

2020-2021
TUNXIS COMMUNITY COLLEGE - ASSOCIATE DEGREE GRADUATION GUIDE
CRIMINAL JUSTICE (J11JB09)

This program may be taken completely online.

STUDENT _____ BANNER ID# _____

COURSE #	COURSE TITLE	COURSE TITLE - SUBS. ELECTIVES/TRANS. CREDIT	S.H.	SEM.	GRADE	QUALITY POINTS
FIRST SEMESTER:						
CSS-101	First Year Experience		3			
CJS*101	Introduction to Criminal Justice		3			
ENG*101	Composition (a)		3			
SOC*101	Principles of Sociology (a)		3			
<i>Select one of the following courses:</i>						
HIS*201	U.S. History I (a) OR		3			
POL*111	American Government (a)					
SECOND SEMESTER:						
CJS*102	Introduction to Corrections		3			
PSY*111	General Psychology I (a)		3			
	Directed Elective (b)		3			
	Fine Arts Elective (from ART*, COM*154/167, DGA*, GRA*, MUS*, NMC*, THR*)		3			
<i>Select one of the following courses:</i>						
COM*172	Interpersonal Communication (a) OR		3			
COM*173	Public Speaking (a) OR					
ENG*103	Composition II (a)					
THIRD SEMESTER:						
CJS*213	Evidence and Criminal Procedure (a)		3			
SOC*241	Juvenile Delinquency (a)		3			
	Directed Elective (b)		3			
	Mathematics Elective (a) (from MAT*135 or above)		3-4			
	Social Science Elective (from ANT*, ECN*, GEO*, POL*, PSY*, SOC*)		3			
FOURTH SEMESTER:						
CJS*211	Criminal Law I (a)		3			
CJS*290	Practicum in Criminal Justice (a)		3			
CJS*294	Contemporary Issues in Criminal Justice (a)		3			
SOC*240	Criminology (a)		3			
	Directed Elective (b)		3			
	Science Elective (c) (from AST*, BIO*, CHE*, EAS*, EVS*, MET*, PHY*, SCI*)		3-4			
OFFICE	Total Program SH		63-65			
USE	Total Program SH & Quality Points Earned					

ONLY	Total Program Grade Point Average			
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- (a) Prerequisite and/or corequisite required.
 - (b) To be selected in consultation with faculty advisor based on student's program of study.
 - (c) Students intending to transfer to a four-year program should take a 4-credit lab science.
- NOTE: Students interested in pursuing a concentration in Law Enforcement may do so by taking Police Organization & Administration, Forensic Science, Police & the Community, and Criminal Justice Supervision & Administration as electives (courses may not be offered every semester).
- NOTE: Students who have graduated from the Police Training Academy may be awarded 3 credits in Criminal Law I and 3 credits in Police & the Community. Students seeking award of such credits should contact the CJ Program Coordinator.

Upon completion of 45 credits, this Guide must be signed below and filed with the Records Office.
Failure to do so may result in a delay in your graduation.

STUDENT SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

ADVISOR SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

The following quality point averages must be earned by students for academic good standing:

- 1.50 GPA up to 11 Semester Hours
- 1.70 GPA completion of 12-30 Semester Hours

Students with averages less than those cited may have their achievements reviewed by their advisor. Such a review may result in a modified program or other formal action.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS - DEGREE AND CERTIFICATE STUDENTS

In order to qualify for graduation, a student must be accepted in a degree or certificate program and have:

- a. achieved a quality point average of 2.0 or more in the courses required for his/her program.
- b. Achieved a minimum grade of C- in Composition for all degree programs and where indicated for certificates.
- c. Filed with the Records Office, by March 1st or November 1st, a completed application for graduation.
- d. Filed with the Records Office a Program Guide signed by both the student and their advisor.
- e. Fulfilled all financial obligations to the College.
- f. Completed at least 25% of the minimum credit requirements for the degree or certificate at Tunxis Community College.

Graduation Honors: Graduation Honors will be awarded during the presentation of graduates. Honors are based on program grade point average. Honors criteria are listed as follows:

AA/AS Degree - 30 credits at Tunxis

Certificate - 15 credits at Tunxis

- 3.90 – 4.00 = Highest Honors
- 3.70 – 3.89 = High Honors
- 3.40 – 3.69 = Honors

3.50 = With Distinction

Note: Credits earned in developmental courses do not satisfy degree or certificate requirements.

THE FINAL AND ONLY OFFICIAL EVALUATION WILL BE COMPLETED BY THE REGISTRAR SUBSEQUENT TO THE ADVISOR'S SIGNATURE.

