Transfer Guide

Dallas County Community College District A.A.S. Criminal Justice to Excelsior College B.S. Liberal Arts with major in Criminal Justice

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This program plan outlines how students can transfer from the **Dallas County Community College District A.A.S. Criminal Justice** program to the **Excelsior College B.S. in Liberal Arts with a major in Criminal Justice** program. Upon completion of the **A.A.S.**, the following credits will apply for students enrolling in the **B.S. in Liberal Arts with a major in Criminal Justice** program.

Bismark State College Credits	Semester Hours	Excelsior College Requirements	Semester Hours
CRIJ 1310: Fundamentals of Criminal Law	3	CJ Concentration Requirement	3
CRIJ 1301: Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	CJ Core Concentration Requirement	3
ENGL 1301: Composition I	3	Written English Requirement	3
PSYC 2301: General Psychology	3	Social Sciences Requirement	3
MATH 1314: College Algebra OR MATH 1414: College Algebra OR MATH 2342: Introductory Statistics OR MATH 2442: Introductory Statistics	3	Math Requirement	3
CRIJ 1306: Court Systems and Practices	3	CJ Elective	3
CRIJ 1307: Crime in America	3	CJ Concentration Requirement	3
ENGL 1302: Composition II	3	Written English Requirement	3
SPCH 1311: Introduction to Speech Communication OR SPCH 1315 Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3	Humanities Core Requirement	3
SOCI 1301: Introduction to Sociology	3	Social Science Requirement	3
Criminal Justice Elective (Two Courses)	6	CJ or Applied/Professional Electives	6
GOVT 2301: American Government	3	Social Sciences Requirement	3
Social & Behavioral Science	3	Social Sciences Requirement	3
Humanities/Fine Arts Elective	3	Humanities Requirement	3
Required Support Course Electives	9	Arts & Sciences or A pplied/Professional Elective	9
ITSC 1401: Introduction to Computers OR COSC 1301: Introduction to Computing OR COSC 1401: Introduction to Computing OR BCIS 1405: Business Computer Applications	4	Applied/Professional Elective	4
Criminal Justice Elective (One Course)	3	CJ Elective	3
PSYC 2314: Lifespan Growth and Development OR SOCI 1306: Contemporary Social Issues OR PSYC 2316: Psychology of Personality	3	Social Science Requirement	3
CRIJ 2314: Criminal Investigation	3	CJ Concentration Requirement	3
CJSA 2334: Contemporary Issues in Criminal Justice	3	CJ Elective	3
Total Credits Required for Associate's	**70**	**Total Credits Accepted From Associate's**	**70**

Credits Beyond The Associate's That Can Be Transferred OR Taken At Excelsior		
Bismark State College Credits	**Semester Hours**	**Excelsior College Requirements**
Remaining Arts & Sciences or Applied Professional coursework to meet remaining requirements at lower level * (Suggested coursework: 3 credits in Humanities, 6 credits in Natural Sciences)	19	Arts & Sciences or Applied Professional credit requirements
Total Additional Credits	**19**	

* Arts & Sciences include coursework in the Humanities, Social Sciences and Natural Sciences/Math. Applied Professional refers to Arts & Sciences as well as other degree level coursework (e.g.; Business, Computer Science, Education, etc.).

Credits To Be Taken At Excelsior *		
Credits	**Semester Hours**	**Excelsior College Requirements**
INL 102: Information Literacy	1	Information Literacy Requirement
Criminal Justice Courswork (upper level)	15	Upper Level Requirement for Major
Upper Level Electives	12	Upper Level Requirements
LA 498CJ: Criminal Justice Capstone * *NOTE: The Capstone **MUST** be completed at Excelsior*	3	Capstone Requirement
Total Additional Credits	**31**	

* The above credits (with the exception of the **Capstone** course) may also be transferred in or taken at another 4-year regionally accredited institution.

Evaluation Summary	Semester Hours
Credits Accepted from Associate's Degree	70
Additional Credits Beyond the Associate's Degree	19
Credits from Excelsior *	31
Total Credits Required for Bachelor's Degree	**120**

* Students are required to take a minimum of **12.00 credits** from Excelsior to qualify for partner pricing.

NOTE: Excelsior College reviews every student individually and this guide is just a sample scenario. Actual requirements will be dependent on the courses a student transfers to Excelsior.