

2025-2026

# B.A. or B.S. CRIMINAL JUSTICE



## GRACE CORE (39 credits)

Students will integrate faith and learning across disciplines, demonstrate foundational knowledge and ways of knowing, cultivate characteristics of maturity in relationships with God, others, self, and the world, and apply knowledge to all aspects of life through intellectual and practical skills.

### 1000-Level Courses

#### First-Year Learning Communities

FYE 1000	First-Year Foundations	3
BIB 1050	Exploring the Bible	3
PSY 1200	Essentials of Behavioral Science	3
HIS 1050	Current Issues in Historical Context	3

#### First-Year Learning Competencies

ENG 1100	Effective Writing	3
COM 1100	Public Speaking	3

### 2000-Level Courses

HUM 2100	Creative Arts & Culture	3
@ HUM 2000	Global Perspectives	3
SCI 2030	Faith, Science, & Reason	3
HUM 2010-30	Cross-Cultural Field Experience	0
@ BIB 2010	Scripture and Interpretation	3

### 3000-Level Courses

ECN 3000	Consumer Economics	3
PHI 3010	Christianity and Critical Thinking	3
@ BIB 3300	Essential Doctrinal Themes	3

## ADDITIONAL GENERAL EDUCATION--B.A. or B.S. DEGREE (6 credits)

### Satisfies B.S. Degree

MAT 1000+	Any Math (1000 Level and Above)	3
	Any Science/Social Science with the following course prefix:	3
	ECN, CSI, HIS, POS, GEO, SCI, BIO, ENV, CHM, PHY	

### Satisfies B.A. Degree

FRE/SPA	Proficiency in Language & Culture	6
GRE/HEB	French, Spanish, Greek, Hebrew	

## THE MAJOR (45 credits)

### BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE REQUIRED COURSES

SOC 2340	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
BHS 2400	Research Methods in Social Sciences	3
SOC 3560	Victimology	3
PSY 3600	Motivation and Emotion	3
SOC 4220	Senior Seminar in Criminal Justice	3
SOC 4730	Practicum in Criminal Justice	3
<b>OR</b>		3
BHS 4930	Internship in Behavioral Science	
	(Double majors)	

### DEPARTMENTAL ELECTIVES

#### Choose twelve credits of the following:

Any BHS, PSY, or SOC prefix (Please add all course codes)  
 BUS 3130, CHM 2300, MAT 3200, MIS 3220, POS 2200,  
 POS 3010, YMI 3140, YMI 3240  
 (No more than THREE (3) Intro courses are permitted.)

### SELECT ONE CONCENTRATION

#### General Criminal Justice Concentration

##### Choose 15 credits of the following:

SOC 2600	Forensic Interviewing	3
SOC 2400	American Corrections	3
SOC 2700	History & Contemporary Issues in Criminal Justice	3
PHI 3100	Ethics	3
SOC 3360	Juvenile Delinquency	3
SOC 3370	Criminology	3
SOC 4100	Criminal Law	3
SOC 4150	Gender, Race & Violence	3

#### Law Enforcement Concentration

##### Choose 15 credits of the following:

MGT 2650	Leadership and Motivation	3
SOC 2700	History & Contemporary Issues in Criminal Justice	3
SOC 2420	Criminal Investigation	3
SOC 2440	Criminal Procedures	3
PHI 3100	Ethics	3
SOC 3370	Criminology	3
SOC 3460	Police & American Society	3
SOC 3700	Criminal Profiling and Theory	3

#### Social Science Concentration

##### Choose 15 credits of the following:

ISM 1150	Introduction to Computer Science	3
SOC 2100	Marriage & Family	3
SOC 2600	Forensic Interviewing	3
SOC 2700	History & Contemporary Issues in Criminal Justice	3
SOC 3230	Substance Use and Abuse	3
BHS 3270	Social Psychology	3
SOC 3370	Criminology	3
SOC 4150	Gender, Race, and Violence	3

## GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

To receive a degree, each student must satisfy checklist requirements, earn 120 credit hours, have a 2.2 GPA in major courses, a 2.0 in minor courses, and a GPA of 2.0 overall. It is the student's responsibility to work with his/her advisor and monitor progress toward these goals. Some majors and/or minors may have more stringent guidelines.

IS A MINOR REQUIRED WITH THIS MAJOR? NO

CHECKSHEET TOTAL CREDITS: 90

TOTAL CREDITS NEEDED TO GRADUATE: 120

\* Indicates a course taught by a partner college/university.

@ Indicates a course with prerequisites. Please review catalog for prerequisites.