

**NATIONAL LOUIS UNIVERSITY
TRANSFER GUIDE**

**AAS in Criminal Justice (Law Enforcement/Security Option) to BA in Criminal Justice
(2017/2018 Catalog)**

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National Louis University's (NLU) BA in Criminal Justice is designed to prepare students to work in fields addressing the effects of criminality on individuals, communities, and society. The degree equips graduates to serve in the law enforcement, courts, or corrections systems, or to work in related private industries. The program is offered through online delivery. NLU is accredited by The Higher Learning Commission and a member of the North Central Association.

Transfer Options – This transfer guide is for students who are completing the Associate in Applied Science (AAS) degree in Criminal Justice (Law Enforcement/Security Option).

Application and Admission

- **Application and admission** – For detailed information, please review the following website: <http://www.nl.edu/t4/admissions/undergraduateadmissions>
- **Application deadlines** - rolling admission (there is no set application deadline)
- **Application fee** – no fee for students applying to NLU online

Additional Information

- **Scholarship information** – <http://www.nl.edu/t4/financialaid/typesofaid/scholarships/>
- **GPA calculation for admission** - NLU has open admission.
- **Grade requirements** - D grades are not accepted in transfer.
- **Maximum hours from a community college** – 90 semester hours; a minimum of 30 semester hours (45 quarter hours) must be completed at NLU
- **Life Experience Credit** - A portfolio assessment program is available to students who have significant prior learning through career achievements, individual study, or volunteer work.
- **Tuition for 2017/18 Academic Year (Adult Completion Program)** – \$430 per quarter hour

Education Plan – AAS in Criminal Justice to BA in Criminal Justice

The following plan shows recommended courses toward NLU's BA in Criminal Justice degree. The grade of C or better must be earned in all coursework.

| General Education | Credits | AAS in Criminal Justice |
|--|---------|--|
| Communications 2 courses | 6 | ____ ENG 151 Composition I ____ SPE 151 Intro to Speech |
| Humanities & Fine Arts 1 course | 3 | ____ IAI Humanities or Fine Arts |
| Math, Physical or Life Science 1 course | 3 | ____ Math, Physical or Life Science Select 1 course from list below: Mathematics MAT 120 or 220, 150, 161, 165, 170, 171, 175, 245, 255 Sciences BIO 110, 130, 137, 157; CHM 115, 164, 165; EAS 120, 170, 171, 180, 185; GEG 107, 123, 220/221; GEL 105, 110; HRT103; PHY280, 291 |
| Social and Behavioral Sciences 1 course | 3 | ____ PLT 151 US Government or ____ PLT 155 State & Local Government |
| Total MCC Gen. Ed. Credits | 15 | |
| AAS in Criminal Justice Program Requirements | | |
| Criminal Justice Core | 33 | ____ (3) CDM 110 Computer Literacy ____ (3) CJS 101 Intro to Criminal Justice ____ (3) CJS 106 Intro to Corrections ____ (3) CJS 115 Criminal Law ____ (3) CJS 120 Juvenile Delinquency ____ (3) CJS 140 Criminology ____ (3) CJS 215 Community Policy ____ (3) ENG 152 Composition II ____ (3) HFE 161 Personal Fitness ____ (3) PSY 151 Intro to Psychology ____ (3) SOC 151 Intro to Sociology |
| Law Enforcement/Security Option Recommended: The following courses satisfy major requirements for NLU's Criminal Justice Degree – CJS 110, CJS125, CJS220, CJS225, CJS275. | 15 | ____ (3) CJS 125 Princ of Criminal Inv ____ (3) CJS 110 Policing ____ (3) CJS 201 Laws of Crim Evidence ____ (3) CJS 220 Ethics in Criminal Justice ____ (3) CJS 225 Criminal Justice Mgmt ____ (3) CJS 250 Criminal Justice Intern ____ (1-6) CJS 290 Topics Criminal Justice ____ (3) CJS 275 Criminal Procedure ____ (3) EMS 105 First Responder ____ (2) FRS 100 Intro to Emerg Serv ____ (3) HFE 251 Drugs in Cont Soc ____ (3) HFE 252 Iss in Family Violence ____ (3) PLT 155 State & Local Gov't (can satisfy only one requirement) ____ (3)SOC 256 Sociology of Deviance ____ (3) SOC 260 Soc Race & Ethnicity ____ (3) SPA 101 Occupational Span I ____ (3) SPA 102 Occupational Span II ____ (3) SPE 155 Interpersonal Comm |
| Total Credits | 63 | |

