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Police Science-Law Enforcement - CERT C

Semester-by-Semester Pathway

A Certificate is outlined coursework that is designed to prepare a student to head out into the workforce in a short timeframe or for career advancement. This certificate totals 52 credit hours. Consult with an advisor for more information. Not all courses are offered each semester.

(T) are Systemwide Transfer Courses

(★) are recommended for this degree pathway.

Semester 1 - Fall				
Complete	Course ID	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
Required Courses				
	LE101	Introduction to Criminal Justice T	3.00	Fall 2026, Spring 2027
	LE111	Professional Responsibility in Criminal Justice	3.00	Fall 2026
Electives				
	Police Science Communications Options		3.00	
	Police Science Composition Options		3.00	
	Police Science Math Options		3.00	
Semester Total:			15.00	

Semester 2 - Spring				
Complete	Course ID	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
Required Courses				
	LE116	Law Enforcement Operations and Procedures	3.00	Spring 2027
	LE220	Criminal Justice Interviewing	3.00	Spring 2027
	PS100	General Psychology T	3.00	Summer 2026, Fall 2026, Spring 2027
Electives				
	Police Science Electives		4.00	
Semester Total:			13.00	

Semester 3 - Fall				
Complete	Course ID	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
Required Courses				
	LE115	Juvenile Delinquency and Justice	3.00	Fall 2026
	LE205	Criminal Law T	3.00	Fall 2026
	LE221	Criminal Justice Report Writing	3.00	
Electives				
	Police Science Electives		3.00	
Semester Total:			12.00	

Semester 4 - Spring				
Complete	Course ID	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
Required Courses				
	LE206	Criminal Procedures	3.00	Spring 2027
	LE207	Criminal Investigation	3.00	Spring 2027
Electives				
	Police Science Electives		3.00	
	Police Science Social Science Options		3.00	
Semester Total:			12.00	

Total Credits: 52.00

*Semester offerings reflect the current academic year.

Police Science Communications Options

Course ID	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
SH101	Public Speaking ▸	3.00	Summer 2026, Fall 2026, Spring 2027
SH210	Interpersonal Communication ▸	3.00	Summer 2026, Fall 2026, Spring 2027

Police Science Composition Options

Course ID	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
EN101	English Composition IA ▸	3.00	Summer 2026, Fall 2026, Spring 2027 Prereq: HS GPA over 3.0, or Accu NG Writing Score 255+ & Accu NG Reading Score 255+, and ACT Reading Score of 18 or above, or ACT English Score of 18 or above.
EN101H	Honors English Composition IA ▸	3.00	Prereq: HS GPA over 3.0, or Accu NG Writing Score 255+ & Accu NG Reading Score 255+, and ACT Reading Score of 18 or above, or ACT English Score of 18 or above.
EN107	Business English Grammar & Composition	3.00	Fall 2026, Spring 2027
EN108	Career and Technical Writing	3.00	Fall 2026, Spring 2027

Police Science Electives

Course ID	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
BU118	Introduction to Leadership ▸	3.00	Fall 2026, Spring 2027
LE102	Criminology	3.00	
LE104	Agency Administration	3.00	
LE117	Law Enforcement Operations & Procedures Lab	1.00	
LE118	Law Enforcement Wellness	1.00	Spring 2027
LE121	Firearms Safety and Marksmanship	1.00	Prereq: Departmental Consent.
LE122	Firearms I	1.00	
LE130	Police Science Orientation	1.00	
LE201	Introduction to Corrections	3.00	
LE209	Investigating a Homicide	1.00	Prereq: LE207 Criminal Investigation.
LE210	Police Science Internship	2.00	Spring 2027
LE217	Police Science Capstone	1.00	
PE173	Fitness for Life	1.00	Summer 2026, Fall 2026, Spring 2027

Police Science Math Options

Course ID	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
BU108	Business Mathematics	3.00	Summer 2026, Fall 2026, Spring 2027
MA106	College Algebra ▸	3.00	Summer 2026, Fall 2026, Spring 2027 Prereq: HS GPA over 3.25, or Accuplacer NextGen QuantReason, Alg,Stats Score 263 or Above, or ACT Math Score of 22 or Higher.
MA117	Contemporary Math ▸	3.00	Summer 2026, Fall 2026, Spring 2027 Prereq: HS GPA over 3.0, or Accuplacer NG QuantReason, Alg, Stats Score 255 or Above, or ACT Math Score of 19 or Higher.
TR100	Technical Math	3.00	Fall 2026, Spring 2027

Police Science Social Science Options

Course ID	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
PS101	Human Relations	3.00	Summer 2026, Fall 2026, Spring 2027
PS202	Abnormal Psychology	3.00	Summer 2026, Fall 2026, Spring 2027 Prereq: PS100 General Psychology.
SO100	Fundamentals of Sociology ▶	3.00	Summer 2026, Fall 2026, Spring 2027
SO100H	Honors Fundamentals of Sociology ▶	3.00	Fall 2026
SO113	Cultural Diversity ▶	3.00	Fall 2026, Spring 2027