

Criminal Justice - Crime Scene Investigation (CRJ.CSI.AAS)

Associate in Applied Science

Human Services

Auburn Hills Campus

The Criminal Justice – Crime Scene Investigation program is designed to prepare students with essential knowledge and experience relative to forensic and analytical concepts applied to criminal investigations. Students will apply forensic science methods and investigative procedures for the documentation, preservation, and examination of crime scenes and related evidence. Additional program competencies focus on the criminal justice system, criminal laws, and criminal evidence procedures.

Graduation fulfills the entrance requirements for the Basic Police Academy at OCC.

Note: Completion of the basic police academy is required to become a sworn law enforcement officer.

Graduates choosing not to pursue sworn law enforcement officer status **may** be eligible for entry-level employment as civilian crime scene technicians. Graduates who desire employment as a forensic scientist/analyst in a forensic crime laboratory or private forensic laboratory will require additional higher education and are encouraged to discuss options with an OCC counselor.

Program Webpage - Click Here (<https://www.oaklandcc.edu/programs/crj/default.aspx>)

Program Plan Example - Click Here (<https://www.oaklandcc.edu/programs/plans/2021/C/crj.csi.aas.2021.pdf>)

Program Outcomes – Click Here (<https://www.oaklandcc.edu/programs/outcomes/CRJ.CIS.AAS.ProgramOutcomes.pdf>)

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Major Requirements		
BIO 1600	Human Structure and Function	3
or BIO 2630	Human Anatomy and Physiology I	4
CHE 1510 ¹	General Chemistry I	4
CIS 1050	Personal Computer Productivity Tools	4
CRJ 1010	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
CRJ 1030	Police Communications	3
CRJ 1070	Introduction to Forensic Science	3
CRJ 1120	Criminal Law and Administration of Justice	3
CRJ 1220	Criminal Evidence and Procedure	3

CRJ 2154	Firearms, Ballistics and Explosives Identification	4
CRJ 2200	Criminal Investigation and Case Preparation	4
CRJ 2254	Fingerprint Classification and Identification	4
CRJ 2310	Interview and Interrogation Techniques	3
CRJ 2320	Police Administration	3
CRJ 2403	Field Project	3
SOC 2510 ¹	Sociology	3
SOC 2610 ¹	Introduction to Criminology	3
Complete one of the following COM courses:		3
COM 1290 ¹	Interpersonal Communication	3
or		
COM 1600 ¹	Fundamentals of Speech	3
Complete one of the following ENG courses:		3-4
ENG 1350 ¹	Business Communications	3
or		
ENG 1510 ¹	Composition I	3
or ENG 1510E	Composition I Enhanced	4
Total Credit Hours for Program-Related Courses		59-61
General Education Requirements		
Communication / English (3-credits)		Satisfied
Fine Arts / Humanities (3-credits)		3
Complete 3 credits from Fine Arts/Humanities courses listed in the General Education Distribution List (http://catalog.oaklandcc.edu/graduation-requirements/general-education-distribution/#fine-arts-humanities)		
Mathematics / Science (3-credits)		Satisfied
Social Science (3-credits)		Satisfied
Written Communication (3-credits)		Satisfied
Total Credit Hours		62-64

¹ Course may be used to meet General Education requirements.

A minimum cumulative 2.00 grade point average (GPA) overall is required for graduation.