

CRIMINAL JUSTICE

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (B.S.)

CURRICULUM REQUIREMENTS

FALL 2024 – SPRING 2025

FIRST YEAR

FALL SEMESTER	CREDITS	SPRING SEMESTER	CREDITS
CRJ101 Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	CRJ160 Crime and Society	3
ENG101 English Composition I	3	ENG105 Professional Writing	3
COR101 First Year Core Curriculum Seminar	3	_____ General Elective	3
PSY101 General Psychology	3	IDS 103 Information and Media Literacy	3
_____ General Elective	3	IDS 104 Introduction to Computer Applications	3

SECOND YEAR

FALL SEMESTER	CREDITS	SPRING SEMESTER	CREDITS
PSY215 Research Design and Analysis in Psychology I	4	PSY216 Research Design and Analysis in Psychology II	4
CRJ201 Introduction to Criminal Law	3	CRJ225 Juvenile Justice	3
CRJ210 Survey of Criminology	3	CRJ240 Criminal Courts and Procedures	3
ECO 220 Personal Financial Planning	3	CRJ309 Internship I	3
_____ General Elective	3	COR____ Humanities Elective	3

THIRD YEAR

FALL SEMESTER	CREDITS	SPRING SEMESTER	CREDITS
CRJ340 Corrections	3	CRJ250 Emerging Issues in Criminal Justice	3
CRJ350 Policing in a Multicultural Community	3	CRJ301 Criminal Investigations	3
CRJ360 Victimology	3	CRJ311 Law Enforcement	3
COR____ Science/Quantitative Elective	3	COR____ Humanities Elective	3
COR____ Religion Elective	3	_____ General Elective	3

FOURTH YEAR

FALL SEMESTER	CREDITS	SPRING SEMESTER	CREDITS
CRJ401 Ethical Issues in Criminal Justice	3	CRJ361 Law and Society	3
CRJ409 Internship II	3	CRJ410 Drugs, Crime, and the Justice System	3
CRJ420 Policy Analysis and Professional Development	3	_____ General Elective	3
_____ General Elective	3	_____ General Elective	3
COR401 Core Curriculum Senior Seminar	3	IDS401 Career Planning and Career Readiness	1

Total Credits: 120

CORE ELECTIVES

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CORE FOUNDATIONS

The required courses of the Core Foundation introduce and reinforce the intellectual, social, and professional skills, values, knowledge, and discernment students will need to be successful at Villa Maria College and prepare them for responsible engagement as members of their communities. The Core Foundation courses are:

- COR 101: First-Year Core Curriculum Seminar
- COR 401: Core Curriculum Senior Seminar
- ENG 101: English Composition I
- ENG 105: Professional Writing
- IDS 104: Introduction to Computer Applications
- IDS 103: Information and Media Literacy
- ECO 220: Personal Finance
- IDS 401: Career Readiness

HUMANITIES: 2 COURSES NEEDED

- Any History Course
- Any World Literature Course
- Any American Sign Language Course
- Any French Language Course
- Any Spanish Language Course

RELIGIOUS THOUGHT AND PRACTICE: ONE COURSE NEEDED

- Any Religious Studies Course
- IDS205 Crisis of Belief

SCIENTIFIC AND QUANTITATIVE LITERACY: ONE COURSE NEEDED

- Any Astronomy Course
- Any Biology Course
- Any Chemistry Course
- Any Math Course
- Any Physics Course

SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL PERSPECTIVES: ONE COURSE NEEDED

- Any Anthropology Course
- Any Economics Course
- Any Political Science Course
- Any Psychology Course
- Any Sociology Course