

Criminal Justice

The following matrix indicates those courses deemed transferable among institutions listed across the top of the matrix. The numbers on the matrix represent the number of semester hours associated with the course at each institution and which institutions have agreed to transfer the commonly numbered course in each row.

A list of the academic discipline liaisons contacts for each institution are listed at the bottom of this document.

Prefix	Number	GERTA	Course Title	BSC	DSU	LRSC	MISU	NDSCS	NDSU	UND	VCSU	WSC	NHSC	TMCC	UTTC
CJ	101	ND:SS	Fundamentals of Law Enforcement			3									
CJ	102		Investigation Techniques			2									
CJ	104		Defensive Tactics			2									
CJ	150		Patrol Procedures			3									
CJ	155		Police Skills			4									
CJ	157		Correctional Officer Skills			3									
CJ	160		The Legal System					4							
CJ	170		Introduction to Security	3											
CJ	171		Internal Theft Investigation and Control	3											
CJ	172		Business and Retail Security	3											
CJ	175		Comparative Security Systems	3											
CJ	201	ND:SS	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	3	3		3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
CJ	210		Introduction to Policing	3		3			3	3					
CJ	215		Community Policing												3
CJ	220/320	ND:SS	Criminal Law	3		4									3
CJ	223		Police Administration	3											
CJ	226	ND:SS	Criminal Investigation	3					3			3		3	3
CJ	231		Criminal Evidence and Procedure	3											
CJ	230	ND:SS	Criminology						3						
CJ	232		Administration of Justice	3				3							

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CJ	235		Field Experience and Internship	3											
CJ	243		Introduction to Homeland Security	3											
CJ	254		Juvenile Justice System	3											3
CJ	270		Introduction to Corrections	3					3	3					
CJ	271		Community Based Corrections	3		3									
CJ	330		Criminological Theory				3			3					
CJ	361		Victimology				3			3					
CJ	401		Administration of Criminal Justice Systems				3								

CJ 101 Fundamentals of Law Enforcement

Designed to cover the basic subject matter necessary for the proper performance of police duties. This class deals with the subjects consistently relied upon by the law enforcement officer in making the decisions associated with all law enforcement tasks.

CJ 102 Investigation Techniques

This course will explore the fundamental principles and abstractions of investigations. Emphasis is placed on the basic overview of criminal investigation, methods, and techniques to solve criminal offenses.

CJ 104 Defensive Tactics

This course combines the legal principles of the use of force and physical self-defense with hands on defensive tactics training to include: pepper spray, baton, Pressure Point Control Tactics (PPCT), and force on force simulation.

CJ 150 Patrol Procedures

This course covers the theories, procedures, and methods of operations associated with police patrol duties. Specifically, the course deals with development of a working knowledge of traffic codes, traffic offenses, and the discretionary powers available to the working police officer.

CJ 155 Police Skills

This course offers the student an extensive hands-on approach to learning the tasks commonly performed by the working police officer. Special emphasis is placed on "learning by doing" and includes performance of several duties, such as searches, handcuffing, interviews, court testimony, report writing, and public speaking.

CJ 157 Correctional Officer Skills

This course offers the student an extensive hands-on approach to learning the tasks commonly performed by the working Correctional Officer. Special emphasis is placed on learning by doing and includes instruction on cell searches, forced cell moves, inmate rights, and cross gender supervision.

CJ 160 The Legal System

Function and ethics of the Legal Assistant in the law office and legal system. An introduction to the federal and state court systems, personnel in the legal field, and the historical development and nature of the law.

CJ 170 Introduction to Security

The history, nature and scope of private security in modern society; the basic principles of physical security, internal loss prevention, defensive systems, fire prevention and safety; the security function in the corporate structure; operations and career opportunities exemplified in such specific areas as retail, hospital, cargo and computer security services, contract or proprietary.

CJ 171 Internal Theft Investigation and Control

How and why employee theft occurs in its many forms, and its impact on business. Internal theft controls, including pre-employment screening, honesty testing, management's role in preventing internal theft, cash, and merchandise controls.

CJ 172 Business and Retail Security

Differentiation within the entire security system. Trends of business and retail security systems and methodology for providing retail security needs. Detection and control of loss and prevention techniques.

CJ 175 Comparative Security Systems

A study of the security requirements in specific areas. Topical subjects would be in bank, campus, computer, hospital, transportation, and energy programs, etc. The emphasis placed on each subject would relate to specific needs associated with the community and the areas the degree program would service.

CJ 201 Introduction to Criminal Justice

Examination of the criminal justice system and process. Including crime, law-making, criminality, prosecution, police, courts, and corrections.

CJ 210 Introduction to Policing

Exploration of the history, organization, structure, and process of police systems.

CJ 215 Community Policing

This course examines the attitude of the police and community toward each other, an exploration into those factors that help develop mutual understanding and support between the police and the public. These principles will be related to cultural issues on the reservation.

CJ 220/320 Criminal Law

Examination of the definitions of acts and omissions, with an emphasis on historical and philosophical concepts of criminal law.

CJ 223 Police Administration

Administration of police line operations; review principles of various administrative styles for organization and administration of staff functions and activities; including policy, personnel distribution and analysis of operations.

CJ 226 Criminal Investigation

Introduction to criminal investigation procedures including theory of an investigation, conduct at crime scenes, collection and preservation of physical evidence; methods used in police science laboratory, fingerprints, ballistics, documents, serology, photography, and related forensic sciences.

CJ 230 Criminology

Introduction to the study of criminal behavior and the measurement of crime and victimization. Major theories of crime causation and specific types of crime will be examined.

CJ 231 Criminal Evidence and Procedure

Deals with rules of evidence of particular import at the operational level in law enforcement and with criminal procedure in important areas such as arrest, force, and search and seizure.

CJ 232 Administration of Justice

For criminal justice students or laymen; designed to broaden the understanding of the student concerning the various agencies involved in the administration of criminal law. Emphasis is placed upon the more important law enforcement functions and interrelationships from arrest to executive pardon.

CJ 235 Field Experience and Internship

Observation and work experience under the direction of a faculty member in a local, county, or state criminal justice agency.

CJ 243 Introduction to Homeland Security

This course discusses the historic overview of the events of terrorism that lead to the establishment of the Department of Homeland Security, statutory authority, organization/reorganization of agencies, weapons of mass destruction and safety and security to provide for a safe America. Introduction to Homeland Security provides important and up-to-date information about terrorism, terrorist behavior, homeland security policies and dilemmas, and how to deal effectively with threats and the consequences of attacks.

CJ 254 Juvenile Justice System

Special legal status of the juvenile, protective services, the juvenile and family, court movement, and child labor laws. Emphasis on non-criminal aspects of administration of juvenile justice, guardianship, dependency, neglect, child support, paternity, and adoption.

CJ 270 Introduction to Corrections

Survey of current correctional thought and practices in the United States. Evolution of modern correctional practices in the United States. Overview of correctional treatment in different types of institutions and in the community.

CJ 271 Community Based Corrections

Basic concepts, history, legislation and practices used in work with juveniles and adults who have been placed on probation or parole; criteria of selection, methods of supervision, and elements of case reporting.

CJ 330 Criminological Theory

Critical examination of the major schools of criminological thought and their influence on the development of criminal justice policy.

CJ 361 Victimology

Course examines the issues and status of victims in the criminal justice system and society.

CJ 401 Administration of Criminal Justice Systems

Study of organizational perspectives in the administration of justice.