements. Course transferability is not guaranteed for courses listed in ACTS as "No Comparable Courses." See ACTS - Arkansas Course Transfer System at acts.adhe.edu/studenttransfer.aspx for specific course information. See Acceptance of Transfer Credits section of the UAFS Undergraduate Academic Catalog for a complete list of transfer provisions.

Student Degree Program Requirements

A student's degree program requirements are those specified in the catalog in effect at the time of declaration of program major. Students must meet the above program requirements and the graduation requirements as indicated by institutional and college policy. The program can be changed only with the approval of the official advisor. If original courses are eliminated, students may be required to meet new curriculum requirements in the degree program. If students are not enrolled for two or more consecutive terms (excluding summer terms), they must reenter under the program requirements of the current catalog. Students are responsible for understanding program requirements and changes. This document is not official until signed and dated by both the student and an authorized university representative.

Student signature _____

Date _____

Advisor signature _____

Date _____