

This Associate in Arts degree program is designed for students who plan to earn the B.S. degree in Criminal Justice from Florida A & M University.

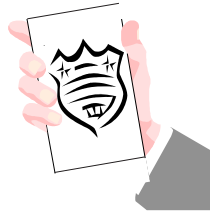
For additional program information, visit the [FAMU website](#).

Possible employment areas in this career field include law enforcement officer, youth counselor (juvenile aftercare), probation officer, college teacher (with additional training and education), parole officer, research director, correctional counselor, criminologist (criminal/juvenile justice agencies), probation counselor (juvenile court), administrator (criminal/juvenile justice agencies), consumer safety officer, correctional officer, private investigator, expert witness, private/corporate security officer/director.

For more information please visit The Occupational Outlook Handbook: [Correctional Officers, Probation Officers, Police/Detectives, Social Workers, College/University Faculty](#).

The courses listed on this guide are not to be construed as a contract between the student and Chipola or the University. Course requirements may change each year. You are encouraged to work closely with your advisor and with FAMU.

Associate in Arts Degree



Criminal Justice

Transfer Institution: Florida A & M University

Code Program Length
1040 60 credits

2008-2009

For more information
Contact:

Student Services
Chipola College
(850) 718-2266



Entrance Requirements

Graduates must be able to pass a background check for most employment in the criminal justice—law enforcement field. Check with FAMU for specific GPA requirements and application deadline dates.

Background checks are performed on individuals seeking employment in law enforcement and corrections in the State of Florida. Background checks include but are not limited to: U.S. citizenship; 19 years of age; fingerprints for background checks by FDLE and FBI; no conviction or guilty plea for domestic violence; no conviction, guilty plea, or nolo contendere for any felony or misdemeanor involving perjury or false statement whether or not adjudication was withheld; pass a physical exam by a licensed physician; pass a skills ability examination; pass an eight panel drug screen; not have received a dishonorable discharge from the military; have a valid driver's license; be a high school graduate or equivalent; and be of good moral character.

FRESHMAN YEAR

| 1st Semester | | Sem. Hrs. | 2nd Semester | | Sem. Hrs. |
|-------------------------|--|-----------|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|
| ENC 1101 | Communication Skills I | 4 | ENC 1102 | Communication Skills II | 4 |
| CCJ 1020 or XXX XXXX | Intro to Criminal Justice or ELECTIVE | 3 | XXX XXXX | ELECTIVE | 3 |
| XXX XXXX | NATURAL SCIENCE | 3 | XXX XXXX | NATURAL SCIENCE | 3 |
| XXX XXXX | MATHEMATICS | 3 | XXX XXXX | MATHEMATICS | 3 |
| SLS 1101 & SLS 1106 | Orientation & FYLE (01/2009) | 2 | CJC 1000 or XXX XXXX | Intro to Corrections or ELECTIVE | 2-3 |
| TOTAL | | 15 | TOTAL | | 15-16 |

SOPHOMORE YEAR

| 1st Semester | | Sem. Hrs. | 2nd Semester | | Sem. Hrs. |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------|------------|-----------|
| XXX XXXX ¹ | GORDON RULE WRITING | 4 | XXX XXXX | ELECTIVE | 3 |
| XXX XXXX | GEN. ED. REQUIRED COURSE | 3 | XXX XXXX | ELECTIVE | 3 |
| XXX XXXX | SOCIAL SCIENCE | 3 | XXX XXXX | ELECTIVE | 3 |
| POS 2041 | American Federal Government | 3 | XXX XXXX | ELECTIVE | 3 |
| XXX XXXX | ELECTIVE | 2-3 | XXX XXXX | HUMANITIES | 3 |
| TOTAL | | 15-16 | TOTAL | | 15 |

¹ Choose 4 hours from the following: AML 2010, AML 2020, ENL 2012, ENL 2022, ENC 1133, HUM 2216, HUM 2233, or SPT 2521.