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This program plan outlines how students may transfer from the **Southern WV Community and Technical 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.

Southern WV Community and Technical College Credits	Semester Hours	Excelsior College Requirements	Semester Hours
BU 115: Business Mathematical Applications or MT 121: College Mathematics for General Education	3	Math Requirement (MT 121 only)	3
CJ 101: Criminal Justice Systems	3	Introduction to Criminal Justice Requirement	3
CS 102: Computer Literacy	3	Applied Professional	3
EN 101: English Composition I	3	Written English Requirement	3
SO 200: Introduction to Sociology	3	Social Sciences/History	3
AH 122: First Aid	2	Applied Professional	2
AH 124: CPR	1	Applied Professional	1
BU 205: Communications in Business	3	Humanities	3
CJ 201: Criminal Procedure	3	Criminal Justice Elective	3
PS 201: American Government and Politics	3	Social Sciences/History	3
SP 103: Speech Fundamentals	3	Humanities Requirement	3
CJ 102: Introduction to Corrections or CJ 103: Introduction to Law Enforcement*	3	Intro to Law Enforcement Requirement (CJ 103 only)	3
CJ 202: Criminal Law	3	Criminal Justice Elective	3
CJ 203: Criminal Evidence	3	Criminal Justice Elective	3
CJ 223: Criminology	3	Criminology Requirement	3
PS 202: State and Local Government	3	Social Sciences/History	3
CJ 216: Corrections Management or CJ 2017: Juvenile Delinquency	3	Criminal Justice Elective	3
CJ 213: Criminal Investigation or Community Corrections	3	Criminal Justice Elective	3
CJ 226: Abnormal Psychology	3	Social Sciences/History	3
CJ 250: Ethics in Criminal Justice	3	Ethics Requirement	3
EN 115: Technical Writing I	3	Humanities	3
Total Credits Required for Associate	60	Total Credits Accepted from Associate	60

*Depending upon what the student takes at the associate degree, the student may have to make up the credits beyond the associate degree.

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

Southern WV Community and Technical College Credits	Semester Hours	Excelsior College Requirements
EN 102: Composition II	3	Written English Requirement
Natural Sciences	3	Natural Sciences 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
HEM 125: Introduction to Homeland Security (required for homeland security concentration)	3
CJ 256: Criminal Justice Administration	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