



**AAS Criminal Justice-Texas Peace Officer to
Bachelor of Applied Arts & Sciences
Criminal Justice Concentration**



**Guided Pathway
Effective for the 2019-2020 Catalog**

First Year - Hill College

This degree plan is restricted to students who have already completed the basic academy requirements for Texas Peace Officer Licensure. Completion of the requirements below leads to the Associate in Applied Science Degree and qualifies the student for the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Officer Standards and Education (TCLEOSE) licensed peace officer examination, to pursue further college training or to seek employment in the field of criminal justice/law enforcement. Restricted admission.

FIRST SEMESTER – 12 Hours	SECOND SEMESTER – 14 Hours
CRIJ 1301 Introduction to Criminal Justice	CRIJ 2301 Community Resources in Corrections
CRIJ 1306 Court Systems and Practices	*PHED 1 Hour Activity
CRIJ 1310 Fundamentals of Criminal Law	^c BIOL 2401 Anatomy & Physiology I
CRIJ 1313 Juvenile Justice	^c ENGL 1301 Composition I
**Completion of Basic Academy	^c * SPCH 1315 Public Speaking

****Requires completion of the Basic Academy (This program is not currently offered at Hill College. Hours may be transferred in, pending approval).**

Second Year – Hill 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 - 12 Hours
BCIS 1305 Business Computer Applications
^c PSYC 2301 General Psychology
^c * ELECTIVE Language, Philosophy and Culture or Creative Arts Core
^c * MATH College Level Mathematics Elective

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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 Bachelor of Applied Arts & Sciences
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FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
^o ENGL 1153 (1302) Academic Writing & Lit	^o Creative Arts
^o Life & Physical Science	^o Undergraduate Inquiry
^o HIST 1133 (1301) U.S. History from 1865	^o HIST 1233 (1302) U.S. History since 1865
^o POLS 1333 (GOVT 2306)*	^o POLS 1433 (GOVT 2305)*
^o Cultural & Global Understanding	

**Fourth Year - Midwestern State University Bachelor of Applied Arts & Sciences
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FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
Select Criminal Justice Courses w/Advisor	Select Criminal Justice Courses w/Advisor
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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 and does not count toward degree hours.

- * You may take a different course to meet this requirement. A specific list is available from your advisor.
- ^c This course counts for the Core Curriculum at any public college or university in Texas. Sometimes, taking a specific course to meet a Core requirement will also fulfill other requirements for your degree. If this course meets more than one requirement it is listed as the correct option (with no asterisk).
- ²Taking both GOVT courses at Hill College creates a better alignment.