# KUB.S. Criminal Justice Requirements

The Criminal Justice major prepares students for careers in law enforcement, court administration, corrections, juvenile justice, and graduate degrees in social science fields. Graduates go on to work in a wide range of federal, state, and local agencies.

Note that all students must achieve 120 undergraduate credits and a minimum 2.0 overall GPA to graduate. The final GPA requirement for Criminal Justice is 2.0. A grade of C or higher is required for all required courses.

# **Required Criminal Justice Core Courses – 24 credits**

CRJU 10 Intro to Criminal Justice (3 credits) CRJU 101 Intro to Policing (3 credits) CRJU 181 Criminal Law (3 credits) CRJU 182 Criminal Procedure (3 credits) CRJU 250 Criminology (3 credits) CRJU 270 Management of Offenders (3 credits) CRJU 362 Research Methods (3 credits) CRJU 380 Senior Seminar (3 credits)

## Criminal Justice Major Electives – 18 credits

Choose 18 credits. Students who want to have an internship experience may take four CRJU electives in addition to CRJU 390. CRJU 121 Introduction to Law (3 credits) CRJU 170 Intro to Security Management (3 credits) CRJU 171 Loss Prevention/Asset Protection (3 credits) CRJU 175 Criminal Justice Organization & Systems (3 credits) CRJU 190 Federal Law Enforcement (3 credits) CRJU 200 Comp Criminal Justice System (3 credits) CRJU 210 Development of Criminal Justice System (3 credits) CRJU 215 Intro to Crime Mapping/Analysis (3 credits) CRJU 221 Juvenile Justice (3 credits) CRJU 232 Diversity in Criminal Justice (3 credits) CRJU 271 Substance Abuse & Crime (3 credits) CRJU 272 Community Corrections (3 credits) CRJU 273 Career Criminals/Criminal Careers (3 credits) CRJU 274 Policy, Punishment & Society (3 credits) CRJU 280 Ethics in Criminal Justice (3 credits) CRJU 281 Crime Prevention (3 credits) CRJU 301 Investigation/Intelligence (3 credits) CRJU 320 Evidence (3 credits) CRJU 321 Contemporary Legal Issues (3 credits) CRJU 322 National Security Law (3 credits) CRJU 370 Selected Topics (3 credits) CRJU 379 Independent Study (3 credits) CRJU 390 Internship in Criminal Justice I (6 credits)

### **Other Required Courses – 18 credits**

Consult with major advisor before selecting six courses carrying the following prefixes: ACCT, ANTH, BIOL, BUSN, CPSC, ECON, ENGL, GEOG, HIST, HOSE, MATH, PHIL, PHYS, PSYC, SOCI, SOWK, PRWR, and courses offered by the Department of Modern Language Studies.

### **University Electives – 18 credits**

Choose any university course.

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# KU B.S. Criminal Justice Major Check Sheet

#### Student Name:

Student ID Number:

This check sheet provides a mechanism for students and advisors to keep track of a student's progress in the program. Please refer to the program requirements for more details regarding options.

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### Required Criminal Justice Core Courses - 24 credits

CRJU 10 Intro to Criminal Justice	3 credits	Grade:
CRJU 101 Introduction to Policing	3 credits	Grade:
CRJU 181 Criminal Law	3 credits	Grade:
CRJU 182 Criminal Procedure	3 credits	Grade:
CRJU 250 Criminology	3 credits	Grade:
CRJU 270 Management of Offenders	3 credits	Grade:
CRJU 362 Research Methods	3 credits	Grade:
CRJU 380 Senior Seminar	3 credits	Grade:
Total Credits	24 total credits	

### **Criminal Justice Major Electives – 18 credits**

Students who want to have an internship experience may take four CRJU electives in addition to CRJU 390

Course 1:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 2:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 3:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 4:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 5:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 6:	3 credits	Grade:
Total Credits	18 total credits	

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Consult with major advisor before selecting six courses carrying the following prefixes: ACCT, ANTH, BIOL, BUSN, CPSC, ECON, ENGL, GEOG, HIST, HOSE, MATH, PHIL, PHYS, PSYC, SOCI, SOWK, PRWR and courses offered by the Department of Modern Language Studies.

Course 1:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 2:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 3:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 4:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 5:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 6:	3 credits	Grade:
Total Credits	18 total credits	

#### **University Electives – 18 credits**

Course 1:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 2:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 3:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 4:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 5:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 6:	3 credits	Grade:
Total Credits	18 total credits	

### **Summary of Graduation Requirements**

Total credits from major courses	60
Total credits from general education program	42-45
Total credits from university electives	15-18
Minimum total credits to graduate	120
Minimum overall GPA	2.0
Minimum GPA in major program	2.0

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# KU B.S. Criminal Justice 8-Semester Planner

Student Name:

Student ID Number:

Each semester listed below provides information including course categories, typical credit hours (CH.), and space to add specific course selections. This planner is only a suggested path. Consult with your program advisor regarding your unique plans and interests as you make choices about your schedule.

### First Semester Plan

Gen Ed	Category A1	3 CH.	Selection:
Gen Ed	Category B	3 CH.	Selection:
Gen Ed	Category C1	3 CH.	Selection:
Gen Ed	FYSM 100	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	CRJU 10	3 CH.	Selection:
Total		15 CH.	

### Second Semester Plan

Gen Ed	Category A2	3 CH.	Selection:
Gen Ed	Category B	3 CH.	Selection:
Gen Ed	Category B	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	CRJU 101	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	CRJU Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Total		15 CH.	

### Third Semester Plan

Gen Ed	Category A3	3 CH.	Selection:
Gen Ed	Category C2	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	Additional Required Course	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	CRJU 181 Criminal Law	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	CRJU Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Total		15 CH.	

### Fourth Semester Plan

Gen Ed	Category A4	3 CH.	Selection:
Gen Ed	Category C3	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	Additional Required Course	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	CRJU 250	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	CRJU Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Total		15 CH.	

### Fifth Semester Plan

Gen Ed	Category D	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	Additional Required Course	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	Additional Required Course	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	CRJU 182	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	CRJU Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Total		15 CH.	

### Sixth Semester Plan

Gen Ed	Category D	3 CH.	Selection:
Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	Additional Required Course	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	Additional Required Course	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	CRJU 362	3 CH.	Selection:
Total		15 CH.	

### Seventh Semester Plan

Gen Ed	Category D	3 CH.	Selection:
Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	CRJU 380	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	CRJU Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Total		15 CH.	

### Eighth Semester Plan

Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	CRJU Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Total		15 CH.	

### Additional Notes:

- 1. A grade of "C" or higher is required for the required courses.
- 2. Students who want to have an internship experience may take four CJ electives in addition to CRJU 390.
- 3. Transfer students must complete half (21 credits) of their criminal justice requirements at Kutztown University.

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