



BACHELOR OF ARTS IN CRIMINOLOGY

Program of Study

124 hours

FRESHMAN YEAR – FALL SEMESTER (15 hours)

Course	Hours	Grade	Course	Hours	Grade
English Composition I	3		History core	3	
College Algebra <i>or</i> Quantitative Reasoning	3		Intro to Sociology (grade of at least C)	3	
American National Government	3				

FRESHMAN YEAR – SPRING SEMESTER (16 hours)

Course	Hours	Grade	Course	Hours	Grade
English Composition II	3		English core	3	
BIO w/ lab	4		Fine Art: Art <i>or</i> Music Appreciation	3	
General Psychology	3				

SOPHOMORE YEAR – FALL SEMESTER (16 hours)

Course	Hours	Grade	Course	Hours	Grade
Statistics or other math above College Algebra	3		Social Science elective - SOC, PSY, PS, CO, AN, EC, <i>or</i> GR	3	
Foreign Language I	3		PHY or CHE w/ lab	4	
Introduction to Criminal Justice <i>or</i> Free elective	3				

SOPHOMORE YEAR – SPRING SEMESTER (15 hours)

Course	Hours	Grade	Course	Hours	Grade
Philosophy core	3		Humanities elective	3	
Foreign Language II	3		Public Speaking	3	
Humanities elective	3				

- May transfer 62 hours from community college
- **Humanities** – electives must cover two different areas: AAS, EN, HI, PHI, REL.
- **Social Sciences** – electives must cover four disciplines: AN, GR, PS, SO, PSY, CRM, CO, EC – No EPY. Max of two in each discipline, except for EC and CO where only one is allowed.

JUNIOR YEAR – FALL SEMESTER (16 hours)

Course	Hours	Grade	Course	Hours	Grade
Foreign Language III	3		SO 3213 Intro to Social Research	3	
CRM 3603 Criminological Theories	3		Group 2 elective	3	
SO 4804 Social Research Practice	4				

JUNIOR YEAR – SPRING SEMESTER (15 hours)

Course	Hours	Grade	Course	Hours	Grade
CRM 1003 Crime and Justice in America	3		Group 1 elective	3	
Science (no lab required)	3		Group 3 elective	3	
Social Science elective - SOC, PSY, PS, CO, AN, EC, or GR	3				

SENIOR YEAR – FALL SEMESTER (15 hours)

Courses	Hours	Grade	Courses	Hours	Grade
CRM upper level elective	3		CRM upper level elective	3	
Humanities elective	3		CRM upper level elective	3	
Social Science elective - SOC, PSY, PS, CO, AN, EC, or GR	3				

SENIOR YEAR – SPRING SEMESTER (16 hours)

Course	Hours	Grade	Course	Hours	Grade
CRM 4803 Senior Seminar in Criminology	3		Free electives	10	
CRM 2003 Crime, Justice, & Inequality	3				

*Minimum grade of C required in all CRM and SO courses.

CRIMINOLOGY ELECTIVE GROUPS**Group 1: Criminal Behavior & Motivation**

CRM 3313 Deviant Behavior
 CRM 3503 Violence in America
 CRM 4233 Juvenile Delinquency
 CRM 4243 Drugs, Crime, & Control

Group 2: Crime Control, Policy, & Prevention

CRM 3123 Policing & Society

Group 3: Social Dimensions of Crime

CRM 3343 Gender, Crime, & Justice
 CRM 3353 Race, Crime, & Justice
 CRM 3363 Globalization & Crime
 CRM 4323 Victimology

*Additional CRM courses offered from the Starkville and Online Campuses