

Associate of Arts

TEXAS SOUTHMOST COLLEGE Division of Humanities

This degree prepares graduates to take the necessary tests to become a certified crime scene investigator.

GENERAL EDUCATION CORE COURSES REQUIRED FOR THE MAJOR

Students seeking the Associate of Arts in Forensic Investigation must fulfill the General Education Core requirements. The courses listed below satisfy both degree requirements and General Education Core requirements. For any additional information, please contact the Academic Advising Center.

020 – Mathematics (†)

[MATH 1314](#) College Algebra (†)

030 – Natural Science

[BIOL 1306/1106](#) Biology for Science Majors I/Lab I

[CHEM 1311/1111](#) General Chemistry I/Lab I

080 – Social and Behavioral Sciences

[PSYC 2301](#) General Psychology *or* [SOCL 1301](#) Introduction to Sociology

A – GENERAL EDUCATION CORE – 48 HOURS

B – CRIMINAL JUSTICE / FORENSICS REQUIREMENTS – 18 HOURS

[CRIJ 1310](#) Fundamentals of Criminal Law

CRIJU 2315 Forensic Investigation I

CRIJU 2416 Forensic Investigation II

CRIJU 2320 Evidence for Forensic Investigation

CRIJU 2325 Medical-Legal Forensics Investigation

CRIJU 2230 Seminar in Forensics Investigation

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS FOR GRADUATION - 66

« TSI Requirement (Texas Success Initiative - any other State-approved test) - Student must pass all three sections of State-approved test to graduate with this degree.

† Grade of "C" or better is required for graduation.