



General Information:

1. Degree Policies and Procedures are in the Catalog online at www.CCAurora.edu.
2. If you plan on transferring to another institution, contact an advisor before registering.
3. You must apply for graduation by the beginning of your last semester.
4. Please see the back of this sheet for additional information about the Police Academy.

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

English – 6 credits

	ENG 121 English Composition I	3 cr.
	ENG 131 Technical Writing	3 cr.

Math or Science - 3 Credits

	Choose from the following: Astronomy, Biology, Biotechnology, Chemistry, Geology, Mathematics (120 or higher), or Physics	3 cr.
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Social & Behavioral Sciences -- 6 credits

	SOC 101 Intro to Sociology I OR PSY 101 General Psychology I	3 cr.
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	POS 111 American National Government OR POS 125 American State & Local Government	3 cr.
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Communications – 3 credits

	SPE 115 Public Speaking OR SPE 125 Interpersonal Communication	3 cr.
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Criminal Justice Core Requirements – 36 credits

	CRJ 110 Intro to Criminal Justice	3 cr.
	CRJ 111 Substantive Criminal Law	3 cr.
	CRJ 112 Procedural Criminal Law	3 cr.
	CRJ 125 Law Enforcement Operations	3 cr.
	CRJ 135 Judicial Functions	3 cr.
	CRJ 145 Correctional Process	3 cr.
	CRJ 210 Constitutional Law	3 cr.
	CRJ 220 Hum. Relations & Social Conflicts	3 cr.
	CRJ 230 Criminology	3 cr.
	PSM 132 Homeland Defense: Forecasting Terrorism (Formerly CRJ 258 Threat/Vulnerability Assessment & Counter Intelligence)	3 cr.
	PSM 133 Chemical and Biological Defense (Formerly CRJ 257 Homeland Security: Weapons of Mass Destruction)	3 cr.
	PSM 204 Terrorism, Intelligence and Justice (Formerly CRJ 259 Terrorism)	3 cr.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE ELECTIVES (6 credits)

Students must complete an additional six credit hours from any of the remaining criminal justice courses.

	CRJ 101 Basic Law Enforcement Academy	8 cr.
	CRJ 102 Basic Law Enforcement Academy II	12 cr.
	CRJ 103 Basic Law Enforcement Academy III	2 cr.
	CRJ 104 Basic Law Enforcement Academy IV	1 cr.

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Career Information: If you plan to be a police officer in Colorado, you will want to pursue this degree. It prepares you for careers in : Law Enforcement, Corrections, Juvenile Justice, Court Services, Victim Advocacy, Social Services, Probation, Parole, Private Investigations, Security, U.S. Government opportunities, Military , and LE Sales.

	CRJ 105 Basic Law	8 cr.
Criminal Justice Elective Continued		
	CRJ 106 Arrest Control	3 cr.
	CRJ 107 Driving	3 cr.
	CRJ 108 Firearms	3 cr.
	CRJ 109 Culture and Conflict Resolution	3 cr.
	CRJ 118 Report Writing	3 cr.
	CRJ 119 Legal & Ethical Concepts	3 cr.
	CRJ 126 Patrol Procedures	3 cr.
	CRJ 127 Crime Scene Investigation	3 cr.
	CRJ 141 Introduction to Industrial Security	2 cr.
	CRJ 146 Community Based Corrections	3 cr.
	CRJ 150 Victims of Crime and Trauma	3 cr.
	CRJ 151 Domestic Violence	3 cr.
	CRJ 190 Financial Investigations	3 cr.
	CRJ 209/211/212 Criminal Investigation I/II/III	3/3/3 cr.
	CRJ 215 Const. Rights of Inmates	3 cr.
	CRJ 216 Juvenile Law	3 cr.
	CRJ 218 Drug Investigate Strategies	3 cr.
	CRJ 219 Police Intelligence	2 cr.
	CRJ 225 Crisis Intervention	3 cr.
	CRJ 232 Court Jury Management	3 cr.
	CRJ 234 Court Case Management	3 cr.
	CRJ 239 Managing Emergency Worker Stress	3 cr.
	CRJ 240 Criminal Investigation	3 cr.
	CRJ 241 Security of Specialized Facilities	3 cr.
	CRJ 245 Interviewing and Interrogation	3 cr.
	CRJ 246 Class. & Treatment Of Offenders	3 cr.
	CRJ 256 Classification and Treatment of Offenders	3 cr.
	CRJ 260 Police Photography	3 cr.
	CRJ 264 Practical Homicide Crime Scene Investigation	3 cr.
	CRJ 275 Special Topics	1-6 cr.
	CRJ 280 Internship	1-6 cr.
	CRJ 286 Directed Studies	3 cr.
	MED 101 Introduction to Mediation	3 cr.

_____ **General Education Total – 18 credits**

_____ **Criminal Justice Core Total – 36 credits**

_____ **Criminal Justice Electives Total – 6 credits**

_____ **Degree Total –60 credits**

You must apply for graduation at www.ccaurora.edu or at Admissions by the beginning of your final semester.

