

2024-2025 Degree Map-Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice and Criminology

This map is a term-by-term sample course schedule. The milestones listed to the right of each term are designed to keep you on course to graduate in four years. The Sample Schedule serves as a general guideline to help you build a full schedule each term. See course descriptions and prerequisites at <https://catalog.atu.edu/>

#Prerequisite Courses: ENGL 0303 _____ MATH 0803 _____ MATH 0903 _____

Sample Schedule	Milestones/Notes	
Semester 1	Grade	Semester 1
ENGL 1013-Comp I (ACTS=ENGL 1013)	3 #	
Social Sciences	3	
POLS 2003- American Government (ACTS= PLSC 2003)	3	
TECH 1001- Orientation to the University	1	
General Elective	3	
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Total hours	16 GPA	
Semester 2	Hrs.	Semester 2
ENGL 1023- Comp II (ACTS= ENGL 1023)	3 #	
Science with a Lab	4	
Mathematics	3 #	
CJ/SOC 2003 Intro to Criminal Justice (ACTS = CRJU 1023)	3	
General Elective	3	
Total hours	16 GPA	
Semester 3	Hrs.	Semester 3
SOC 1003- Introductory Sociology (ACTS = SOCI 1013)	3	
Fine Arts and Humanities	3	
Science with a Lab	4	
PSY/SOC 2053-Statistics for Behavioral Sciences OR GEOG 2833-Intro to Geographic Info Systems	3	
General Elective	3	
Total hours	16 GPA	
Semester 4	Hrs.	Semester 4
SPAN 1013 Beginning Spanish I (ACTS = SPAN 1013)	3	
PSY/SOC 2063-Research Design for Behavioral Sciences OR EAM	3	
4033-EM Research Methods/Analysis OR POLS 2513-Research Design	3	
CJ/SOC 2033 - Social Problems (ACTS= SOC 2013)	3	Prereq: SOC 1003
*Minor or 2nd Major	3	
General Elective	3	
Total hours	15 GPA	CJ ADVISOR ASSIGNED
*Choose Minor/2nd Major from the list of: Sociology, Cybersecurity, Emergency Management, Political Science, Psychology, Pre-Law, AAS Cybersecurity, AAS Law Enforcement		

The Arkansas Course Transfer System (ACTS) is designed to assist in planning the academic progress of students. This system contains information about the transferability of courses within Arkansas public colleges and universities. The Arkansas Course Transfer System can be accessed by searching keyword "ACTS" at <https://adhe.edu/>

Fine Arts and Humanities	Social Sciences	Note 1
ART 2123 Experiencing Art (ACTS=ARTA1003) MUS 2003 Introduction to Music (ACTS=MUSC1003) TH 2273 Introduction to Theatre (ACTS=DRAM 1003) ENGL/JOUR 2173 Introduction to Film ENGL 2003 Introduction to World Literature (ACTS=ENGL2113) ENGL 2013 Intro. to American Literature (ACTS=ENGL2653) PHIL 2003 Introduction to Philosophy (ACTS=PHIL1103) PHIL 2053 Introduction to Critical Thinking (ACTS=PHIL 1003) 1013 from SPAN, FR, GER, JPN, CHIN, or LAT 1023 from SPAN, FR, GER, JPN, CHIN, or LAT LEAD 2003 Ethics in Leadership	LEAD 1003 Introduction to Leadership HIST 1503 World History to 1500 (ACTS=HIST1113) HIST 1513 World History since 1500 (ACTS=HIST1123) HIST 2003 U.S. History to 1877 (ACTS=HIST2113) HIST 2013 U.S. History since 1877 (ACTS=HIST2123) HIST 1903 Survey of American History ECON 2003 Principles of Macroeconomics (ACTS=ECON2103) ECON 2013 Principles of Microeconomics (ACTS=ECON2203) University Honors students should consult Course Catalog for appropriate Fine Arts/Humanities, US History/Government and Social Science options for University Honors Curriculum.	FIN 2013 Personal Finance ANTH 1213 Intro. to Anthropology (ACTS=ANTH1013) ANTH 2003 Cultural Anthropology (ACTS=ANTH2013) GEOG 2013 Regional Geography of the World (ACTS=GEOG2103) AMST 2003 American Studies PSY 2003 General Psychology (ACTS=PSYC1103) POLS 2003 American Government (ACTS=PLSC2003)
Students may apply in their junior year for admission into the AB2M CJC to SAA program; however, they must have completed a minimum of 90 credit hours towards the Bachelor degree and have earned a minimum GPA of 3.0 or higher in those undergraduate courses to be eligible. Once approved, the student will be conditionally admitted into the SAA program. See ATU catalog, your advisor, or contact saa@atu.edu for more info.		

Possible Careers: Social Services (Victim Advocacy, Probation/Parole, Corrections, Casework, etc.), Judiciary and Law, Law Enforcement/Security

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Semester 5	Hrs.	Semester 5
CJ Policing (3000-4000 level)	3	
*Minor or 2nd Major	3	see note 1
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General Elective	2	
General Elective	3	
General Elective (3000-4000 level)	1	
Total hours	15 GPA	
Semester 6	Hrs.	Semester 6
ANTH 1213- Intro to Anthropology OR ANTH 2003- Cultural Anthropology	3	(ACTS=ANTH 1013) (ACTS=ANTH 2013)
CJ/SOC 2043 - Crime and Delinquency	3	
CJ Courts (3000-4000 level)	3	see note 1
*Minor or 2nd Major	3	
General Elective (3000-4000 level)	3	APPLY FOR GRADUATION
Total hours	15 GPA	
Semester 7	Hrs.	Semester 7
CJ Society (3000-4000 level)	3	see note 1
CJ Elective (3000-4000 level)	3	
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*Minor or 2nd Major	3	
General Elective (3000-4000 level)	3	
Total hours	15 GPA	
Semester 8	Hrs.	Semester 8
CJ Elective (3000-4000 level)	3	
CJ Elective (3000-4000 level)	3	
*Minor or 2nd Major	3	
General Elective (3000-4000 level)	3	
Total Hours	12 GPA	Graduation Requirements: Min. hours 3000-4000 level courses: 40 No more than 4 PE activity hours Min. hours required:120 2.00+ GPA

indicates a "C" or better is required

General Electives: 17 hours 1000-4000 level; 10 hours 3000-4000 level

Shading indicates courses that would directly apply to the AS-CJ degree.