

Area of Interest: Social/Behavioral Sciences & Public Service

Degree: Justice Studies, Associate of Applied Science (AAS)

Law Enforcement Emphasis

College Catalog: [2024-2025](#)



Program Location: All Campuses

Program Description: This Justice Studies degree with an emphasis on Law Enforcement is designed to upgrade the skills and knowledge of correctional officers or peace officers who are currently working in the field. This is closed enrollment and has special admission requirements.

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Area of Interest Website: [Social/Behavioral Sciences and Public Service - Central Arizona College \(centralaz.edu\)](#)

Legend

Bold Course=Required Course

Recommended Course (R)

Stackable Certificate (SC)

AGEC Course list (Arizona General Education Curriculum) and other degree requirements.

Written Communication (**WC**)

Oral Communication (**OC**)

Arts/Humanities (**AH**)

Social/Behavioral Science (**SB**)

Lab Science (**LS**)

Mathematics (**M**)

Core Course (**CC**)

Elective (**E**)

Special Awareness Requirements for transfer degrees met through courses on the [AGEC Course list](#).

Cultural Awareness (**CU**)

Global/Historical Awareness (**GI/HI**)

Intensive Writing (**IW**)

Semester 1: New Students-Find your suggested starting point for [English/Reading & Math courses](#).

		COURSE	CREDITS	SEMESTER/GRADE	NOTES
		Present AZPOST Certificate to Registrar	30		AZ Peace Officer Standards & Training Academy Certificate – 585 hours min.
	WC	ENG101 College Composition I	3		
	OC	AGEC Oral Communication course	3		
	AH	AJS123 Ethics & Administration of Justices	3		
	SB	AJS101 Intro. to Administration of Justice	3		
	M	MAT141 College Mathematics, Standard or higher	4		
		Semester Credits:	16	Meet with your CAC advisor each semester!	

Semester 2

		COURSE	CREDITS	SEMESTER/GRADE	NOTES
	WC	ENG102 College Composition II	3		
	LS	AGEC Biological & Physical Sciences course	4		
	CC	AJS200 Current Issues in Admin of Justice	3		
R	CC	AJS224 Criminal Justice Administration	3		
	CC	AJS270 Community Relations	3		
		Semester Credits:	16	Apply for graduation and attend career events!	
		Total Degree Credits:	62		

Arizona Resident Tuition for 2024-2025 is \$75 per credit hour, see [Paying for College](#). Financial aid may be available.

Career Information

CAC Career Center: centralaz.edu/career FREE CAC career resources and assistance.

O*NET OnLine: Visit onetonline.org and search for:

Occupations in Justice Studies, including:

- Education needed for specific occupations

- Occupation tasks, knowledge, skills and abilities
- Salary/wages for specific occupations (\$)

Transfer Information

CAC University Transfer Center: centralaz.edu/transfer FREE CAC transfer resources and assistance.

[AZTransfer Administration of Justice Major Guide](#) has a list of transfer programs at ASU, NAU, or UA.

Note: Use this Program MAP as a guide to choose courses with your advisor and track progress towards milestones and completion of program. Work with an advisor to customize your plan to align with your specific career and/or transfer goals.

Part-Time Students: Plans can be modified to fit the need of part-time students by adding more semesters.

Student Name:

Student ID Number: 880

Advisor Name:

Date: