Criminal Justice
Associate in Science

DIVISION OF BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

This program combines professional courses with a broad background in liberal arts. The curriculum is designed to prepare you for a career in various areas of the criminal justice system including law enforcement, corrections, private security. The liberal arts background is well suited to help you succeed at the baccalaureate level.

The Criminal Justice program is approved as a Police Career Incentive Program by the Massachusetts Board of Higher Education.

Upon successful completion, the Associate in Science Degree in Criminal Justice is awarded.

PROGRAM FOOTNOTES


Humanities Electives: Art, Communication, English (EN103 or higher), ESL (ES 100 or higher; up to 6 credits), Film, Foreign Language, Humanities, Literature, Music, Oral Communication, Philosophy, Photography, Sign Language, Theater Arts

Science Electives: Biology, Chemistry, Contemporary Nutrition (NS 101), Environmental Science, Integrated Science, Physics

Social Science Electives: Anthropology, Economics, Geography, Government, History, Law and Society (LA 230), Psychology, Sociology

Quantitative skills are a MassBay graduation competency for associate degree programs. Prior to graduation, students must demonstrate this competency by completing a 100-level math course (not MAC); or placing into a 200-level mathematics course.

This program qualifies as an Alternative Transfer Agreement (Mass Transfer) with select public institutions in Massachusetts. For more information, visit: www.mass.edu/masstransfer.