

# CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Criminal Justice vocations have evolved into jobs requiring complex knowledge and skills. The Criminal Justice program offers a variety of choices for people who seek entry-level jobs and for those in the field who want to enhance their skills.

## ASSOCIATE IN APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREE

The degree program provides an general background in Criminal justice with four options for specialization:

- **THE CORRECTIONS TRACK** focuses on the operations of prisons and jails, juvenile justice, probation and other aspects of our corrections system.
- **THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE TRACK** gives an over-view of corrections, juvenile justice, security and police operations, procedures and administration.
- **THE LAW ENFORCEMENT TRACK** focuses on theory, principles and techniques used by law enforcement agencies and police units.
- **THE SECURITY AND LOSS PROTECTION TRACK** includes systems and issues related to asset protection and physical security.

## CERTIFICATES

Certificates provide specific knowledge and skills that can enhance employability or opportunities for promotion.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION:



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**COLLEGE DRIVE CAMPUS**

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### GAINFUL EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION

For more information about graduation rates, the median debt of students who completed the program, and other important data on this program, visit ACTC's website at [Ashland.KCTCS.edu/Education-Training/Program-Finder/Gainful-Employment-Disclosures.aspx](http://Ashland.KCTCS.edu/Education-Training/Program-Finder/Gainful-Employment-Disclosures.aspx)

### COLLEGE ACCREDITATION

Ashland Community and Technical College is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges to award associate degrees. Contact the Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097 or call 404-679-4500 for questions about the accreditation of Ashland Community and Technical College. Note: The Commission is to be contacted only if there is evidence that appears to support an institution's significant non-compliance with a requirement or standard.

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## ASSOCIATE DEGREE AND CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

College Drive Campus



# ASSOCIATE IN APPLIED SCIENCE

For the degree, students complete General Education and Technical Core courses, plus courses from one option.

General Education		Credit Hours
ENG 101	Writing I	3
ENG 102	Writing II	3
COM 181	Basic Public Speaking <b>OR</b>	3
COM 252	Introduction to Interpersonal Communication	(3)
	Quantitative Reasoning Course	3
	Natural Sciences Course	3
	Heritage/Humanities Course	3
POL 101	American Government <b>OR</b>	3
POL 255	State Government	(3)
PSY 110	General Psychology	3
SOC 101	Introduction to Sociology	3
	Elective Courses (Can be technical or general education elective courses)	6
	Digital Literacy <b>OR</b> General Education Elective.	3
	<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>36</b>
<b>Technical Core Requirements</b>		
CRJ 100	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
CRJ 202	Issues and Ethics in Criminal Justice	3
CRJ 204	Criminal Investigations	3
CRJ 216	Criminal Law	3
CRJ 217	Criminal Procedures	3
CRJ 295	Criminal Justice Capstone	1
	<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>CORRECTIONS TRACK</b>		
CRJ 102	Introduction to Corrections	3
	Electives: choose 6 hours from the following: CRJ 208, 203, 220, 222, 231, 277, 290, 299	6
	<b>Subtotal Credits</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>CRIMINAL JUSTICE TRACK</b>		
Electives:	Choose 9 hours of any Criminal Justice courses not taken as required courses	9
	<b>Subtotal Credits</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>LAW ENFORCEMENT TRACK</b>		
CRJ 215	Introduction to Law Enforcement	3
	Electives: choose 6 hours from the following: CRJ 108, 201, 208, 218, 219, 220, 224, 225, 230, 277, 279, 290, 299	6
	<b>Subtotal Credits</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>SECURITY AND LOSS PREVENTION TRACK</b>		
CRJ 110	Principles of Asset Protection	3
	Electives: choose 6 hours from the following: CJ 210, 211, 220, 240, 245, 290, 299	6
	<b>Subtotal Credits</b>	<b>9</b>
	<b>TOTAL DEGREE CREDITS</b>	<b>61-64</b>

NOTE: CRJ 107 Introduction to Firearms (1) may be used as a free elective only but will not substitute for option elective

# CERTIFICATE OPTIONS

Computer Forensics		Credit Hours
CRJ 100	Introduction to Criminal Justice <b>OR</b>	3
CRJ 204	Criminal Investigations	(3)
CRJ 220	Introduction to Computer Forensics for Criminal Justice	3
CRJ 230	Criminal Justice Courtroom Procedures	3
CIT 105	Introduction to Computers	3
CIT 111	Computer Hardware and Software	4
CIT 160	Introduction to Networking Concepts <b>OR</b>	4
CIT 161	Introduction to Networks	(4)
CIT 180	Security Fundamentals	3
	<b>Total</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>Criminal Justice Core</b>		
CRJ 100	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
CRJ 202	Issues and Ethics in Criminal Justice	3
CRJ 204	Criminal Investigations	3
CRJ 216	Criminal Law	3
CRJ 217	Criminal Procedures	3
	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>Corrections</b>		
CRJ 102	Introduction to Corrections	3
CRJ 203	Community Corrections: Probation and Parole	3
CRJ 208	Delinquency and the Juvenile Justice System	3
CRJ 222	Prison and Jail Administration	3
CRJ 231	Legal Aspects of Corrections	3
	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>Law Enforcement</b>		
CRJ 201	Introduction to Criminalistics <b>OR</b>	3
CRJ 204	Criminal Investigations	(3)
CRJ 208	Delinquency and Juvenile Justice System	3
CRJ 211	Liability and Legal Issues	3
CRJ 215	Introduction to Law Enforcement	3
CRJ 218	Police Supervision	3
	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>Security and Loss Prevention</b>		
CRJ 110	Principles of Asset Protection	3
CRJ 210	Physical Security Technology & Systems	3
CRJ 211	Liability and Legal Issues	3
CRJ 220	Introduction to Computer Forensics	3
CRJ 240	Introduction to Corporate Security	3
	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>

Take classes online or on campus to prepare for a rewarding career in criminal justice.

# CRIMINAL JUSTICE Application Checklist

**1** Submit an Application for Admission, online, at Ashland.KCTCS.edu.

## Submit to the Admissions Office:

- An official high school transcript, with graduation date, or GED scores
- Official transcripts from other colleges or universities you have attended, including those for dual credit courses
- Placement test scores (ACT, KYOTE) or complete placement testing

**2** Attend orientation and meet with an advisor to schedule classes.

**3** Financial Aid is available for those who qualify.

- Please fill out a FAFSA at [www.FAFSA.ed.gov](http://www.FAFSA.ed.gov).
- Please speak with a financial aid specialist to receive counseling, if appropriate.

**4** Pay tuition and fees before published cancellation deadlines. More information regarding tuition rates can be found on our website at: [Ashland.KCTCS.edu/Affording-College/index.aspx](http://Ashland.KCTCS.edu/Affording-College/index.aspx)



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