

ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE, A.S.

In addition to the 24 units of the certificate program in Administration of Justice, students must also complete all MSJC General Education Option A requirements (a total of 60 units) for the Associate of Science degree in Administration of Justice.

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Program Map Design Your Future!

Begin by exploring MSJC program maps to find a career or transfer (<https://msjc.emsicc.com/?radius=®ion=All%20Regions>) opportunities. Program maps show the recommended sequence of courses that lead to graduation or transfer. The maps were developed by program experts to give you the skills and knowledge you need to succeed.

- **Starting in Spring?** Choose Fall Semester 1 courses.
- **Are you a part-time student?** Start Fall Semester 1 courses and follow the course sequence.

MSJC General Education Option A

Fall Semester 1		Units
AJ-102	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
ENGL-101	College Composition (formerly Freshman Composition)	4
COMM-113	Oral Interpretation of Literature	3
HS-123	Drugs, Health and Society (formerly Drugs: Use and Abuse)	3
PHIL-103	Logic	3
Units		16
Spring Semester 1		Units
AJ-101	Criminal Law	3
ANTH-101	Physical Anthropology	3
PS-101	Introduction to American Government and Politics	3
AJ-105	Tactical Communication and Report Writing for Law Enforcement (formerly Public Safety Report Writing)	3
MATH-140	Introduction to Statistics	3
Units		15
Fall Semester 2		Units
AJ-111	Criminal Procedures	3
AJ-118	Community and the Justice System	3
AJ-112	Introduction to Criminology	3
SPAN-101	Elementary Spanish I	4
PE-119	Exercise Walking	1
Units		14
Spring Semester 2		Units
AJ-108	Criminal Investigation	3
AJ-117	Introduction to Terrorism and Homeland Security	3

PE-115	First Aid and CPR	3
CORR-101	Introduction to Correctional Science	3
HIST-150	Immigration, Race and Ethnicity in U.S. History (formerly Race and Ethnicity in U.S. History)	3
Units		15
Total Units		60

Requirements

An Associate Degree in this program requires students to follow MSJC's General Education, Option A and complete all general education areas, all major requirements, and complete an overall total of 60 degree applicable units with a minimum 2.0 GPA.

Course	Title	Credits
MSJC General Education Option A (https://catalog.msjc.edu/degrees-certificates-curricula/general-education-option-a/)		24
Required Administration of Justice Courses		15
Elective Administrative of Justice Courses		9
Electives (as needed to reach 60 units)		

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Required Courses		
AJ-101	Criminal Law	3
AJ-102	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
or AJ-102H	Honors Introduction to Criminal Justice	
AJ-105	Tactical Communication and Report Writing for Law Enforcement (formerly Public Safety Report Writing)	3
AJ-111	Criminal Procedures	3
AJ-118	Community and the Justice System	3
Elective Courses		
Select 9 units of the following:		9
AJ-103	Criminal Evidence	
AJ-106	Juvenile Procedures	
AJ-108	Criminal Investigation	
AJ-112	Introduction to Criminology	
AJ-117	Introduction to Terrorism and Homeland Security	
AJ-124	Introduction to Forensics for Law Enforcement	
AJ-128	Traffic Control, Enforcement and Investigation	
AJ-299	Special Projects: Administration of Justice	
AJ-507	Ethics in Criminal Justice	
AJ-515	Introduction to Probation and Parole (formerly AJ-115)	
AJ-598	Introduction to Private Security (formerly AJ-098)	
AJ-549	Cooperative Work Experience: Administration of Justice (formerly AJ-149)	
AJ-725	Vice and Narcotics Investigation And Control (formerly AJ-125 Vice and Narcotics Control)	

CORR-101	Introduction to Correctional Science	
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Career Exploration

Discover information about careers that interest you!

1. Take a Career Quiz (<https://msjc.emsicc.com/assessment/>) to learn about yourself and receive career suggestions based on your interests.
2. Search available in-demand jobs (<https://msjc.emsicc.com/browse-careers/>) in your career areas of interest and find up-to-date salaries and education requirements.
3. Find the MSJC Program (<https://msjc.emsicc.com/browse-programs/>) that connects your interests to a career.

Note: There are no guaranteed positions for students completing these programs. Education and work experience required will vary by employer. The salary and benefits for specific occupations will be dependent on work experience, education, background, and employer.