



AA/AS General Studies - Criminal Justice Field of Study to Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice (Online)



GUIDED PATHWAY FOR FULL-TIME STUDENTS

Although there may be several options to fulfill certain requirements for the associate's degree, please note that this pathway lists the specific courses leading to this bachelor's degree. All plans can be modified to fit the needs of part-time students. This is not an official degree plan. Refer to catalog for official degree requirements. You must receive a GPA of at least 2.00 on all college-level course work. Contact your advisor for information.

A.A. DEGREE MINIMUM: 60 SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS

Semester 1 (15 hours)	Semester 2 (16 hours)
ENGL 1301 – Composition I	ENGL 1302 – Composition II or ENGL 2311
Mathematics (see list below)	Life/Physical Science (see list below)
Speech (see list below)	Lang., Phil., & Culture (see list below)
History (see list below)	History (see list below)
CRIJ 1301 – Introduction to Criminal Justice	CRIJ 1306 – Court Systems & Practices

Semester 3 (16 hours)	Semester 4 (13-15 hours)
GOVT 2305 – Federal Government	GOVT 2306 – Texas Government
Life/Physical Science (see list below)	Creative Arts (see list below)
Social/Behavioral Science (see list below)	CRIJ 2328 – Police Systems & Practices
CRIJ 1310 – Fund. Of Criminal Law	Criminal Justice elective (see list below)
CRIJ 2313 – Correctional Systems & Practices	Core Elective (see list below)

**ACU prefers these courses, but there are several options to fulfill this requirement. Contact your academic advisor for a specific list.*

- Mathematics** – MATH 1314, 1316, 1342, 2305, 2318, 2320, 2412, 2413, 2414, 2415. AA/AAT degrees may also choose from: MATH 1324, 1325, 1332, 1350, 1351
- Life & Physical Sciences** – BIOL 1406, 1407, 1414, 1415, 2401, 2402, 2406, 2416, 2421, CHEM 1411, 1412, 2423, 2425, ENVR 1401, 1402, GEOL 1403, 1404, PHYS 1401, 1402, 2425, 2426. AA/AAT degrees may also choose from: BIOL 1408, 1409, 2404, 2420, CHEM 1405, GEOL 1401, 1402, 1445, 1447, PHYS 1403, 1404, 1405, 1410, 1415, 1417
- Language, Philosophy, & Culture** – ENGL 2322, 2323, 2327, 2328, 2332, 2333, 2341, HIST 2311, 2312, 2321, 2322, HUMA 1301, PHIL 1301, 1304, 2303, 2306, 2307, 2321
- Creative Arts** – ARTS 1301, 1303, 1304, 1313, DANC 2303, DRAM 1310, 2361, 2362, 2366, MUSI 1306, 1307, 1310
- American History** – HIST 1301, 1302, 2301
- Government/Political Science** – GOVT 2305, 2306
- Social and Behavioral Sciences** – ANTH 2302, 2346, 2351, ECON 1301, 2301, 2302, PSYC 2301, SOCI 1301, 1306
- Speech** – SPCH 1311, 1315, 1321
- *Core Elective** – choose one from: EDUC 1300, PHED 1164, 1304, 1338, or any core course not used to meet other requirements (this could be an additional math course from AS list for an AS degree).
- Criminal Justice Elective** – choose 3 hours from: CRIJ 1307, 1313, 2314, 2323.



ACU TRANSFER TRACK

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For questions about the Abilene Christian University portion of this transfer pathway, contact the Admissions Office at (855) 219-7300. It is best to apply to ACU a full semester before you plan to transfer. It will help if you submit a copy of this pathway with your application. Abilene Christian University only accepts transfer course work with a grade of “C” or higher.

Semester 1 (12 hours)	Semester 2 (12 hours)
BIBO 103 – Story of the New Testament	BIBO 211 – Message of the Old Testament
POLC 330 – Domestic Violence	POLS 432 – Constitutional Law: Civil Rights
POLC 365 – Search and Seizure	POLS 430 – Evidence and Procedure
Elective	Elective

Semester 3 (12 hours)	Semester 4 (12 hours)
BIBT 342 – Christianity in Culture	POLS 487 – Terrorism Studies
ENGL 221 – Major British Writers I	POLS 315 – Political Science and Criminal Justice Research Methods
POLC 320 – Criminal Law	2 Electives
POLC 420 – Law Enforcement Leadership	

Semester 5 (12 hours)
POLC 455 – Professionalism and Ethics in Criminal Justice
POLC 499 – Criminal Justice Internship
SOCI 388 – Crime and Delinquency
Elective

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