

**Criminal Justice
Associate of Arts**

Texas Southmost College
Division of Humanities

The Associate of Arts Degree in Criminal Justice prepares students for entry level positions in criminal justice agencies.

FIRST YEAR - FALL SEMESTER	CREDIT HOURS
ENGL 1301 ⁺ Composition I	3
MATH 1342 ⁺ Elementary Statistics.....	3
HIST 1301 United States History I OR HIST 2327 ³ Mexican American History I	3
CRIJ 1301 ⁺ Introduction to Criminal Justice.....	3
XXXX X3XX ² Component Area Option Elective.....	3
 FIRST YEAR - SPRING SEMESTER	
ENGL 1302 Composition II	3
HIST 1302 United States History II OR HIST 2328 ³ Mexican American History II	3
XXXX X3XX ² Creative Arts Elective	3
CRIJ 1306 ⁺ Court Systems & Practices	3
CRIJ 1310 ⁺ Fundamentals of Criminal Law	3
 SECOND YEAR - FALL SEMESTER	
XXXX X3XX ² Language, Philosophy & Culture Elective	3
GOVT 2305 Federal Government	3
XXXX X3XX ² Life and Physical Sciences Elective	3
CRIJ 1313 ⁺ Juvenile Justice System	3
CRIJ 2313 ⁺ Correctional System & Practices	3
 SECOND YEAR - SPRING SEMESTER	
GOVT 2306 Texas Government	3
XXXX X3XX ² Component Area Option Elective.....	3
XXXX X3XX ² Life and Physical Sciences Elective	3
PSYC 2301 General Psychology	3
CRIJ 2328 ⁺ Police Systems & Practices.....	3
 TOTAL CREDIT HOURS FOR GRADUATION - 60	

⁺Grade of “C” or better is required for graduation.

¹Courses must be taken in the order offered.

²Students may take any course within this category of the TSC General Education Core Curriculum.

³Courses must be taken in sequence: United History I and United History II or Mexican American History I and Mexican American History II.