

# Fort Scott Community College

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## Recommended Course of Study for the Criminal Justice Associates of Science Degree

Courses within the Criminal Justice Associate of Science degree consist of a combination of courses designed to assist students who plan to continue their academic careers through transfer as well as core technical courses that may lead to employment in the field of law enforcement. The course of study for this degree program consists of the following:

### Freshman

#### **1<sup>st</sup> Semester**

English 101	3 hours
Public Speaking	3 hours
College Algebra	3 hours
Introduction to Criminal Justice	3 hours
Criminal Justice Pre-professional Lab	1 hour
Humanities (Art, Music, History, etc.)	<u>3 hours</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>16 hours</b>

#### **2<sup>nd</sup> Semester**

English 102	3 hours
General Psychology	3 hours
General Biology I	5 hours
History Elective	3 hours
Physical Education	<u>1 hour</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>15 hours</b>

### Sophomore

#### **3<sup>rd</sup> Semester**

Physical Science Lab Elective	5 hours
Criminal Law	3 hours
Agency Administration	3 hours
Criminal Justice Investigative Writing	3 hours
Developmental Psychology	<u>3 hours</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>17 hours</b>

#### **4<sup>th</sup> Semester**

Criminal Procedure	3 hours
Criminology	3 hours
Humanities Elective	3 hours
Social Science Elective	3 hours
General Elective	<u>3 hours</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>15 hours</b>

**Total credit hours** **63 hours**

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