

**THIS IS A CAREER DEGREE.
IT IS NOT DESIGNED TO TRANSFER TO A FOUR YEAR UNIVERSITY.**

**Danville Area Community College
2021-2022**

**Criminal Justice
Corrections - Parole Officer Option**

Associate in Applied Science Degree

The Criminal Justice curriculum is designed to give students the academic background and initial training for careers in corrections. **Upon initial enrollment in the program, students must complete an “Application to Participate” form.** Entry into the program is determined through the evaluation of personal qualifications and after the screening of the application which states that the student has no felony convictions (see NOTE). This is an occupational program typically not designed to transfer; however, the program has been articulated to some senior institutions (Eastern Illinois University, Western Illinois University, Indiana State University). Please contact a counselor for specific details.

First time degree seeking students must complete INST101, Success in College, as a requirement for graduation.

REQUIRED COURSES	HOURS	F,S,I,SU	GRADE
First Semester			
**CRIM 100 Introduction to Criminal Justice	3		
**CRIM 105 Introduction to Corrections	3		
* ENGL 121 Communication Skills <u>OR</u> ENGL 101 Rhetoric and Composition I	3		
* SOCY 100 Introduction to Sociology	3		
* Science Elective <u>OR</u> Math Elective	3		
Total	15		
Second Semester			
CRIM 170 Community Based Corrections	3		
* POLI 150 American Government	3		
* PSYC 100 Introduction to Psychology	3		
***SPAN 100 Spanish for Public Safety	3		
* SPCH 101 Oral Communications	3		
Total	15		
Summer			
**CRIM 208 Criminal Justice Internship - Corrections (pre: consent of instructor)	3		
Total	3		
Third Semester			
CRIM 180 Probation & Parole	3		
**CRIM 201 Criminal Investigation	4		
* PSYC 230 Abnormal Psychology (pre: PSYC 100)	3		
* SOCY 205 Juvenile Delinquency (pre: SOCY 100)	3		
Total	13		
Fourth Semester			
CRIM 101 Criminal Law	3		
CRIM 204 Criminology	3		
CRIM 207 Verbal Defense Techniques	2		
PSYC 120 Introduction to Substance Abuse (pre: PSYC 100)	3		
* SOCY 225 Race and Ethnic Relations (pre: SOCY 100)	3		
Total	14		
Total Hours	60		

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*General Education

**Illinois Department of Corrections Training Academy Pre-Service Orientation Training credit granted (13 hours maximum)

***Humanities requirement

See list of Human Relations requirements

Enrollment in developmental classes may increase the length of time to complete associate degree

NOTE: The requirements for employment in the field include: acceptable high school record, no felony convictions, good physical condition with no physical impairments, acceptable corrected vision, no hearing loss, and evidence of emotional stability.