

BACHELOR OF APPLIED ARTS AND SCIENCES CRIMINAL JUSTICE CONCENTRATION (BAAS)

Degree Requirements Hours Required

120 semester credit hours (SCH): 45 hours must be advanced, with fulfillment of degree requirements as specified in the "Requirements for Graduation (<https://catalog.tamtu.edu/undergraduate-information/academic-regulations/>)" section of this catalog and the General Requirements for Undergraduate degrees at the beginning of this section.

Requirements

Code	Title	Semester Credit Hours
[University Core Curriculum] (https://catalog.tamtu.edu/appendix-a-core-curriculum-optional-course-information/)		
Select 42 SCH as outlined in the suggested plans and as specified in the "Requirements for Graduation"		42
Major		
ENGL 3302	Writing in the Disciplines-WIN	3
SOCI 3336	Criminology	3
Research Methods, select one from the following:		3
CRIJ 3301	Research Methods in Social Sci	
PSCI 3301	Research Methods in Social Sci	
SOCI 3301	Research Methods in Social Sci	
CRIJ 4321	Senior Pro-Seminar-WIN	3
CRIJ 4325	Statistics in Criminal Justice	3
Select 18 SCH from 3000-4000 level CRIJ		18
General Electives		
Select 24 SCH from any discipline, with no more than 9 SCH in the concentration, outside the College of Nursing and Health Sciences, at least 12 of which must be at the 3000-4000 level		24
Vocational Technical Field		
Select 21 SCH		21
Total Semester Credit Hours		120

* TCLEOSE certification training may be applied to the Vocational Technical Field in the Criminal Justice concentration with the approval of the Criminal Justice Advisor. Documentation of successful completion of the Basic Police Academy and proof of passing the Texas Basic Peace Officer Licensing Examination must be provided.

Four-Year Degree Plan

Following is a suggested four-year degree plan. Students are encouraged to see their advisor each semester for help with program decisions and enrollment;

responsible for reviewing the **Program of Study Requirements**, meeting all course prerequisites, and **writing intensive course (WIN)** requirements for graduation. See Academic Regulations-Undergraduate online. (<https://catalog.tamtu.edu/undergraduate-information/academic-regulations/>)

Freshman		Semester Credit Hours
Fall		
ENGL 1301	English Composition I	3
HIST 1301	The US to 1877	3
MATH 1314	College Algebra	3
UNIV 1201	Learn a Global Context I	2
VTF - Vocational Technical Field		3
Creative Arts		3
Semester Credit Hours		17

Spring		
ENGL 1302	English Composition II	3
HIST 1302	The US Since 1877	3
UNIV 1302	Signature Course	3
VTF - Vocational Technical Field		3
General Elective		3
Semester Credit Hours		15

Sophomore		
Fall		
PSCI 2305	American National Government	3
VTF - Vocational Technical Field		3
VTF - Vocational Technical Field		3
Language, Philosophy & Culture		3
Life & Physical Science		3
Life & Physical Science Lab		1
Semester Credit Hours		16

Spring		
PSCI 2306	American State Government	3
VTF - Vocational Technical Field		3
Life & Physical Science		3
Soc/Behavioral Science		3
General Elective		3
Semester Credit Hours		15

Junior		
Fall		
ENGL 3302	Writing in the Disciplines-WIN	3
VTF - Vocational Technical Field		3
VTF - Vocational Technical Field		3
General Elective		3
General Elective		3
Semester Credit Hours		15

Spring		
SOCI 3336	Criminology	3
Research Methods-WIN		3
Advanced CRIJ Elective		3



Advanced General Elective	3
Advanced General Elective	3
Semester Credit Hours	15
Senior	
Fall	
CRIJ 4325 Statistics in Criminal Justice	3
Advanced CRIJ Elective	3
Advanced CRIJ Elective	3
Advanced CRIJ Elective	3
Advanced General Elective	3
Semester Credit Hours	15
Spring	
CRIJ 4321 Senior Pro-Seminar-WIN (WIN)	3
Advanced CRIJ Elective	3
Advanced CRIJ Elective	3
Advanced General Elective	3
Semester Credit Hours	12
Total Semester Credit Hours	120

* TCLEOSE hours may satisfy Vocational/Technical Field hours upon approval of the Criminal Justice Advisor.

Actual degree plans may vary depending on availability of courses in a given semester.

Some courses may require prerequisites not listed.