

**Tompkins Cortland Community College A.A.S. Criminal Justice
to Excelsior College B.S. Criminal Justice**
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This program plan outlines how students may transfer from the **Tompkins Cortland Community College A.A.S. Criminal Justice** program to the **Excelsior College B.S. Criminal Justice** program. Upon completion of the **A.A.S. 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.

Tompkins Cortland Community College Credits	Semester Hours	Excelsior College Requirements	Semester Hours
CRJU 105: Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	Introduction to Criminal Justice Requirement	3
ENGL 100: Academic Writing I	3	Written English Requirement	3
PSYC 103: Introduction to Psychology	3	Social Sciences/History Requirement	3
SOCI 101: Introduction to Sociology	3	Social Sciences/History Requirement	3
POSC 103: American National Government OR POSC 104: American State and Local Government	3	Social Sciences/History Requirement	3
ENGL 101: Academic Writing II	3	Written English Requirement	3
Choose ONE of the following courses (<i>HSTY 101: Development of the Western Tradition I, OR HSTY 102: Development of the Western Tradition II, OR HSTY 201: American History to 1877, OR HSTY 202: American History Since 1877</i>)	3	Social Sciences/History Requirement	3
CAPS Electives	1	Applied Professional Requirement	1
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Criminal Justice Electives	3	Criminal Justice Electives	3
Math Elective	3	Mathematics Requirement	3
CRJU 205: Concepts of Criminal Law	3	Criminal Justice Elective	3
CRJU 210: Introduction to Criminal Investigation	3	Criminal Justice Elective	3
SOCI 207: Introduction to Criminology	3	Criminology Requirement	3
ENGL 201: Fundamentals of Speech OR ENGL 204: Fundamentals of Interpersonal Communication	3	Humanities Requirement	3
Liberal Arts Elective	3	Arts & Sciences Requirement	3
CRJU 215: Legal Aspects of Evidence	3	Criminal Justice Elective	3
ENGL 102: Approaches to Literature	3	Humanities Requirement	3
Criminal Justice Electives	3	Criminal Justice Electives	3
Science Elective	3	Natural Sciences Requirement	3
Unrestricted Elective	3	Applied Professional Requirement	3
Total Credits Required for Associate	60	Total Credits Accepted from Associate	60

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

Tompkins Cortland Community College Credits	Semester Hours	Excelsior College Requirements
CRJU 110: Introduction to Policing	3	Introduction to Law Enforcement Requirement
CRJU 217: Ethics in Criminal Justice	3	Ethics Requirement
Humanities Electives	3	Humanities Requirement
Natural Sciences/Mathematics Electives	3	Natural Sciences/Mathematics Requirement
Applied Professional OR Arts & Sciences Electives	14	Applied Professional OR Arts & Sciences Requirement
Total Additional Credits	23	

* 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
Upper Level Electives	9
CJ 256: Criminal Justice Administration	3
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 ONE concentration area)	12
CJ 498: Criminal Justice Capstone (<i>MUST be completed with Excelsior</i>)	3
Total Additional Credits	37

*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	60
Additional Credits beyond the Associate Degree	23
Credits from Excelsior *	37
Total Credits Required for Bachelor's Degree	120

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

Required Concentration Coursework:
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?
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