

## Degree Requirements for CJC Majors (Starting Fall 2013)

### General Studies (33-36 Credits)

Written Communication:	6 Credits
Oral Communication:	3 Credits
Quantitative Literacy:	3 Credits
Arts and Humanities:	6 Credits
Historical:	3 Credits
Natural and Physical Sciences:	6 Credits
Social and Behavioral Sciences I:	3 Credits
Social and Behavioral Sciences II:	3 Credits
Global Diversity:	0-3 Credits*

For more information on general studies requirements and lists of courses that meet the requirements please visit:

[http://catalog.msudenver.edu/preview\\_program.php?catoid=13&poid=2472](http://catalog.msudenver.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=13&poid=2472)

\*The Global Diversity requirement may be fulfilled by taking an approved course within one of the following categories: Arts and Humanities; Historical; Natural and Physical Sciences; Social and Behavioral Sciences I; or Social and Behavioral Sciences II.

### Multicultural and Senior Experience Requirement (3 Credits)

Multicultural:	0-3 Credits
Senior Experience:	CJC 4700

### Criminal Justice and Criminology Pre-Major Requirement

CJC 1010 Introduction Criminal Justice System (Cannot be counted toward General Studies if you are a CJC major)

### I. Required Core Courses for the CJC Majors (21 Credits)

CJC 1450:	Introduction to Corrections
CJC 2020:	Research Methods and Basic Statistics for the Criminal Justice Professional
CJC 2050:	American Judicial system
CJC 2210:	American Policing
CJC 3400:	Criminological Theories
CJC 3410:	Criminal Justice and the Social Structure
CJC 4700:	Capstone Seminar in Criminal Justice and Criminal Justice (Senior Experience)

## **II. Criminal Justice and Criminology Area Electives (15 Credits)**

### ***Police (Choose One)***

CJC 3800: Federal Law Enforcement and Terrorism

CJC 4250: Community Policing

### ***Courts/Law (Choose One)***

CJC 2100: Criminal Law

CJC 3100: Constitutional Law

### ***Corrections (Choose One)***

CJC 3270: Community Corrections

CJC 3290: Probation and Parole

CJC 3470: Punishment and Society

### ***Administration of Justice (Choose Two)***

CJC 3130: Victimology

CJC 3350: Juvenile Justice and Delinquency

CJC 4430: Comparative Criminal Justice

CJC 4650: Ethics for the Criminal Justice Professional

## **III. Criminal Justice and Criminology General Electives (9 Credits)**

Additional nine hours of CJC general elective credits are required. However, students can choose to take additional courses from CJC areas electives not previously taken. Six of nine credits must be upper division. Check the catalog for the list of CJC course descriptions:

<http://catalog.msudenver.edu/content.php?catoid=15&navoid=592>

## **Total Criminal Justice and Criminal Justice Major Credit Requirements = 45 credits.**

This total comes from the core CJC classes (21), CJC area electives (15), and CJC electives (9).

## **Minor (Minimum of 18 Credit Hours)**

Criminal Justice and Criminology majors are required to select a minor. It can be in any discipline. Usual minor requirements range from 18 credit hours and up – check with your minor department for details.