

Associate of Arts in Criminal Justice to Bachelor of Arts in Criminology & Justice Studies, General Concentration

Kent State University's B.A. in Criminology and Justice Studies, General Concentration is Offered On-Ground at the Ashtabula Campus, East Liverpool Campus, Kent Campus, Salem Campus, Stark Campus, Trumbull Campus, and Tuscarawas Campus

SUGGESTED SEQUENCE AT STARK STATE COLLEGE		
Semester One	16 Credits	KSU Equivalent
SSC101 Student Success Seminar	1	TRAN 1X000
ITD122 Computer Applications for Professionals	3	CIS 24053
ENG124 College Composition	3	ENG 11011 (KCP1)
PHL122 Ethics	3	PHIL 21001 (KHUM) (DIVG)
CJS121 Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	CRIM 12000
<i>Social & Behavioral Sciences Elective</i> ⁴ SOC121 Sociology required for B.A.	3	SOC 12050 (KSS) (DIVD)
Semester Two	15-18 Credits	KSU Equivalent
<i>Mathematics Elective</i> ⁶	3-4	(KMCR)
<i>Natural Sciences Elective</i> ²	3-5	(KBS)
<i>Social & Behavioral Sciences Elective</i> ⁴	3	(KSS)
CJS124 Policing	3	CRIM 22300
CJS129 Corrections	3	CRIM 26701
Semester Three	15-17 Credits	KSU Equivalent
<i>Natural Sciences Elective</i> ²	3-5	(KBS, KLAB)
<i>Written & Oral Communication Elective</i> ³	3	*
SOC225 Cultural Diversity	3	HDFS 34031 (KSS) (DIVD)
CJS221 Criminology	3	CRIM 36702
CJS222 Criminal Law in the United States	3	CRIM 33200
Semester Four	12-15 Credits	KSU Equivalent
<i>Arts & Humanities Elective</i> ¹	3	(KHUM)
<i>Written & Oral Communication Elective</i> ³	3	*
<i>Social & Behavioral Sciences Elective</i> ⁴	3	(KSS)
<i>Elective</i> ⁵ (if needed)	0-3	*
CJS223 Criminal Procedure	3	CRIM 34200
60-63 TOTAL CREDIT HOURS TO COMPLETE AA FROM STARK STATE COLLEGE		

SUGGESTED SEQUENCE AT KENT STATE	
Semester Five	13 Credits
Foreign Language (Elementary I) @	4
CRIM 26704 Issues in Law and Society (KSS)	3
SOC 32210 Researching Society (ELR) (WIC)	3
ENG 21011 College Writing II (KCP2) @	3
Semester Six	14 Credits
Foreign Language (Elementary II) @	4
SOC 32220 Data Analysis	3
SOC 32221 Data Analysis Laboratory	1
CRIM 37311 Minorities in Crime and Justice (DIVD) or CRIM 37411 Women in Crime and Justice (DIVD)	3
Kent Core Fine Art (KFA)	3
Semester Seven	15 Credits
Foreign Language Requirement	3
CRIM 47211 Court Functions	3
Concentration Electives (Upper-Division) <i>Choose from selected list[^]</i>	9
Semester Eight	15-18 Credits
Foreign Language Requirement	3
Concentration Elective (Upper-Division) <i>Choose from selected list[^]</i>	3
General Electives (if needed to reach 120 total hours)	10
Upper-Division General Electives (if needed to reach 39 upper-division hours)	2
120 TOTAL CREDIT HOURS TO COMPLETE BA FROM KSU, INCLUDING TRANSFER COURSEWORK	

@ Course may be taken at Stark State College prior to transferring to Kent State. However, please be aware of Kent State's residence policy.

[^] Students should consult the [Kent State University catalog](#) to determine concentration elective options.

* Dependent upon course selection. Please consult the [Credit Transfer Guide](#).

¹ Arts and Humanities Electives: ENG233, ENG234, ENG236, ENG237, HIS121, HIS122, HIS221, HIS222

² Natural Sciences Electives: BIO121, BIO122, BIO126, BIO127, BIO128, BIO129, BIO130, BIO141, BIO142, CHM101, CHM105, CHM122, CHM141, CHM142, CHM205, PHY101, PHY105, PHY121, PHY122

³ Written & Oral Communication Electives: COM121, COM122, COM123, ENG221, ENG230, ENG231

⁴ Social & Behavioral Sciences Electives: PSC121, PSC221, PSC222, PSY121, PSY220, PSY221, SOC121, SOC123, SOC221, SOC222

⁵ Electives (if needed): BUS221, BUS222, PSC122, PSY124, SPN100, SPN200

⁶ Mathematics Electives: MTH118, MTH124, MTH125

Requirements to graduate with the BA degree program: To graduate, students must have minimum 120 credit hours, 39 upper-division credit hours of coursework, a minimum 2.000 major GPA and minimum 2.000 cumulative GPA. They must also fulfill an approved experiential learning experience, a two-course diversity requirement (domestic and global), complete a writing intensive course with a minimum C (2.000) grade. More specific graduation requirement information can be found in the Academic Policies section of the Kent State University Catalog (www.kent.edu/catalog).

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It is recommended that students intending to pursue the Criminology and Justice Studies (BA) through Kent State University consult with academic advisors at both Stark State College and Kent State University.

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