

**Ivy Tech Community College A.A.S. in Criminal Justice to  
Excelsior College B.S. in Criminal Justice**
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This program plan outlines how students may transfer from the **Ivy Tech Community College A.A.S. in Criminal Justice** to **Excelsior College Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice** program. Upon completion of the A.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.

| <b>Ivy Tech Community College Credits</b>   | <b>Semester Hours</b> | <b>Excelsior College Requirements</b>        | <b>Semester Hours</b> |
|---|-----------------------|--|-----------------------|
| ENGL 111- English Composition   | 3                     | Written English Requirement                  | 3                     |
| IVYT 116- Student Success in Public Service   | 1                     | Not Transferrable                            | 0                     |
| MATH 123- Quantitative Reasoning or Higher  | 3                     | Mathematics Requirement                      | 3                     |
| Humanities/Social & Behavioral Sciences Elective* ANTH 154- Cultural Anthropology, ECON 101- Economics Fundamentals, ECON 201- Principles of Economics, ECON 202- Principles of Microeconomics, HIST 101- Survey of American History I, HIST 102- Survey of American History II, HIST 111- World Civilizations I, HIST 112- World Civilization II, POLS 101- Introduction to American Government and Politics, POLS 211- Introduction to World Politics, PSYC 101- Introduction to Psychology, PSYC 201- Lifespan Development, PSYC 205- Abnormal Psychology, PSYC 240- Human Sexuality, SOCI 111- Introduction to Sociology, SOCI 252- Social Problems | 3                     | Arts & Sciences Requirement                  | 3                     |
| Life/Physical Science Elective* ASTR 101- Solar System Astronomy, BIOL 101- Introductory Biology, BIOL 105- Biology I, BIOL 107- Biology II, BIOL 211- Microbiology I, CHEM 101- Introductory Chemistry, CHEM 105- General Chemistry I, PHYS 101- Physics I, PHYS 102- Physics II, PHYS 220- Mechanics, SCIN 100- Earth Science, SCIN 111- Physical Science   | 3                     | Natural Science Requirement                  | 3                     |
| COMM 101- Fundamentals of Public Speaking or COMM 102- Introduction to Interpersonal Communication  | 3                     | Humanities Requirement                       | 3                     |
| CRIM 101- Introduction To Criminal Justice  | 3                     | Introduction to Criminal Justice Requirement | 3                     |
| CRIM 103- Cultural Awareness  | 3                     | Arts & Sciences Requirement                  | 3                     |
| CRIM 105- Introduction to Criminology   | 3                     | Criminology Core Requirement                 | 3                     |
| CRIM 110- Introduction to Law Enforcement   | 3                     | Introduction to Law Enforcement Requirement  | 3                     |
| CRIM 120- Introduction to Courts  | 3                     | Criminal Justice Elective                    | 3                     |
| CRIM 130- Introduction to Corrections   | 3                     | Criminal Justice Elective                    | 3                     |
| CRIM 150- Juvenile Justice System   | 3                     | Criminal Justice Elective                    | 3                     |
| CRIM 201- Ethics in Criminal Justice  | 3                     | Ethics/Humanities Requirement                | 3                     |
| CRIM 211- Criminal Law  | 3                     | Criminal Justice Elective                    | 3                     |
| CRIM 260- Research Methods in Criminal Justice  | 3                     | Research Methods Requirement                 | 3                     |
| *Criminal Justice Statewide Elective  | 14                    | Applied Professional Requirement             | 14                    |
| <b>Total Credits Required for Associate</b>   | <b>60</b>             | <b>Total Credits Accepted from Associate</b> | <b>59</b>             |

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

| INSERT INSTITUTION NAME Credits                          | Semester Hours | Excelsior College Requirements                             |
|--|----------------|--|
| ENG 215: Rhetoric and Argument                           | 3              | Written English Requirement                                |
| Humanities Electives                                     | 6              | Humanities Requirement                                     |
| CRIM 215- Police Administration and Organization         | 3              | Administration Requirement                                 |
| Natural Sciences/Mathematics Electives                   | 3              | Natural Sciences/Mathematics Requirement                   |
| Applied Professional <b>OR</b> Arts & Sciences Electives | 12             | Applied Professional <b>OR</b> Arts & Sciences Requirement |
| <b>Total Additional Credits</b>                          | <b>27</b>      |  |

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

\***Statewide Criminal Justice Electives Include:** CRIM 104- Victimology, CRIM 106- Introduction to Serial Killers, CRIM 111- Introduction to Traffic Enforcement and Investigation, CRIM 114- Introduction to Private Security, CRIM 117- Introduction to Forensics, CRIM 134- Introduction to Criminal Justice Careers, CRIM 155- Introduction to Cyber Forensics, CRIM 171- Drugs and Justice, CRIM 204- Interview and Interrogation, CRIM 205- Procedural Criminal Law, CRIM 210- Police and Community Relations, CRIM 212- Use of Force, CRIM 213- Field Practice, CRIM 215- Police Administration and Organization, CRIM 217- Advanced Forensics I, CRIM 218- Advanced Forensics II, CRIM 220- Criminal Evidence, CRIM 230- Community-Based Corrections, CRIM 231- Special Issues in Corrections, CRIM @S^ - Legal Issues in Corrections, CRIM 250- Juvenile Law and Procedures, CRIM 251- Special Issues in Youth Services, CRIM 252- Juvenile Delinquency, CRIM 271- Terrorism, CRIM 280- Co-op/Internship, CRIM 281-294- Special Topics, HUMA 250- Travel Study, LEGS 226- Media and the Law

| 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              |
| Upper Level Electives   | 9              |
| HEM 125: Introduction to Homeland Security (required for Homeland Security concentration) | 3              |
| Upper Level Criminal Justice Electives (Choose <b>ONE</b> concentration area)             | 15             |
| CJ 498: Criminal Justice Capstone ( <i>MUST be completed with Excelsior</i> )             | 3              |
| <b>Total Additional Credits</b>   | <b>34</b>      |

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

| Evaluation Summary                                  | Semester Hours |
|---|----------------|
| Credits Accepted from Associate Degree              | 59             |
| Additional Credits beyond the Associate Degree      | 27             |
| Credits from Excelsior *                            | 34             |
| <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.

| Required Concentration Coursework:  |
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| 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.      |
| Core Criminal Justice Requirements for All Concentrations:  |
| 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 |
| Homeland Security Concentration:  |
| CJ 125: Introduction to Homeland Security; CJ 352: Domestic Terrorism; CJ 356: Emergency Management; Two additional applicable courses  |

| What are Arts and Sciences?  |
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| 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. |

## **Humanities**

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

## **Social Sciences and History**

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

## **Natural Sciences and Mathematics**

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