



CURRICULUM GUIDE 2017-2018

ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE

Associate in Arts in Administration of Justice

This curriculum is designed to prepare students for employment in entry-level and advanced positions in the public and private sectors. The program prepares students for positions such as police officer, deputy sheriff, state or federal patrol and investigative officer, correctional aide, security specialist, community service officer, police cadet, and reserve officer, as well as manager and supervisor in these individual fields. Placement may depend on job availability and the successful completion of an entrance examination.

Requirements for Associate in Arts Degree:

- a) Complete Major Field and Major Field Electives with a grade of C or better.
- b) Complete Ohlone College General Education (Plan A), CSU GE (Plan B), or IGETC (Plan C) requirements. These requirements are specified in the Ohlone College catalog.
- c) Complete at least 60 degree-applicable units with a 2.0 grade point average.
- d) Complete at least 12 units at Ohlone College.

Student Learning Outcomes

1. Examine historical and current events in criminal psychology such as analyzing psychological and sociological theories of killers/offenders and their victims.
2. Examine the role of police within the United States.
3. Apply appropriate investigative and forensic techniques to analyze crime scenes, collect and preserve evidence for laboratory analysis, and maintain and preserve chain of evidence to prepare for testimony and to provide prosecution with evidence to convict.
4. Examine the workings of the criminal justice system by applying key definitions, concepts, and principles to law enforcement, courts, and correctional settings.

MAJOR FIELD

AJ-101	Administration of Justice	3
AJ-102	Criminal Law	3
AJ-104	Criminal Evidence	3
AJ-106	Criminal Procedure	3
AJ-117	Police and Society	3
AJ-118	Criminology	<u>3</u>
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MAJOR FIELD ELECTIVES

It is recommended that students select courses from among the Major Field Electives in order to broaden their preparation or to direct their program toward such specializations as law enforcement, corrections, investigations, or security.

AJ-107	Criminal Investigation	3
AJ-119/PSY-104	Murder in America	3
AJ-121	Constitutional Law and the United States	3
AJ-123	Terrorism	3
AJ-131	Administration of Juvenile Justice	3
AJ-135	Drug Enforcement	3
BA-139/PSY-139	Psychology in the Workplace	3
PSY-101	General Psychology	3
SOC-101	Introduction to Sociology	3
SOC-102	Social Problems of a Diverse Society	3
SOC-105	Marriage and Family	3
WEX-195A1	Occupational Work Experience Education	1
WEX-195A2	Occupational Work Experience Education	2
WEX-195A3	Occupational Work Experience Education	3
WEX-195A4	Occupational Work Experience Education	<u>4</u>
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	Total Required Units:	30