# B.A. IN CRIMINOLOGY

## Curriculum Requirements

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<td>or SOC 370</td>
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**Departmental Electives**

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**Additional Required Courses**

- ENG 105: English Composition I (3)
- ENG 106: English Composition II (3)
- MTH 113: Finite Mathematics (3)
- Arts and Humanities Cognate (9)
- STEM Cognate (9)
- Additional Major/Minor (15-30)
- Science Course (3)
- Foreign Language (3-9)
- Electives (41)

**Total Credit Hours**: 120-141

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* EPS 452 can be substituted for SOC 210 only by students who are also enrolled in the School of Education.
* PSY 291 or PSY 292 can be substituted for SOC 211 only by students who are Psychology majors or minors and also majoring in Sociology or Criminology; they will be required to take SOC 212, unless a Psychology major. PSY 390 can be substituted for SOC 212 only by students who are psychology majors.
** A minimum final grade of C- in all courses offered by the Department
*** A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 in all courses offered by the Department
**** A minimum of 16 credit hours must be earned in residency in the Department; thus, only a maximum of 15 credit hours can be transferred from other institutions as eligible for the CRIMINOLOGY major.

## Suggested Plan of Study

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**Credit Hours**: 15

**Spring**

- ENG 106: English Composition II (3)
- Language (second course) (3)
- STEM Cognate (first course) (3)
- SOC 210: Introduction to Social Research (3)
- Elective (3)

**Sophomore Year**

**Fall**

- SOC 211: Quantitative Methods for Sociologists (3)
- SOC 212: Quantitative Methods Lab (1)
- Arts and Humanities Cognate (second course) (3)
- Minor (first course) (3)
- Elective (3)

**Credit Hours**: 15

**Spring**

- SOC 271 or 370: Criminal Justice or Juvenile Delinquency (3)
- Minor (second course) (3)
- STEM Cognate (second course) (3)
- Elective (3)
- Elective (3)

**Credit Hours**: 15

**Junior Year**

**Fall**

- SOC 371: Criminology (3)
- Minor (third course) (3)
- STEM Cognate (third course) (3)
- Elective (3)
- Elective (3)
- Elective (3)

**Credit Hours**: 18

**Spring**

- Minor (fourth course) (3)
- Natural Science Course (3)
- Elective (3)
- Elective (3)
- Elective (3)

**Credit Hours**: 15

**Senior Year**

**Fall**

- SOC 470: Theories of Deviant Behavior (3)
- Minor (fifth course) (3)
- Arts and Humanities Cognate (third course) (3)
- Elective (3)
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**Credit Hours**: 15

**Spring**

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