

The Associate degrees from Highland Community College collaborate well with the Criminal Justice and Legal Studies degree programs at Washburn University. The Bachelor of Criminal Justice and the Bachelor of Legal Studies at Washburn University allows students to receive advanced educational opportunities and obtain productive careers in the following majors:

- **Corrections**
 - Prepare students for federal, state, and local corrections agencies.
- **Law Enforcement**
 - Designed to introduce all aspects of the criminal justice profession with a particular emphasis on the theoretical and practical aspects of law enforcement.
- **Forensic Investigation**
 - Designed to provide students with a balanced interdisciplinary education in forensic investigations emphasizing the practical issues and theoretical concepts employed by forensic professionals.
- **Security Administration**
 - Emphasizing practical issues and theoretical concepts related to security, safety, fire, crime prevention, investigations, law enforcement, and the social sciences.
- **Legal Studies**
 - Program concentrates on general topics such as terminology, legal research, legal writing, civil procedure, and professional ethics.

These programs are designed to produce knowledgeable students who possess the necessary theoretical, practical, and critical thinking skills to compete in today's job market. Faculty bring practical and academic experience to the classroom and are committed to excellence in teaching. Diversity is valued in the Criminal Justice and Legal Studies degree programs, and faculty are dedicated to producing ethical graduates who are prepared to succeed in their chosen profession.

For more information, please visit www.washburn.edu/cj.

Admission Requirements

- Apply for admission, including \$20 application fee (non-refundable). Complete the application on-line at www.washburn.edu/admissions.
- Send official transcripts of all previous college work to: Washburn University, Office of Admissions, 1700 SW College, Topeka, KS 66621 or submit them electronically at etranscripts@washburn.edu
- Academic good standing; minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0

Requirements for a Bachelor's Degree

- Minimum of 120 semester hours of credit
- Minimum of 60 semester hours from Washburn or a four-year college or university; at least 30 hours must be completed through Washburn
- Minimum of 45 semester hours of credit from courses at the upper division level
- Minimum of 84 graded hours
- Grade of "C" or better in courses counting towards the university requirements, major, and minor
- Minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0

Additional Requirements for Bachelor of Criminal Justice

- Students must have a minor
- Minimum 69 of Non-Major Credits

Washburn General Education Requirements for the Bachelor of Criminal Justice

Washburn	Hours	HCC
University Requirements (12 hours)		
EN 101 First Year Writing	3	ENG 101 Composition I
EN 300 Advanced College Writing	3	No Equivalent
MA 112 Contemp. College Mathematics OR MA 116 College	3	MAT 108 Topics in Contemporary Math MAT 104 College Algebra
WU 101 The Washburn Experience (not required if you have 24 or more transfer hours)	3	No Equivalent
Arts and Humanities (9 hours - no more than 6 hours in one discipline)		
Art, Music, or Theatre	3	3 hours from any A, M, or TH course
Humanities electives	6	6 hours from any A, LG, ENG (excludes ENG 101), M, PHI, PHO, SP, TH) (3 hours of LG 101 recommended)
Social Science (9 hours - no more than 6 hours in one discipline)		
Social Science	9	9 hours from any ANT, BUS 203 and 204, GEO, HIS, POL, PSY, or SOC course
Natural Sciences, Mathematics and Statistics (9 hours - no more than 6 hours in one discipline)		
Natural Sciences, Math, and Statistics	9	9 hours from any BS, BUS 130, PS, ASTR, PSCI, GEOS, or MAT (excluding MAT 100, 102, and 103).

CJ Course Equivalencies

Washburn	HCC
CJ 100 Crime and Justice in America	CJ 100 Introduction to Criminal Justice
CJ 120 Introduction to Corrections	CJ 105 Introduction to Corrections
CJ 230 Principles of Investigation	CJ 110 Fundamentals of Investigation
CJ 1XX Forensic Investigation	CJ 111 Forensic Investigation
CJ 270 Juvenile Delinquency	CJ 120 Juvenile Delinquency
CJ 110 Introduction to Law Enforcement	CJ 140 Police Patrol Procedures
CJ 210 Criminal Law	CJ 201 Criminal Law I
CJ 1XX Critical Issues in Law Enforcement	CJ 205 Critical Issues in Law Enforcement
CJ 120 Introduction to Corrections	CJ 211 Penology and Corrections
CJ 1XX Practicum in Administration Justice	CJ 220 Practicum in Administration of Justice