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Associate of Applied Science – Criminal Justice, 2005-2006



Academic Standards of Progress

CCA defines satisfactory academic progress as maintaining a 2.0 cumulative grade point average (GPA) or higher. In order to remain in good standing at CCA, students must maintain at least a 2.0 cumulative GPA. Students who have less than a 2.0 cumulative GPA will be placed on probation or suspension status. For more information, consult the catalog at www.ccaurora.edu or talk to an advisor.

ASSESSMENT REQUIREMENTS

Basic Skills courses may be required based on assessment scores. It is the student's responsibility to take these course requirements within the first 30 credits at CCA. Each course is 3 credits except where indicated.

Tested Out/ Completed	Semester	ACT Score	Accuplacer	Course
English				
		15	20-49	ENG030
		16	50-69	ENG060
		17	70-94	ENG090
Reading				
		14	25-39	REA030 (2 cr)
		15	40-61	REA060
		16	62-79	REA090
Math				
		15	25-56 AR	MAT030 (2 cr)
		16	57+ AR and 0-44 EA	MAT060
		17	45-60 EA	MAT090 (4 cr)
		18	61-84 EA	MAT106 (4 cr)
Study Skills/Orientation				
	Academic Achievement Strategies			AAA090
	New Student Orientation			AAA175
	Career Development			PSY110

SCHEDULING SUGGESTIONS

1. Register for your assessment or ACT placement recommended classes the first semester.
2. Take English classes early in your program. They'll help you with all of your other classes!
3. See your advisor about balancing your workload with credit load.
4. If you want to graduate in two years, take a minimum of fifteen college-level credits per semester.
5. Transfer and financial aid students should consult an advisor before registering.

ONLINE AND HYBRID CLASSES

Many of the classes in this degree can be taken **online** or **hybrid** (an online class with optional in-classroom instruction). Symbols in the semester schedule indicate which classes are offered in either format.

Online/Hybrid Course Information:

<http://www.CCAurora.edu/infosheets>

Police Academy Information

Students desiring to apply their Law Enforcement Basic Training Academy credits toward and AAS degree must consult with the Public Safety/Criminal Justice Department staff before enrolling in any CRJ degree program. Background checks are conducted on all applicants for the Academy. NO one convicted of a felony, certain misdemeanors, any crime involving violence against another person, or who has used illegal drugs in the past three years will be accepted. Other conditions apply. Call 303 340-7215 for more information.

TRANSFER INFORMATION

This A.A.S. degree prepares students for entry-level employment in law enforcement in Colorado. It also will assist those currently in law enforcement in upgrading their skills and résumé. Many, if not most, of the core and elective CRJ courses will transfer depending on the bachelor's program and 4-year college you wish to transfer to. For information on transferability to Bachelor of Science/Arts programs and locations, please contact the Program Coordinator or the Chair for more information and applicable colleges.

Working in the law enforcement or criminal justice field demands individuals of high character and ability. If you are considering a career in the criminal justice field, please note that, by law, those with prior felony, and certain misdemeanor convictions, including those involving theft, moral turpitude, domestic violence and other crimes against persons, cannot apply for law enforcement positions or the academy, but may be eligible to work in the fields of counseling, mediation, private security, and other legal fields under certain conditions.

Criminal Justice degree information:

For further information about the Criminal Justice academic program, contact the Program Coordinator at 303-361-7407, or the Chair at 303-360-4742.

Police Academy information:

For information about applying to the Police Academy to get your P.O.S.T. certification to become a police officer in Colorado, contact the academy Program Assistant at 303-340-7215.

Restrictions to applying to the Law Enforcement Academy: Those seeking to enter the CCA P.O.S.T. approved Police Academy to be trained and receive state P.O.S.T. certification to seek positions as law enforcement officers are required and expected to be morally, physically, and emotionally suitable to be hired from the day they enter the academy. Therefore, to ensure that cadets are of the highest caliber, those students wishing to apply for the CCA Basic Law Enforcement (Police) Training Academy will have to meet the following minimum qualifications:

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1. **CANNOT** have a felony conviction or certain misdemeanors including those involving theft, moral turpitude, domestic violence and other crimes against persons.
2. **WILL** have an extensive background check conducted, and will have to pass an oral board interview prior to admittance into the academy.
3. **CANNOT** have been convicted of a DUI/DWAI offense in the past five years, have three or more moving violations in the past two years, or a total of five or more moving violations in the past five years.
4. **CANNOT** have used marijuana within the past three years.
5. **CANNOT** have EVER sold, manufactured, or transported for hire, ANY illegal drugs. ALL other illegally used (used when not under care by a physician who gave a legal prescription to you for use) narcotic, depressant, stimulant, hallucinogen, or steroid drugs require a 5-year waiting period.
6. **MUST** pass the Accuplacer assessment test with a score of 84 or higher on the written and reading portions, or show similar proof of academic ability by a transcript of relevant completed college courses with a "C" grade or higher.
7. **MUST** be in good physical condition, and pass a medical exam, with no limitations, pre-existing injuries, or physical or emotional conditions that may be aggravated by the physical and high stress demands of the academy training; and not currently be on medication that will cause safety concerns during driving, firearms, or arrest control instruction.
8. **MUST** be at least 21 years of age by the completion date of the academy. Certain other conditions apply.