

CRIMINAL JUSTICE

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Many students at American Military University are employed in law enforcement at all levels of government, as well as those who serve in every branch and specialty within the military. AMU puts special emphasis on programs for law enforcement professionals with an eye toward helping you achieve the ultimate advantage—an education from AMU that will help make your vision a reality.

121 semester hrs / 40 courses

GENERAL EDUCATION (37 SEMESTER HRS / 12 COURSES)

Requirements include foundations of online learning, English, history, literature and humanities, science and mathematics, political science and social sciences.

CORE COURSES (30 SEMESTER HRS / 10 COURSES)

Students must take 10 core courses:

- » Criminal Justice Administration
- » Research Methods of Criminal Justice & Security
- » U.S. Law Enforcement
- » Criminology
- » Criminal Investigation
- » Ethics in Criminal Justice
- » Corrections and Incarceration
- » Constitutional Law
- » Criminal Law
- » Criminal Legal Process

MAJOR COURSES (15 SEMESTER HRS / 5 COURSES)

Students must take 5 major courses from a list of 15 courses. Courses include:

- » Police and Society
- » Juvenile Delinquency
- » Contemporary Criminal Justice Issues
- » The History of Organized Crime
- » The Pathology of Death Investigations

Students who wish to focus their study in the **Forensics Concentration** must take the 5 courses from that concentration. A concentration is optional.

ELECTIVES (39 SEMESTER HRS / 13 COURSES)

Students may choose from other courses not taken to meet required, core, or major requirements.

For the most current program, concentration, and degree path details, please consult the AMU catalog at: www.amu.apus.edu/Catalog

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