

TARLETON STATE UNIVERSITY
COLLEGE OF LIBERAL & FINE ARTS
DEPARTMENT OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (BS) IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE (2021-2022)

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

	TSU REQUIRED	HOURS	ACCEPTABLE TRANSFER EQUIVALENTS	HOURS COMPLETED
MCC	ENGL 1301	3	ENGL 1301 (COMPOSITION I) (REQUIRED)	
	ENGL 1302	3	ENGL 1302 (COMPOSITION II) (REQUIRED)	
	COMM 1311, 1315, 2302	3	SPCH 1311, 1315, 1321	
	MATH 1314 OR ABOVE	3	MATH 1314 OR ABOVE	
	LAB SCIENCE	4	BIO, GEOL, CHEM, PHYSICS, ENV SCI	
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	CREATIVE ARTS	3	ART 1301, 1303, 1304, MUSI 1306, DRAM 1310	
	LITERATURE OR PHIL 1301	3	ANY LITERATURE COURSE OR PHIL 1301	
	HIST 1301	3	HIST 1301 (US HISTORY I)	
	HIST 1302	3	HIST 1302 (US HISTORY II)	
	GOVT 2305	3	GOVT 2305 (FEDERAL GOVERNMENT)	
	GOVT 2306	3	GOVT 2306 (TEXAS GOVERNMENT)	
	SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES	3	FROM APPROVED LIST	
	COMPONENT AREA OPTION	1	**EDUC 1100/1300, PSYC 1100/1300, or PHED 1164	

**Students must choose to complete either the MCC Core Curriculum OR the Tarleton Core. See Advisor for details.*

**Student must take ENGL 1302 for Tarleton's degree requirements (If student is core complete without ENGL 1302 then ENGL 1302 will use one of the electives)*

*** See Advisor for Additional Options*

TRANSFERABLE REQUIRED CRIMINAL JUSTICE COURSES

MCC	CRIJ 1301	3	CRIJ 1301 - INTRODUCTION TO CRIMINAL JUSTICE	
	CRIJ 1306	3	CRIJ 1306 - COURT SYSTEMS AND PRACTICES	
	CRIJ 1310	3	CRIJ 1310 - FUNDAMENTALS OF CRIMINAL LAW	
	CRIJ 2335	3	CRIJ 2314 - CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION	
	CRIJ 2328 or CRIJ 2313	3	CRIJ 2328 - POLICE SYSTEMS OR CRIJ 2313 CORRECTION SYSTEMS	
	SPAN 1411 or SPAN 1303	3	SPAN 1411 OR SPAN 1303 - BEGINNING SPANISH I OR BASIC SPANISH FOR VOCATIONS	
	ELECTIVE	3	SEE ADVISOR FOR SUGGESTIONS	
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****STUDENTS SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETING CURRICULUM LISTED ABOVE MAY RECEIVE AN ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREE FROM McLENNAN COMMUNITY COLLEGE UPON COMPLETION OF 60 HOURS (SEE MCC ADVISOR WITH QUESTIONS)*

CRIMINAL JUSTICE REQUIREMENTS/ELECTIVES

TARLETON	CRIJ 3300	3	JUVENILE DELINQUENCY	
	CRIJ 3305	3	CRIMINOLOGY	
	CRIJ 3310	3	CRIMINAL JUSTICE SUPERVISION AND MANAGEMENT	
	CRIJ 3315	3	CRIMINAL EVIDENCE	
	CRIJ 3340	3	HOMELAND SECURITY	
	CRIJ 4312	3	CRIMINAL JUSTICE ETHICS	
	CRIJ 4316 (WI)	3	METHODS OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE RESEARCH	
	CRIJ 4398, 4431, OR 4387	3	CRIMINAL JUSTICE CAPSTONE, CRIMINAL JUSTICE FIELD EXPERIENCE, SEMINAR: STUDY ABROAD	
	CRIJ 4318 OR SOCI 3330	3	CRIMINAL JUSTICE STATISTICS OR SOCIAL SCIENCE STATISTICS	
	CRIJ 3313 OR ENGL 3309	3	PROFESSIONAL WRITINGS IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE OR TECHNICAL WRITING AND DOCUMENT DESIGN	
	ADVANCED CRIJ ELECTIVE	3	SEE ADVISOR FOR SUGGESTIONS	
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NOTE: Tarleton residency requires a minimum of 30 hours to be taken from TSU of which 30 hours must be advanced and at least 6 hours must be writing intensive. (WI) - Writing Intensive.

TOTAL HOURS REQUIRED FOR BS IN CJ DEGREE PROGRAM

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS	42 HOURS
TRANSFERABLE REQUIRED CJ/ELECTIVES	33 HOURS
TSU REQUIRED CJ/ELECTIVE COURSES	45 HOURS
TOTAL HOURS	120-122 HOURS