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This program plan outlines how students may transfer from the **Dutchess Community College A.S. in Criminal Justice** program to the Excelsior College **B.S. Criminal Justice** program. Upon completion of the **A.S. in Criminal Justice**, the following credits may apply for students enrolling in the **B.S. Criminal Justice** program.

*This guide is only a sample scenario. Excelsior College reviews every student individually. Actual requirements will be dependent on the courses a student transfers and the application date with Excelsior.*

Dutchess CC Credits	Semester Hours	Excelsior College Requirements	Semester Hours
ENG 101: Composition I	3	Written English Requirement	3
BHS 103: Social Problems in Today's World	3	Social Sciences/History Requirement	3
GOV 121: The American National Experience	3	Social Sciences/History Requirement	3
CRJ 141: Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	Criminal Justice Core Requirement	3
CRJ 103: Correction Process	3	Elective	3
ENG 102: Composition II	3	Written English Requirement	3
BIO 103: Human Biology OR BIO 104: Environmental Biology	4	Natural Sciences Requirement	4
MAT 118: Elementary Statistics	3	Math Requirement	3
CRJ 265: Criminal Law & Procedure	3	Criminal Justice Elective	3
BHS 142: Criminology	3	Criminal Justice Core Requirement	3
CRJ 201: Police Organization and Administration	3	Criminal Justice Core Requirement	3
PSY 206: Social Psychology	3	Social Sciences/History Requirement	3
BHS 242: Drug and Alcohol Use and Abuse	3	Applied Professional Requirement	3
CRJ 206: Criminal and Scientific Investigation	3	Criminal Justice Elective	3
General Elective	3	Applied Professional Requirement	3
PSY 134: Group Dynamics	3	Social Sciences/History Requirement	3
BHS 262: Juvenile Delinquency	3	Criminal Justice Elective	3
CRJ 261: White Collar Crime	3	Criminal Justice Elective	3
CRJ 266: Contemporary Problems and Issues in Criminal Justice	3	Criminal Justice Elective	3
SPE 101: Public Speaking	3	Humanities	3
Free Elective	3	Applied Professional Requirement	3
<b>Total Credits Required for Associate</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>Total Credits Accepted from Associate</b>	<b>64</b>

**Credits Beyond the Associate That Can Be Transferred OR Taken at Excelsior**

Dutchess CC Credits	Semester Hours	Excelsior College Requirements
Applied Professional <b>OR</b> Arts & Sciences Electives	19	Applied Professional <b>OR</b> Arts & Sciences Requirement
<b>Total Additional Credits</b>	<b>19</b>	

\* Applied Professional refers to Arts & Sciences as well as other degree level coursework (e.g., Business, Computer Science, Education, Criminal Justice, etc.).

**Credits To Be Taken At Excelsior \***

Excelsior College Requirements	Semester Hours
INL 102: Information Literacy ( <i>MUST be completed with Excelsior</i> )	1
IND 301: Cornerstone B (Pathways) ( <i>MUST be completed with Excelsior</i> )	3
CJ 110: Intro to Law Enforcement	3

Upper Level Electives	9
HEM 125: Introduction to Homeland Security (required for HS concentration)	3
CJ 410: Research Methods in Criminal Justice	3
Upper Level Criminal Justice Electives (Choose <b>ONE</b> concentration area)	12
CJ 498: Criminal Justice Capstone ( <i>MUST be completed with Excelsior</i> )	3
<b>Total Additional Credits</b>	<b>37</b>

\*All coursework, except where noted, may be completed at Excelsior or transferred from another accredited institution.

<b>Evaluation Summary</b>	<b>Semester Hours</b>
Credits Accepted from Associate Degree	64
Additional Credits beyond the Associate Degree	19
Credits from Excelsior *	37
<b>Total Credits Required for Bachelor's Degree</b>	<b>120</b>

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

<b>Required Concentration Coursework:</b>
Depending on what the student has previously taken, they may need some of the below credits to fulfill the above Excelsior College core Criminal Justice and concentration requirements.
<b>Core Criminal Justice Requirements for All Concentrations:</b>
CJ 101: Introduction to Criminal Justice; CJ 110: Introduction to Law Enforcement; CJ 256: Criminal Justice Administration; CJ 324: Criminology; CJ 410: Research Methods in Criminal Justice
<b>Homeland Security Concentration:</b>
CJ 125: Introduction to Homeland Security; CJ 352: Domestic Terrorism; CJ 356: Emergency Management; Two additional applicable courses

<b>What are Arts and Sciences?</b>
We offer the following definitions to help you make these determinations. Remember, however, that before you pay to take a course or examination you should always consult with your advisor to make sure that it will help meet your degree requirements.
<b>Humanities</b>
Humanities subjects focus on developing knowledge and skills in critical reading, logical thought, and esthetic appreciation. Here are some subject areas typically classified as Humanities:
Art, Philosophy, Music, Foreign Language, Literature, Theater, Ethics, Speech, Religion, Communication
<b>Social Sciences and History</b>
Social Sciences and History subjects focus on individuals and society and the processes individuals use to order their world. Here are some subject areas typically classified as Social Sciences and History:
Psychology, Economics, Sociology, Geography, Political Science, History, Anthropology
<b>Natural Sciences and Mathematics</b>
Natural Sciences and Mathematics subjects focus on understanding the natural world and problem-solving processes. Here are some subject areas typically classified as Natural Sciences and Mathematics:
Anatomy and Physiology, College Algebra, Microbiology, Calculus, Chemistry, Genetics, Biology, Physics