



**Transfer Degree Map:
Associate of Arts Field of Study: Criminal Justice to
Lamar University
Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice (online)**



4 – Year Suggested Academic Plan for Transfer, Effective Fall 2023

| First Year - Freshman | | | | | | | |
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| Fall Semester | | | | Spring Semester | | | |
| LSC | University | Course Name | Hrs | LSC | University | Course Name | Hrs |
| EDUC 1300 (1) | | Learning Framework: 1 st Year Exp. | 3 | ENGL 1302 | ENGL 1302 | Composition & Rhetoric II | 3 |
| ENGL 1301 | ENGL 1301 | Composition and Rhetoric I | 3 | HIST Option | (Core 060) | Choose from LSC Core Curriculum | 3 |
| HIST 1301 | HIST 1301 | U.S. History I | 3 | Creative Arts | (Core 050) | Choose from LSC Core Curriculum | 3 |
| MATH 1314 | MATH 1314 | College Algebra | 3 | CRIJ 1306 | CRIJ 1306 | Court Systems & Practices | 3 |
| CRIJ 1301 | CRIJ 1301 | Intro to Criminal Justice | 3 | SOCI 1301 (1) | SOCI 1301 | Principles of Sociology | 3 |
| Total | | | 15 | Total | | | 15 |
| Summer Session | | | | | | | |
| SPCH 1315 | COMM 1315 | Public Speaking | 3 | PHED 1164 | (Core 90) | Intro. to Physical Fitness & Wellness | 1 |
| Total | | | 3 | Total | | | 1 |
| Second Year - Sophomore | | | | | | | |
| Fall Semester | | | | Spring Semester | | | |
| LSC | University | Course Name | Hrs | LSC | University | Course Name | Hrs |
| GOVT 2305 | POLS 2301 | Federal Government | 3 | CRIJ 2328 | CRIJ 2328 | Police Systems & Practices | 3 |
| Life Phys. Sci. | (Core 30) | Choose from options listed below (2) | 4 | Life & Phys. Sci. | (Core 30) | Choose from options listed below (2) | 4 |
| PSYC 2301 | Elective | General Psychology | 3 | PHIL 1301 | PHIL1370 | Introduction to Philosophy | 3 |
| CRIJ 1310 | CRIJ 1300 | Fundamentals of Criminal Law | 3 | GOVT 2306 | POLS 2302 | Texas Government | 3 |
| CRIJ 2313 | CRIJ 2313 | Correctional Systems & Practices | 3 | MATH 1342 or PSYC 2317 | MATH 1342 or PSYC 2317 | Statistics or Basic Statistics | 3 |
| Total | | | 16 | Total | | | 16 |
| Third Year - Junior | | | | | | | |
| Fall Semester | | | | Spring Semester | | | |
| University | Course Name | | Hrs | University | Course Name | | Hrs |
| Dept. Req. | Social Science Courses (3) | | 3 | CRIJ 3311 | Crime and Criminals | | 3 |
| CRIJ 4311 | Ethical Issues in Criminal Justice | | 3 | CRIJ Elective | Advanced CRIJ Elective – see Advisor | | 3 |
| CRIJ 4300 | Legal Research Brief | | 3 | CRIJ Elective | Advanced CRIJ Elective – see Advisor | | 3 |
| COSC 1371 | Microcomputers | | 3 | Dept. Req. | Social Science Courses (3) | | 3 |
| CRIJ Elective | Advanced CRIJ Elective – see Advisor | | 3 | CRIJ Elective | Advanced CRIJ Elective – see Advisor | | 3 |
| Total | | | 15 | | | | 15 |
| Fourth Year – Senior | | | | | | | |
| Fall Semester | | | | Spring Semester | | | |
| University | Course Name | | Hrs | University | Course Name | | Hrs |
| Dept. Req. | Social Science Courses (3) | | 3 | CRIJ 4340 | Criminal Justice App | | 3 |
| CRIJ 4321 | Responses to Crime | | 3 | CRIJ Elective | Advanced CRIJ Elective – see Advisor | | 3 |
| CRIJ 4380 | Criminal Justice Research | | 3 | Advd Elective | Advanced General Elective | | 3 |
| CRIJ Elective | Advanced CRIJ Elective – see Advisor | | 3 | Advd Elective | Advanced General Elective | | 3 |
| CRIJ Elective | Advanced CRIJ Elective – see Advisor | | 3 | Advd Elective | Advanced General Elective | | 3 |
| Total | | | 15 | Total | | | 15 |

Notes/Comments:

- (1) EDUC 1300 is only required for First Time in College Students (FTIC). If not FTIC, student will complete SOCI 1301.
- (2) Life and Physical Science options: BIOL 1406, 1407, 2401, or 2402; GEOL 1403, or 1404; PHYS 1401, 1402, 2425, or 2426.
- MATH 1342 or PSYC 2317 Courses are not required for completion of the AS degree at LSC but may be taken at LSC to satisfy program requirements at Lamar University. These courses are recommended for completion prior to transfer.**
- (3) Departmental Requirements: 9 hours, junior or senior-level SOCI, PSYC, ANTH, SOWK or POLS
- (4) Minor/Elective Requirements: 6 hours any level course (includes PSYC 2301 transfer), 12 hours 3000–level courses.



Lamar University – Transfer Information



Program Specific Information:

Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice (online)

- A grade of “C” or higher for each course in the major field (including transfer courses) is required for graduation.

Program Admissions Requirements:

- 2.0 minimum GPA

Transfer of Credit & Student Benefits:

- Transfer Academic Excellence Scholarship and Phi Theta Kappa (PTK) Scholarship available to full-time students:
 - Please refer to <https://beacardinal.lamar.edu/paying-for-college/transfer-scholarships.html> for Eligibility Requirements and Renewal Requirements

| Transfer Academic Excellence Scholarship | | |
|---|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| Transferrable GPA | Scholarship Amount/Year | Renewable? |
| 3.5-4.0 | \$2,000 | Yes |
| 3.0-3.49 | \$1,500 | Yes |
| Phi Theta Kappa (PTK) Scholarship | | |
| 3.0-4.0 | \$1,000 | Yes |

- Reverse transfer
- Students jointly admitted to Lamar University will receive same benefits as student of the institution
- LSC Honors students will receive consideration for acceptance to Lamar’s Honors College

Field Of Study Courses:

CRIJ 1301
 CRIJ 1306
 CRIJ 1310
 CRIJ 2313
 CRIJ 2328

FOS courses are guaranteed to transfer and apply to degree programs at all Texas public institutions of higher education, including community colleges, state and technical colleges, universities, and health-related institutions. This means the courses will transfer and apply from a two-year to a four-year institution, from a two-year to a two-year institution, from a four-year to a