

# LANSING COMMUNITY COLLEGE

## CURRICULUM GUIDE

Criminal Justice  
Associate in Arts Degree

Curriculum Code: 0146 (Effective Fall 2005 – Summer 2010)

This degree is designed for students who intend to transfer to a four-year college or university to pursue a baccalaureate degree in this subject area. Students completing this curriculum will also satisfy the MACRAO Transfer Agreement between two-year and four-year institutions in Michigan. General education and subject area requirements vary from one college or university to another.

Prior to beginning this curriculum, students should contact the Counseling and Advising Center, Suite 2300, Gannon (GVT) Building, telephone number (517) 483-1904, to consult with an academic advisor or counselor and obtain an appropriate transfer guide. They are also available on the web at [www.lcc.edu/transfer/guides](http://www.lcc.edu/transfer/guides). Students should also contact the school to which they will transfer for specific transfer institution requirements. (See *Transfer Opportunities* for a list of institutions for which transfer guides are available.)

### PREREQUISITES

Students should see *Course Descriptions* or *Course Offerings* for course prerequisite information. See the *Assessment and Placement Testing* section for skills assessment and advising information.

### INFORMATION

Contact the Public Service Careers Department, West Campus Building, Room M127, telephone number (517) 483-1570. Website: <http://www.lcc.edu/publicservice/>

### REQUIREMENTS

CODE	TITLE	TOTAL: 15 CREDITS CREDIT HOURS
CJUS101	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
CJUS102	Crime Causes and Conditions	3
CJUS103	Criminal Law	3
CJUS106	Introduction to Juvenile Justice	3
CJUS131	Introduction to Corrections	3

### LIMITED CHOICE REQUIREMENTS

TOTAL: 45-62 CREDITS

Complete the indicated number of credits from EACH CHOICE listed below.

#### CHOICE 1: General Education MACRAO Requirements

24 Credits

(See *Transfer Information/MACRAO Transfer Agreement* for approved courses in each area.)

English Composition (see Note 1)	0
Science and Mathematics (see Note 2)	8
Social Science (see Note 2)	8
Humanities (see Note 2)	8

**CHOICE 2: General Education Core Requirements** **0–17 Credits**  
 (See *General Education Core Requirements* for information on how to fulfill these requirements. Core area proficiency exams, where appropriate, are available for each core area. Meeting Core with a proficiency test may require additional MACRAO credits.)

Communication Core Area (see Note 2)	0–4
Global Perspectives and Diversity Core Area (see Note 2)	0–4
Mathematics Core Area (see Note 2)	0–4
Science Core Area (see Note 2)	0–5
Writing Core Area (see Note 1)	0

**CHOICE 3: Writing** (Complete one course from each subchoice) **8 Credits**

**Subchoice 3A**

WRIT121	Composition I	4
WRIT131	Honors Composition I	4

**Subchoice 3B**

ENGL122	Writing About Literature and Ideas	4
ENGL132	Honors Writing – Literature and Ideas	4
WRIT122	Composition II	4
WRIT132	Honors Composition II	4

**CHOICE 4: Electives** (see Note 3) **13 Credits**

CJUS255	Human Relations/Criminal Justice	3
PSYC200	Introduction to Psychology	4
PSYC202	Psychology of Personality	3
PSYC203	Social Psychology	3
PSYC205	Human Growth and Development	3
PSYC250	Abnormal Psychology	3
SOCL120	Introduction to Sociology	4
SOCL255	Contemporary Social Problems	3
SOCL260	Race and Ethnicity	3

**MINIMUM TOTAL** **60**

**NOTES:**

1. Students completing CHOICE 3 have fulfilled the requirements for these MACRAO and Core areas.
2. Certain Core courses may also be used to meet MACRAO requirements. See the *Transfer Information/LCC Core–MACRAO Crosswalk* for suggested courses.
3. If a CHOICE 4 course is used to meet MACRAO or Core requirements, additional CHOICE 4 courses are required.