

Criminal Justice- Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice

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The Bachelor of Science in criminal justice at Miami's Regional locations offers students a comprehensive and dynamic understanding of crime, justice, punishment and corrections, policing, and the legal system within the context of a liberal arts education. Advancing analytical and critical thinking, problem solving, oral and written communication, technology, quantitative literacy, ethics, application of learning in the field, civic learning, and an appreciation of diversity and of the increasingly global world are core objectives of the program. The idea is to graduate students who possess the knowledge, experiences, and skills needed to lead a meaningful, reflective life, who will be productive and contributing citizens, who will be successful in their criminal justice careers, and who will be life-long learners.

Program Requirements

(48 semester hours minimum)

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Core Requirements		
CJS 101	Introduction to the Criminal Justice Studies	3
CJS 211	Policing in America	3
CJS 220	Criminal Justice Field Experience	3
CJS 225	Law and Courts in America	3
CJS 271	Introduction to Criminal Behavior	3
CJS 281	Corrections in America	3
CJS 333	Criminal Procedure	3
CJS 451	Comparative Justice Systems	3
CJS 461	Applied Research Methods in Criminal Justice	3
CJS 485	Capstone: Seminar in Criminal Justice	3
STA 261 or CMR 181	Statistics Computers and Business	3-4
Additional Courses		
Complete 15 hours or more criminal justice courses beyond the core requirements		15
Total Credit Hours		48-49