

Bachelor of Science Major in Criminal Justice*

Student Worksheet

Requirement Area	Sub Area / Topic	# credit hours	Courses	Completed
I. Communication	English	6	ENGL U101 or HONS U101; ENGL U102;	
	Speech	3	SPCH U201	
II. Mathematics, Logic & Natural Sciences	Mathematics	3	MATH U120 or higher	
	Natural Science (w/ lab)	4	ASTR U111/U111L; BIOL U110/L, U143/L, U220/L, U244/L, U250/L; CHEM U101/L, U106/L, U109/L; GEOL U101/L, U102/L, U103/L; or PHYS U101/U101L	
	Math, Logic and/or Natural Science	3	LOGC U205, U207; GEOG U201; HONS U121; or PSYC U225	
III. Information Technology	Information Technology	3	CSCI U138; DGST U101; INFO U101, U102; LIBR U201 or MUSC U162	
IV. Fine Arts, Humanities & History	Fine Arts	3	AFAM U204; ARTH U101, U105, U106; ENGL U208; HONS U120; MUSC U110, U140; SOST U201; THEA U161, U170	
	History	3	HIST U101, U102, U105, or U106	
<i>The minimum acceptable level of competency is completion of the 101 level of a language. Students who place into the 102 or higher level of a language satisfy the language requirement but will have additional hours in general education electives, if hours are required by their degree program.</i>				
V. Foreign Language & Culture	Foreign Language	6¹	Choose any 2: ASLG U101, U102; CHIN U101, U102; FREN U101, U102; GERM U101, U102; HONS U250, U350; SPAN U101, U102	
VI. Social & Behavioral Sciences	Social & Behavioral Science	9	ANTH U102, PSYC U101 or HONS U122; SOCY U101 or HONS U201; POLI U101; & SPCH U210	
<i>Choose from the options below if hours are required in the major.</i>				
VII. General Education Electives	General Ed. Electives	0-6	Any General Education course or courses.	

¹ Students who place into the 102 level of a language must complete three (3) hours of language and will have an additional three (3) hours in general education electives. Students who place into the 201 level or higher of a language satisfy the language requirement but will have an additional six (6) hours in general education electives. It is not necessary for all 6 hours to be from the same language.

Major Requirements ¹		
	credit hrs.	Completed
CRJU U101: Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	
CRJU U210: Policing in America	3	
CRJU U220: The Criminal Courts	3	
CRJU U230: Introduction to Corrections	3	
CRJU U361: Crim. Justice Research Methods	3	
CRJU U371: Criminological Theory	3	
CRJU U501: Criminal Justice Senior Seminar	3	
Additional upper-level criminal justice courses (A maximum of 6 hours may be earned from CRJU U490)	15	
To enroll in all criminal justice courses, prerequisites must be completed with a C or higher.		
A criminal justice course used to meet major requirements may not be attempted more than twice. Attempts include receiving a "W," "WF," and "AUDIT." Appeals to this policy may be made to the Department of Sociology, Criminal Justice, and Women's Studies Academic Affairs Committee.		

Supporting Courses		9
	credit hrs.	Completed
Statistics ¹ : CRJU U362 <i>or</i> MATH U102 <i>or</i> PSYC U225 <i>or</i> SOCY U201		
Ethics: CRJU U403 <i>or</i> PHIL U211, U311, <i>or</i> U321, <i>or</i> SPCH U303 <i>or</i> HONS U301		
One course from the following: CRJU U304, CRJU U490, UNIV U304, or another "Career Planning" course approved by academic advisor		

OPTIONAL: Crime Analysis Concentration		15
Courses taken for this concentration can count toward the CRJU major.		
	credit hrs.	Completed
CRJU U272: Foundations of Crime Analysis	3	
CRJU U365: Tactical Crime Analysis	3	
CRJU U366: Strategic Crime Analysis	3	
CRJU U468: Advanced Topics in Crime Analysis	3	
CRJU U498: Practical Crime Analysis	3	

Cognate or Minor	12-21
Criminal justice majors may select a cognate (12 hours) or a minor (18-21 hours) in consultation with their advisors. Palmetto College students need to select a cognate. No minors are currently offered online.	

Cognate ¹		12
	credit hrs.	Completed

Minor ¹ (Discipline)		18-21
	credit hrs.	Completed

Electives		4-20
	credit hrs.	Completed

Total Hours Required	120
¹ A minimum grade of C is required in all courses. Note: Fifteen credit hours of criminal justice (beyond CRJU U101), including senior seminar, applied toward graduation must be awarded by USC Upstate.	

*The B.S. in Criminal Justice is also offered through Palmetto College. Currently enrolled USC Upstate students who wish to transfer to the Palmetto College must have permission of the Chair of the Department of Sociology, Criminal Justice, and Women's and Gender Studies. For more information, visit <http://palmettocollege.sc.edu>.