

Wytheville Community College Associate of Applied Science in Protective Services Technology with a major in Police Science / Radford University Criminal Justice Advising Guide

This information is designed for students who plan to graduate with an Associate of Applied Science in Protective Services Technology with a major in Police Science and transfer to the Bachelor's degree program in Criminal Justice at Radford University.

	Wytheville Community College		Radford University ¹	
	Course Number	Course Title	Course Number	Course Title
First Semester	ADJ 100	Survey of Criminal Justice	CRJU 100	Introduction to Criminal Justice ⁸
	ADJ 228	Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs	CRJU elec	CRJU 100 level elective
	ENG 111	College Composition I	CORE 101	Essent. of Written & Oral Comm.
	HLT/PED	Health or Physical Education		General elective
	SDV 100	College Success Skills	UNIV 1ELE	General elective
	SOC 200	Principles of Sociology	SOCY 110	Introduction to Sociology
	PHI 101 or PHI 220	Introduction to Philosophy I or Ethics	PHIL 111 ⁶ or PHIL 112 ⁶	Introduction: Knowledge, Reality, and the Human Condition or Introduction: Ethics and Society
Second Semester	ADJ 107	Survey of Criminology	CRJU elect	CRJU 100 level elective
	ADJ 111	Law Enforcement Organization & Administration I	CRJU elect	CRJU 100 level elective
	CST 110	Introduction to Communication	COMS 114	Public Speaking ³
	MTH 154	Quantitative Reasoning	MATH 114	Math and Human Society
		Humanities/ Fine Arts Elective ⁷		Visual & Performing Arts Elective (University Core B) ⁷
	PSY 200	Principles of Psychology	PSYC 121	Introductory Psychology
Third Semester	ADJ 105	Juvenile Justice System	CRJU 210	Juvenile Justice
	ADJ 211	Criminal Law, Evidence, and Procedure I	CRJU 360	Criminal Law and Evidence
	ADJ 227	Constitutional Law for Justice Personnel	CRJU 315	Constitutional Rights and the Criminally Accused
	ADJ 236	Principles of Criminal Investigation	CRJU 320	Criminal Investigative Theory ⁸
	PSY 250	Law Enforcement Psychology	PSYC 405	Forensic Psychology ^{2,3,8}
Fourth Semester	ADJ 171	Forensic Science I	CRJU 341	Intro to Forensic Science ⁸
	ADJ 212	Criminal Law, Evidence, and Procedure II	CRJU 315	Constitutional Rights and the Criminally Accused
	ADJ 290	Coordinated Internship in ADJ		General Electives
	ITE 115	Intro Computer Applications & Concepts	ITEC 100	Intro to Information Tech ³
	PLS 211	U.S. Government I	POSC 120	Intro to American Government

Total Credits

The Associate of Applied Science in Protective Services Technology with a major in Police Science requires 67 credit hours.

Courses Remaining to Complete at Radford University for a Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice

Course	Title	Credits
CRJU 233	Courts and the Criminal Process	3
CRJU 235	Police and Society	3
CRJU 238	Corrections	3
CRJU 365	Diversity Issues in Criminal Justice	3
CRJU 370	Crime and Criminal Behavior	3
CRJU 385	Research Methods in Criminal Justice	3
CRJU 495	Critical Perspectives in Criminal Justice	3
CORE 102	Advanced Written and Oral Communication	3
STAT 130 or 200	Introduction to Statistics or Understanding Statistics in Society	3
MATH elective	One of the Mathematical Science courses from University Core B	3
Science elective	One of the Natural Science courses from University Core B	4
Humanities elective	One of the Humanities courses from University Core B	3
Global Persp. elect.	One of the Global Perspectives courses from College Core A	3
Humanities elect.	One of the Humanities/V&P Arts/For Lang. courses from College Core B	3
Select two : PSYC 250, PSYC 343, PSYC 439 ⁸ , SOCY-210, SOCY 250, SOCY 443, or SOCY 444	Related Requirements for Criminal Justice Major – Select two : Psychology of Diversity (PSYC 250); Social Psychology (PSYC 343); Abnormal Psychology (PSYC 439); Social Problems (SOCY 210); Social Inequality (SOCY 250); Deviance (SOCY 443); Juvenile Justice (SOCY 444)	6
General Electives	General Electives – any additional courses to count toward the 120 credit hours required for graduation; students are encouraged to consider options such as an internship, pursuing a minor ⁵ , or courses related to career choices (our academic advisors can assist you in selecting these).	4 ^{4,5}
Credit Hours at Radford University		53
Credit Hours from Associate's Degree		67
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS		120

Program Notes

¹ The Radford University/Virginia Community College System Transfer Guide specifies how classes from WCC transfer: <http://www.radford.edu/content/dam/departments/administrative/registrar/content-files/Transfer-Guide.pdf>.

² Law Enforcement Psychology (PSY250) is not listed in the Transfer Guide, but WCC students can file a petition with the CHBS Advising Center to request that it transfer in as Forensic Psychology (PSYC405). Petitions are not guaranteed.

³ Students taking the transfer equivalents for ITEC100 and PSYC405 will satisfy the Bachelor of Science requirement for Radford University.

⁴ Students interested in earning a Bachelor of Arts degree will need to take 6-8 credits of foreign language and will not be required to take additional Bachelor of Science related courses.

⁵ The Department of Criminal Justice offers minors in Crime Analysis and Forensic Studies, but students often earn minors from other departments, such as psychology or sociology. A full list of minors can be found in the Radford University Catalog: <http://catalog.radford.edu>.

⁶ If used as transfer equivalencies, these courses cannot be used to fulfill any other requirement in the core curriculum or B.S. requirements

⁷ Select from one of the following WCC courses: ART 100/101/102/111/112/201/202, MUS 121/225, CST 130/141/250

⁸ Students will have completed four of the required seven classes for the Forensic Studies minor (CRJU100, CRJU320, CRJU341, and PSYC405). Students can complete PSYC439 as a Related CRJU Requirement and two other courses (CRJU481 and one of the required electives) to complete the minor.

Other Notes

In order to receive a Bachelor's degree in Criminal Justice from Radford University, students must complete 120 credit hours. Students must complete at least 45 hours at Radford University, including at least half of the hours in the Criminal Justice major. Additional Information is available in the Radford University Undergraduate Catalog. Additional Information about transferring to Radford University is available from the Office of Admissions. For any course to count for transfer, it must be completed with a grade of "C" or higher

Useful Links

Radford University: <http://www.radford.edu>

Radford University Catalog: <http://catalog.radford.edu>

Radford University Office of Admissions: <http://www.radford.edu/content/admissions/home/transfer-landing.html>

Radford University Department of Criminal Justice: <http://www.radford.edu/criminal-justice>

For information specifically about the Criminal Justice program, contact the Department Chair, Dr. Stephen Owen, at ssowen@radford.edu.

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