

2018 - 2019
Associate in Arts:
Criminal Justice Pathway
Arts and Sciences



MULTIPLE LOCATIONS | VARIED SEMESTER LENGTHS | NUMEROUS PROGRAMS | FINANCIAL AID



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All Pathways are design to transfer to a four-year institution for eventual completion of a BA/BS or BFA degree.

A degree in Criminal Justice offers entry to many different job opportunities within the criminal justice field. While police officers make up a large portion of the professionals working in law enforcement, there are many more career options from being an FBI agent to a computer forensic specialist. With the wide range of roles available, the variety of jobs seeking unique interests, skills, talents, and salary expectations is extensive. Careers are available as probation officer, forensic science technician, police officer, correctional officer, private detective, state trooper, and many others.

For More Information:

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Total Cost Estimate

Tuition per Semester (NC Resident) (Subject to change)	\$1,216.00 (16+ credit hours) \$76.00/credit hour (1-15 hours)
Activity Fee	\$32/semester (9+ credit hours) \$22/semester (1-8 credit hours)
Computer Use and Technology Fee	\$48/semester
Student Insurance	\$2/semester
CAPS Fee	\$10/semester
Consumable Supply Fees	\$15 Some ART, BIO, CHM, HEA, PED, and PHY courses
Books	cost may vary

	Course Prefix	Course Name	Credit Hours
(Appalachian State University or Western Carolina University)			
1st Semester	ACA 122	College Transfer Success	1
	COM 231	Public Speaking	3
	ENG 111	Writing and Inquiry	3
	MAT 152	Statistical Methods I	4
	PSY 150	General Psychology	3
(Mars Hill University)			
1st Semester	ACA 122	College Transfer Success	1
	COM 231	Public Speaking	3
	ENG 111	Writing and Inquiry	3
	MAT 143	Quantitative Literacy	3
	PSY 150	General Psychology PED Elective	3 1
2nd Semester	ART 111	Art Appreciation	3
	BIO 110	Principles of Biology	4
	CJC 111	Intro to Criminal Justice	3
	ENG 112	Writing/Research in the Disc	3
	SOC 210	Introduction to Sociology	3
3rd Semester	CJC 121	Law Enforcement Operations	3
	FRE 111	Elementary French I (or SPA 111)	3
	HEA 110	Personal Health/Wellness	3
	HIS 132	American History II	3
	PSY 281	Abnormal Psychology	3
4th Semester	CJC 141	Corrections	3
	FRE 112	Elementary French II (or SPA 112)	3
	HUM 220	Human Values and Meaning	3
	PHI 240	Introduction to Ethics	3
	POL 120	American Government	3

AA and AS degrees require completion of a minimum of 60 semester hours of credit, but pathways may include extra hours to meet university baccalaureate degree plans. Completion of hours beyond 60 may not be required to meet AA or AS graduation requirements but is recommended based on programs offered by intended transfer institutions.