

Criminal Justice, BA



University of Wyoming, 2016-17

Freshman Fall Semester			Hrs	Min	Grade	Notes
		USP First-Year Seminar	3		C	FY
CRMJ	1001	Introduction to Criminal Justice *	3		C	
POLS	1000	American and Wyoming Government	3			V
SOC	1000	Sociological Principles	3			H
		Elective	3			
Credit hours subtotal:			15			

Freshman Spring Semester			Hrs	Min	Grade	Notes
		USP Communication 1	3		C	C1
		A&S Core Global Awareness	3			ASG
CRMJ	2400	Criminology *	3		C	
MATH	1000	Problem Solving **	3		C	Q; can substitute MATH 1400 (College Algebra) ***.
		Elective	3			
Credit hours subtotal:			15			

Sophomore Fall Semester			Hrs	Min	Grade	Notes
		USP Physical & Natural World	3			PN; a course can be taken with or without a lab; if taken with a lab, the number of credit hours will change to four (4).
		A&S Core Diversity in the US	3			ASD
CRMJ	2210	Criminal Law *	3		C	
STAT	2050	Fundamentals of Statistics	4			Can substitute STAT 2070 (Intro Statistics for the Social Sciences).
		Elective	3			
Credit hours subtotal:			16			

Sophomore Spring Semester			Hrs	Min	Grade	Notes
		USP Communication 2	3		C	C2
		USP Physical & Natural World	4			PN; a course with a lab is required.
CRMJ	2685	Research Methods in Criminal Justice *	3		C	
CRMJ	3110	Criminal Courts and Processes *	3		C	
		Elective	3			
Credit hours subtotal:			16			

This is a guide for course work in the major; actual course sequence may vary by student. Please refer to the online student degree evaluation and consult with an academic advisor. • Not all courses are offered every semester and some electives may have prerequisites. Students should review the course descriptions in the *University Catalog* and consult with their academic advisor to plan accordingly.

University of Wyoming requirements:

Students must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 to graduate. • Students must complete 42 hours of upper division (3000-level or above) coursework, 30 of which must be from the University of Wyoming. • Courses must be taken for a letter grade unless offered only for S/U. • University Studies Program (USP) Human Culture (H) and Physical & Natural World (PN) courses must be taken outside of the major subject, but can be cross-listed with the major.

College of Arts and Sciences requirements:

Students must take two "core" courses in addition to the USP requirements: Diversity in the United States (ASD) and Global Awareness (ASG). • No more than 60 hours in the major subject may be used toward the 120 credit hours required for graduation. • At least 30 hours in the major subject must be completed with a grade of C or better (the major may require more).

Criminal Justice Program Notes:

In addition to all university studies and college requirements, students majoring in Criminal Justice (CRMJ) will complete a minimum of 39 credit hours in the major. • Only courses in which a grade of C or better has been earned may be used to satisfy major requirements. • **Outreach students:** Criminal justice courses are typically only offered once a year through Outreach. Please speak to your advisor regarding the available course offerings.

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Junior Fall Semester				Hrs	Min Grade	Notes
		USP Human Culture (Language *****)		4	H	
CRMJ	3350	Correctional Theory and Practice *		3	C	
CRMJ	3490	Issues in Policing *		3	C	
		Upper Division Elective		3		
		Elective		3		
Credit hours subtotal:				16		

Junior Spring Semester				Hrs	Min Grade	Notes
		USP Communication 3		3	C C3	
		USP Human Culture (Language *****)		4		
CRMJ	3200	Ethics in Administration of Justice *		3	C	
		CRMJ Crime & Deviance Elective *****		3	C	
		Upper Division Elective		3		
Credit hours subtotal:				16		

Senior Fall Semester				Hrs	Min Grade	Notes
		CRMJ Crime & Deviance Elective *****		3	C	
		CRMJ Institutions & Processes Elective *****		3	C	
		CRMJ Supporting Core Course *****		3	C	
		Electives		6		
Credit hours subtotal:				15		

Senior Spring Semester				Hrs	Min Grade	Notes
		CRMJ Institutions & Processes Elective *****		3	C	
		Upper Division Elective		6		
		Electives		3		
Credit hours subtotal:				12		

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 121

Criminal Justice Program Notes con't:

* **Criminal Justice Foundation Courses** (24 hrs). Must complete all courses.

** Requires MATH ACT ≥ 21 , MATH SAT ≥ 600 , Math Placement Exam ≥ 2 , or $\geq C$ in MATH 0921. (University standard)

*** Requires MATH ACT ≥ 23 , MATH SAT ≥ 600 , Math Placement Exam ≥ 3 , or $\geq C$ in MATH 0925. (University standard)

**** A **single language** must be taken for eight (8) hours or two (2) semesters to fulfill the foreign language requirement for the program. • Students taking American Sign Language to fulfill the language requirement of the major will have to take other courses to fulfill the USP H requirements.

***** **Criminal Justice Core Areas** (12 hrs). In addition to the foundation courses, criminal justice students are required to complete two (2) courses from each of two (2) core areas:

CRMJ Crime & Deviance courses (6 hrs): CRMJ 4151 (Crime Causation), CRMJ 3250 (Juvenile Delinquency), CRMJ 3500 (Drugs and the Criminal Justice System), CRMJ 4260 (Gangs), CRMJ 4700 (Global Terrorism), or CRMJ 4890 (Serial Killers).

CRMJ Institutions & Processes courses (6 hrs): CRMJ 4130 (Leadership & Management in Criminal Justice), CRMJ 4140 (Criminal Legal Procedure), CRMJ 4150 (Community-Based Corrections), CRMJ 4280 (Comparative Criminal Justice), or CRMJ 4860 (Social Inequality, Crime, & Criminal Justice).

***** **CRMJ Supporting Course** (3 hrs). An additional course from the CRMJ Crime & Deviance or CRMJ Institutions & Processes lists above can satisfy this requirement; however there are other options available. Please consult an academic advisor.