



northern *State* university

**Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice
Plan of Study**

First Year Fall	
Course	Credit
IDL 190, Freshman Seminar	2
ENGL 101, Composition I	3
MATH 102/L, College Algebra*	3-4
SOC 100, Introduction to Sociology	3
CJUS 201, Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
	14-15

First Year Spring	
Course	Credit
SPCM 101, Fundamentals of Speech*	3
Natural Science with Lab (see catalog)	3-4
ENGL 201, Composition II	3
Arts and Humanities Course: Artistic Expression (see catalog)	3
HIST 121, Western Civilization I*	3
	15-16

Second Year Fall	
Course	Credit
Introductory or Intermediate Foreign Language	3-4
Human Values Course (see catalog)	3
Arts and Humanities Course: Literature* (see catalog)	3
CJUS Track Course (see catalog)	3
Elective or Minor Course	3
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Second Year Spring	
Course	Credit
SOC 351, Criminology	3
CJUS 431, Criminal Law	3
CJUS Track Course (see catalog)	3
Natural Science with Lab (see catalog)	3-4
CJUS Track Course (see catalog)	3
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Third Year Fall	
Course	Credit
CJUS 3xx, Research and Data Analysis in Criminal Justice	3
CJUS Track Course (see catalog)	3
CJUS Elective Course (see catalog)	3
CJUS Elective Course (see catalog)	3
Elective or Minor Course	3
Elective or Minor Course	3
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Third Year Spring	
Course	Credit
CJUS Elective Course (see catalog)	3
Elective or Minor Course	3
Elective or Minor Course	3
Elective or Minor Course	3
Elective or Minor Course	3
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Fourth Year Fall	
Course	Credit
Elective or Minor Course	3
Elective or Minor Course	3
Elective or Minor Course	3
Elective or Minor Course	3
Elective or Minor Course	3
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Fourth Year Spring	
Course	Credit
SOC 489, Capstone	3
Elective or Minor Course	3
Elective or Minor Course	3
Elective or Minor Course	3
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Elective or Minor Course	3
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Suggested Double Majors: Sociology-Human Services, Political Science, Psychology, and History

Suggested Minors: Sociology, Political Science, Psychology, English and History

*Fulfills a General Education Requirement. Other course options may be available. **Fulfills a major requirement. Other course options may be available. ***Fulfills a general elective. Other course options may be available. This plan of study is not an official document. Depending on placement scores, developmental courses may be required. Course rotations may change. Please visit with a professional advisor at least once a semester to review appropriate course choices and plan updates.