



THE ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE (A.A.S.)

The Associate of Applied Science Degree is designed for employment purposes, and it should not be assumed that the degree or the courses in the degree can be transferred to another institution. While a few institutions have recently begun to accept some courses in A.A.S. programs, the general rule is that courses in the A.A.S. degree are not accepted in transfer toward bachelor's degrees. Students to whom transfer is important should get assurance in writing in advance from the institution to which they wish to transfer and be aware that they may be required to complete additional lower-division courses to meet specified prerequisite course requirements for their chosen baccalaureate degree program upon Arkansas public university transfer.

ATTENTION STUDENTS: PLEASE SEE CURRENT CATALOG FOR ALL FEES AND CHARGES ASSOCIATED WITH THIS DEGREE.

DEGREE PLAN ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Degree Code: 0390 CIP Code: 43.0103

The program is designed for graduates to pursue a career in criminal justice. Credit may be awarded to those students who have completed certified law enforcement training. See the criminal justice instructor for assistance.

Students pursuing an A.A.S. in Criminal Justice should be aware that a criminal history might prevent them from eligibility for completing CRJ 2273 Criminal Justice Internship. This course requires a criminal background check.

Program Learning Outcomes for A.A.S. Criminal Justice Program

1. Students will develop a knowledge of the Criminal Justice System.
2. Students will demonstrate knowledge of theories associated with the causes of crime.
3. Students will develop an understanding of various approaches to addressing crime.
4. Students will be able to identify primary branches of the Criminal Justice System and their respective roles.
5. Students will demonstrate a basic understanding of how to develop and collect latent fingerprints and process other physical evidence.

Students completing the general education core at ASUMH will have demonstrated proficiency in the following skills:

6. Applications of Math and the Natural Sciences appropriate to degree or field of study.
7. Composition and Oral Communication.
8. Evaluation of diverse perspectives and cultures through Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences.
9. Utilization of technology appropriate to degree or field of study.

Name: _____
Advisor: _____

Date: _____
Student ID# _____

<u>COURSE CODE</u>	<u>COURSE NAME</u>	<u>CREDIT HOURS</u>	<u>HOURS COMPLETED</u>
General Education Requirements (24 credit hours)			
Composition (6 credit hours)			
ENGL	10103	Composition I (must earn a "C" or better)	3
ENGL	10203	Composition II (must earn a "C" or better)	3
Mathematics (3 credit hours)			
MATH	10133	Applied Math or higher-level mathematics course	3
Social Science/Understanding Global Issues (9 credit hours)			
HIST	21103	The United States to 1876 OR	
HIST	21203	The United States since 1876 OR	
PLSC	20003	United States Government	3
PSYC	11003	Introduction to Psychology	3
SOCI	10103	Principles of Sociology	3
Communications (3 credit hours)			
BUSI	20103	Business Communications OR	
SPCH	10003	Oral Communication	3
Computer (3 credit hours)			
CPSI	26393	Microcomputer Business Applications	3
Police Science Core (36 credit hours)			
CRIM	20203	Criminology	3
CRJU	10203	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
CRJU	10233	Police Organization and Administration	3

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CRJU 20073	Criminal Law I	3	_____
CRJU 20433	Community Relations in Law Enforcement	3	_____
CRJU 20483	Criminal Evidence and Procedure	3	_____
CRJU 21233	Community Corrections	3	_____
CRJU 21433	Juvenile Delinquency	3	_____
CRJU 25103	Criminal Investigation	3	_____
SOCI 20103	Social Problems	3	_____

Directed Electives (Choose Any 6 credit hours)

Courses taken to satisfy general education and degree requirements cannot be used to fulfill the elective requirements. Choose 6 credit hours from any BIOL, BUSI, CPSI, CRIM, CRJU, EMSC, HNRS, PHSC, or PHYS course.

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Program Total 60 hours