

# Virginia's Community Colleges & West Virginia University - Potomac State College

Associate of Arts and Sciences in Criminal Justice to  
Bachelor of Applied Science in Criminal Justice B.A.S.  
Suggested Plan of Study



Virginia's Community Colleges	Hours	WVU Equivalents	Hours
Year One, 1 <sup>st</sup> Semester			
SDV 100 or SDV 101	1-2	WVUE 191	1-2
ENG 111	3	ENGL 101 (Required)	3
MTH 154	3	MATH 121 (Required)	3
CST 100	3	COMM 270 & COMM 270S	3
ITE 152	3	CIS 100	3
Art, Humanities, & Literature Course (Different category from the first)	3	Elective	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	16-17		16-17
Year One, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester			
ENG 112	3	ENGL 102 (Required)	3
HIS 111 or HIS 112 or HIS 121 or HIS 122 (History Course)	3	HIST 179 or HIST 180 or HIST 152 or HIST 153	3
SOC 200 (General Education)	3	SOC 101	3
MTH 155 or MTH 245 (Transfer Elective)	3	STAT 211 or STAT 211 (Pick one; Required)	3
ADJ 100 (Major Requirement)	3	CRIM 234 (Sub for CJ 101; Required)	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	15		15
Year Two, 1 <sup>st</sup> Semester			
Art, Humanities, & Literature Course	3	Elective	3
Natural Sciences	4	Elective	3
ADJ 105 or ADJ 201 (Major Requirement)	3	CRIM 1TC or CRIM 232 (LLME 1)	3
ADJ 140 (Major Requirement)	3	CJ 206 (AAS Requirement)	3
PSY 200 (Social & Behavioral Science)	3	PSYC 101 (Required)	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	16		16
Year Two, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester			
ADJ 211 (Major Requirement)	3	CJ 202 (AAS Requirement)	3
ADJ 229 or ADJ 236 (Major Requirement)	3	CJ 2TC or FIS 2TC (LLME 2)	3
ADJ 133 (Transfer Elective)	3	CJ 1TC (LLME 3)	3
PSY 215 (Transfer Elective)	3	PSYC 281 (Required)	3
ADJ Elective	3	Elective	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	15		15

West Virginia University - Potomac State College			
Year Three, 1 <sup>st</sup> Semester		Year Three, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester	
CJ 315	3	CJ 380	3
CJ 230 (AAS Requirement)	3	Upper-Level Major Elective <sup>(1)</sup>	3
COMM 104 (AAS Requirement)	3	Upper Division Elective <sup>(1)</sup>	3
CS 101 (AAS Requirement)	4	CJ 225 (AAS Requirement)	3
Lower-Level Elective <sup>(4)</sup> or General Elective	3	CJ 285 (AAS Requirement)	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>
Year Four, 1 <sup>st</sup> Semester		Year Four, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester	
CJ 401	3	CJ 455	3
Upper-Level Major Elective <sup>(2)</sup>	3	CJ 485	3
Upper-Level Major Elective <sup>(3)</sup>	3	Upper-Level Major Elective <sup>(4)</sup>	3
Upper Division Elective <sup>(2)</sup>	3	Upper Division Elective <sup>(3)</sup>	3
General Elective	3	General Elective	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>

Students need to complete the required course from the AAS program during their BAS.

- CJ 225
- CJ 230
- CJ 285
- COMM 104
- CS 101

Depending on the ADJ Elective chosen while at VCCS, the student may need to take one additional Lower-Level Major Course (LLME) once at WVU. A student can select from: CJ 111, CJ 204, CJ 233, CJ 236 CJ 242, CJ 245, CJ 255, CJ 293, or CJ 295

Upper-Level Major Electives (Select four) – 12 credits:

- CJ 301, CJ 302, CJ 316, CJ 324, CJ 325, CJ 415, CJ 461, CJ 493

Students transferring into the Bachelor of Applied Science (B.A.S) online only program can anticipate completing additional required lower-level A.A.S courses during their B.A.S. degree pursuits, which may not be available online. Students may be able to substitute online upper-level elective courses to complete those lower-level requirements.

Students transferring to West Virginia University with an Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree will have satisfied the General Education Foundation requirements at WVU.

Students who have questions regarding this articulation agreement or the transferability of coursework may contact the WVU Office of the University Registrar. All other questions should be directed at the WVU Office of Admissions.

The above transfer articulation of credit between West Virginia University and Virginia's Community Colleges, is approved by the Dean, or the Dean's designee, and effective the date of the signature.

Phillip D Douthitt

Print Name

Phillip D. Douthitt, WVU Potomac State College Dean of Academic Affairs

Signature

12/09/2025

Date