The following chart shows

- NLU general education requirements
- Courses you completed in the AAS degree that satisfy NLU general education requirements
- Additional courses you can take at MCC to complete NLU's general education and free electives

| National Louis General Education Requirements and MCC Equivalent Courses (40 semester hours required) | Courses completed through MCC's AAS degree | Additional MCC courses to complete NLU General Education Requirements (Select from far left column) |
|---|--|--|
| Communication <i>minimum 3 courses (9 credits)</i> ENG151, 152; SPE151 | 3 courses - (9 credits) ENG151, ENG152, SPE152 | Requirement Satisfied |
| Humanities and Fine arts <i>minimum 1 Humanities course (3 credits)</i> ENG 240, 251, 253, 254, 255, 256, 260, 261, 270, 272, 275, 276, 277; PHI151, 155, 160, 240, 251, 261, 262; Foreign Lang 252 Fine Arts <i>minimum 1 Fine Arts course (3 semester hours)</i> ART150, 151, 155, 165, 171, 172, 174, 175; JRN 180; MUS151, 153, 154, 171, 172; THE 151 | 1 course - (3 credits) (either 1 course in Humanities or 1 course in Fine Arts was completed through the AAS degree) | Select 1 course - (3 credits) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Humanities – if you took a Fine Arts course to satisfy your AAS degree requirements. • Fine Arts - if you took a Humanities course to satisfy your AAS degree requirements. |
| Quantitative Reasoning <i>minimum 2 courses (6 credits)</i> MAT 120 or 220 and 150, 161, 165, 170, 171, 175, 245, 255 Physical and Life Sciences <i>minimum 1 course (3 semester hours)</i> BIO 110, 130, 137, 157, 158; CHM 115, 164, 165; EAS 120, 170, 171, 180, 185; GEG 107, 123, 220/221; GEL 105, 110; HRT103; PHY280, 291 | 1 course - (3 credits) (either 1 course in Quantitative Reasoning or 1 course in Physical/Life Sciences was completed through the AAS degree) | Select 2 courses - (6 credits) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MAT 120 or 220 and one additional Math – if you took a science course to satisfy your AAS degree requirements |
| Social Sciences <i>minimum 2 courses (6 credits)</i> ANT151, 155, 160, 170; ECO150, 251, 252; GEG202, 203, 204; HIS131, 132, 165, 170, 172; PLT150, 155, 251, 255; SOC175, 251, 260, 261 | 2 courses - (6 credits) PLT151 or 155; SOC151 | Requirement Satisfied |
| Behavioral Sciences <i>minimum 1 course (3 credits)</i> PSY250, 251, 255, 260, 265 | 1 course (3 credits) PSY151 | Requirement Satisfied |
| General Education Electives | | Approximately 7 credits Select from courses listed in far left column. Total depends on credit value of other MCC courses that you take to satisfy NLU's general education requirement (40 semester hours). |
| Total NLU General Education – 40 semester hours | 24 semester hours | 16 semester hours |
| Free Electives A total of 90 semester hours can apply toward the BA in Criminal Justice: 63 credits from the AAS in Criminal Justice; 27 additional semester hours (16 gen.ed credits; 11 free elective credits). Work closely with MCC and NLU academic advisors to ensure you are taking appropriate courses and the number of credits that will transfer. | | 11 semester hours Select from 100 and 200 level MCC courses. |

National Louis University

Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice

With successful completion (C or better) of all MCC coursework recommended on this transfer guide (including the courses recommended on this guide for the Law Enforcement/Security Option), students complete the following NLU courses to satisfy the BA in Criminal Justice degree.

| Course # | Course Title | Quarter Hours |
|-----------------|--|--|
| CSJ208 | Courts and Criminal Justice | 5 |
| CSJ352 | Research Methods in Criminal Justice | 5 |
| CSJ354 | Sociology of Deviant Behavior | 5 |
| CSJ465 | Human Resource Development in Criminal Justice | 5 |
| CSJ466 | Comparative Criminal Justice Systems | 5 |
| CSJ211 | Police Organization | 5 |
| CSJ357 | Probation and Parole | 5 |
| GEN 103 | University Success Seminar | 5 |
| | Additional Free Elective Courses | 5 |
| Total: | | 45 Quarter Hours (30 semester Hours) |