



2+2 Degree Plan AY 2022-23
Associate of Science Liberal Arts and Science- NWACC
Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice and Criminology - ATU



Northwest Arkansas Community College Courses (60 credit hours)
General Education Requirements (35 credit hours)

English/Communications (9 hours)			ATU equivalent	Hours
ENGL	1013	Composition I	ENGL 1013 Composition I	3
ENGL	1023	Composition II	ENGL 1023 Composition II	3
COMM	1303	Public Speaking	COMM 2003 Public Speaking	3

Math (3 hours)			ATU equivalent	Hours
MATH	1313	Quantitative Literacy or	MATH 1003 College Mathematics	3
MATH	1203	College Algebra	MATH 1113 College Algebra	

*May substitute any higher-level MATH course

U.S. History/Government (3 hours)			ATU equivalent	Hours
PLSC	2003	American National Government	POLS 2003 American Government	3

Fine Arts & Humanities (3 hours)			ATU equivalent	Hours
ARHS	1003	Art Appreciation OR	ART 2123 Experiencing Art	3
COMM	1003	Film Arts OR	JOUR/ENGL 2173 Introduction to Film	3
ENGL	2213	Survey of World Literature I OR	ENGL 2003 Introduction to World Literature	3
ENGL	2313	Survey of American Lit. to Civil War OR	ENGL 2013 Introduction to American Literature	3
MUSI	1003	Music Appreciation OR	MUS 2003 Introduction to Music	3
THTR	1003	Introduction to Theater OR	TH 2273 Introduction to Theatre	3
SPAN	1003	Elementary Spanish I	SPAN 1013 Beginning Spanish I	

Social Sciences (9 hours)			ATU equivalent	Hours
PSYC	2003	General Psychology	PSY 2003 General Psychology	3
SOCI	2013	General Sociology	SOC 1003 Introduction to Sociology	3
ANTH	1023	Intro to Cultural Anthropology	ANTH 2003 Cultural Anthropology	3

Lab Science (8 hours)			ATU equivalent	Hours
BIOL	1544	Principles of Biology I	BIOL 1114 Principles of Biology	4
PHSC	2004	Principles of Physical Science	PHSC 1013/1021 Introduction to Physical Science and Physical Science Laboratory	4

*See Arkansas Course Transfer System (ADHE-ACTS) for other science alternatives.

Northwest Arkansas Community College Courses
Associates Degree Requirements & Electives (25 credit hours)

NWACC Course			ATU equivalent	Hours
CMJS	2013	Introduction to Criminal Justice	CJ 2003 Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
CMJS	2003	Law Enforcement in Society	CJ elective	3
CISQ	1103	Introduction to Computer Information	COMS 1003 Introduction to Computer Based Systems	3
CMJS	2023	Introduction to Criminology	CJ 2043 - Crime and Delinquency	3
CMJS	2043	Criminal Procedures	CJ 3023 (LD)	3
CMJS	2033	Criminal Law & Society	CJ elective	3
PSYC	2043	Abnormal Psychology	PSY 3003 Abnormal Psychology (LD)	3
		Electives*	Elective	4

*One credit hour from Directed Electives counts for 1 hour of Approved Elective

Arkansas Tech University Courses (60 credit hours)

TECH	1001	Orientation to the University	Waive
SPAN	1013	Beginning Spanish I	3
CJ	2033	Social Problems	
PSY/SOC	2053	Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences OR	3
GEOG	2833	Introduction to Geographic Information Systems	
PSY/SOC	2063	Research Design for the Behavioral Sciences OR	3
EAM	4033	Emergency Management Research Methods/Analysis OR	
POLS	2513	Research Design	
		Science with Lab	8
		Social Science Elective	3
		CJ Policing (3000-4000 level) ⁴	3
		CJ Courts (3000-4000 level) ⁴	3
		CJ Society (3000-4000 level) ⁴	3
		CJ Electives	9
		Directed Electives ^{2,3}	19

²A minor or second degree must be completed. Transfer of an associate's degree satisfies this requirement.

³At least 40 of the total hours required for graduation must be 3000 - 4000 level courses.

⁴See appropriate options in "Policing", "Courts", & "Society" areas:

Policing: Choose 3 hours (UD) from:

CJ/SOC 3153 Prisons and Corrections
 CJ/SOC 3103 Juvenile Justice
 CJ/SOC 4033 Policing and Society

Courts: Choose 3 hours (UD) from:

CJ/POLS 3023 Judicial Process
 CJ 4023 Law and the Legal System

Society: Choose 3 hours (UD) from:

CJ/SOC 3083 Social Deviance
 SOC 4003 Minority Relations
 SOC 4023 Sociology of Gender
 SOC 4063 Social Stratification