



AAS in Criminal Justice to
Bachelor of Applied Arts and Sciences –
Criminal Justice Concentration
Guided Pathway
Effective for the 2020-2021 Catalog



First Year – Central Texas College

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
CJSA 1322/CRIJ 1301 Introduction to Criminal Justice	CJSA 1327/CRIJ 1310 Fundamentals of Criminal Law
CJSA 2300/CRIJ 2323 Legal Aspects of Law Enforcement	CJSA 1317/CRIJ 1313 Juvenile Justice System
CJSA 1313/CRIJ 1306 Court Systems and Practices	CJSA 1348 Ethics in Criminal Justice
CJSA 1312/CRIJ 1307 Crime in America	° ENGL 1302 or 2311
° ENGL 1301 Composition I	° MATH 1332, 1342 or higher level

Total Semester Hours: 15

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Second Year – Central Texas College

It's best to apply to Midwestern State University a full semester before you plan to transfer. It will help if you submit a copy of this pathway with your application.

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
CJSA 1359/CRIJ 2328 Police Systems and Practices	CJSA 2331 Child Abuse, Prevention and Investigation
CJSA 1342/CRIJ 2314 Criminal Investigation	ELEC Criminal Justice Elective
ELEC Criminal Justice Elective	° SPCH 1315 or SPCH 1321
° SOCI 1301 Introduction to Sociology	° ELEC Humanities/Fine Arts Selection
° GOVT 2305 Federal Government	ELEC Computer Technology Skills

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You will need to apply for the associate's degree at your community college. Contact your advisor there for more information.

Third Year – Midwestern State University

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FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
°Life & Physical Science	°Life & Physical Science
°Creative Arts	°HIST 1233 (1302) U.S. History since 1865
°HIST 1133 (1301) U.S. History from 1865	°Undergraduate Inquiry
°POLS 1333 (GOVT 2301)*	°Cultural & Global Understanding

Total Semester Hours:12

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Fourth Year – Midwestern State University

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FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
CRJU 3213 Research Methods	CRJU 4213 Criminal Law
CRJU 3223 Terrorism	CRJU 4223 Criminal Procedure
CRJU 3253 Police-Community Relations	CRJU 4253 Comparative Crim Just System
CRJU 371 Ethical Issues in CJ	CRJU 4273 Homeland Security
CRJU 3913 Fund of Criminal Investigation	CRJU 4413 Administration of Justice
CRJU 3923 Criminal Intelligence	BAAS 4113, Capstone Project

Total Semester Hours:18

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The above are sample courses and students have a great amount of flexibility and personalization in selecting professional development courses which will augment personal, academic, and professional goals.

This is not an official degree plan. Check with an advisor; degree plans may change in later catalogs.

Part-time students may also follow this sequence. Developmental coursework may be required.

* You may take a different course to meet this requirement. A specific list is available from your advisor.

° This course counts for the Core Curriculum at any public college or university in Texas.

() Course numbers shown in parentheses are equivalent to these courses at Midwestern State University.

*For questions about the University portion of this pathway,
Contact the BAAS Office at (940) 397-4400 or email: baas@msutexas.edu.*