

# 2023–24 Criminal Justice Academic Map

## Department of Criminal Justice Administration

### Middle Tennessee State University • Murfreesboro



An academic map is a suggested four-year schedule of courses based on degree requirements in the undergraduate catalog. This sample schedule serves as a general guideline to help build a full schedule each term. Milestones, courses, and special requirements necessary for timely progress to complete a major are designated to keep you on track to graduate in four years. **Missing milestones could delay your program.**

**This map is not a substitute for academic advisement—contact your advisor if you have any questions about scheduling or about your degree requirements.** Also see the current undergraduate catalog ([catalog.mtsu.edu](http://catalog.mtsu.edu)) for a complete list of requirements and electives. *Note: Requirements are continually under revision, and there is no guarantee they will not be changed or revoked; contact the department and/or program area for current information.*

**You may choose to attend a summer term to reduce your load during fall or spring terms but still stay on track to graduate in four years (see back). NOTE: Learning Support courses will alter the sequences on this map.**

## Suggested Fall/Spring Four-Year Schedule

FRESHMAN FALL			FRESHMAN SPRING		
Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes	Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes
ENGL 1010 (Comm)	3	C- or higher	ENGL 1020 (Comm)	3	C- or higher
General elective	3	UNIV 1010 rec.	HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050	3	
Soc/Beh Sci (Rubric 1)	3		Hum/FA (Rubric 2)	3	
Hum/FA (Rubric 1)	3		CJA 2100	3	C or higher (no C-)
Math (Math)	3		CJA 2200	3	C or higher (no C-)
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>	
SOPHOMORE FALL			SOPHOMORE SPRING		
Nat Sci (Rubric 1)	4		Nat Sci (Rubric 2)	4	
COMM 2200 (Comm)	3		ENGL 2020, ENGL 2030, or HUM 2610 (Hum/FA)	3	
Soc/Beh Sci (Rubric 2)	3		Minor course	3	
CJA 2400	3	C or higher (no C-)	General elective	3	
CJA 2600	3	C or higher (no C-)	CJA elective	3	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>16</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>16</b>	
JUNIOR FALL			JUNIOR SPRING		
General elective	3		General elective	3	
CJA elective	3	Upper division	CJA 3200	3	Prereqs: CJA 1100, 2200, 2400, 2600 or permission of instructor; C or higher (no C-)
Minor course	3		Minor course	3	
Minor course	3		CJA elective	3	Upper division
HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050	3		CJA elective	3	Upper division
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>	
SENIOR FALL			SENIOR SPRING		
CJA elective	3	See dept./advisor	General elective	3	See dept./advisor
Minor course	3	See dept./advisor	General elective	1	See dept./advisor
CJA elective	3	Upper division	CJA elective	3	Upper division
General elective	3		General elective	3	
Minor course or general elective	3		General elective	3	
Optional 9-hour CJA internship			Optional 9-hour CJA internship		
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>13</b>	
<b>TOTAL HOURS IN PROGRAM: 120</b>					

# Criminal Justice Suggested Fall/Spring/Summer Four-Year Schedule

Refer to [www.mtsu.edu/financial-aid/scholarships](http://www.mtsu.edu/financial-aid/scholarships) for information regarding use of the Lottery Scholarship for the summer term.

FRESHMAN FALL			FRESHMAN SPRING		
Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes	Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes
ENGL 1010 (Comm)	3	C- or higher	ENGL 1020 (Comm)	3	C- or higher
General elective	3	UNIV 1010 rec.	HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050	3	
Hum/FA (Rubric 1)	3		CJA 2100	3	C or higher (no C-)
Math (Math)	3		CJA 2200	3	C or higher (no C-)
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>	
FRESHMAN SUMMER					
Soc/Beh Sci (Rubric 1)	3		Hum/FA (Rubric 2)	3	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>	
SOPHOMORE FALL			SOPHOMORE SPRING		
Nat Sci (Rubric 1)	4		Nat Sci (Rubric 2)	4	
COMM 2200 (Comm)	3		ENGL 2020, ENGL 2030, or HUM 2610 (Hum/FA)	3	
CJA 2400	3	C or higher (no C-)	General elective	3	
CJA 2600	3	C or higher (no C-)	CJA elective	3	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>13</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>13</b>	
SOPHOMORE SUMMER					
Soc/Beh Sci (Rubric 2)	3		Minor course	3	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>	
JUNIOR FALL			JUNIOR SPRING		
General elective	3		General elective	3	
CJA elective	3	Upper division	CJA 3200	3	Prereqs: CJA 1100, 2200, 2400, 2600 or permission of instructor; C or higher (no C-)
Minor course	3		CJA elective	3	Upper division
HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050	3		CJA elective	3	Upper division
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>	
JUNIOR SUMMER					
Minor course	3		Minor course	3	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>	
SENIOR FALL			SENIOR SPRING		
CJA elective	3	See dept./advisor	General elective	3	See dept./advisor
Minor course	3	See dept./advisor	General elective	1	See dept./advisor
CJA elective	3	Upper division	CJA elective	3	Upper division
General elective	3		General elective	3	
Minor course or general elective	3		General elective	3	
Optional 9-hour CJA internship			Optional 9-hour CJA internship		
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>13</b>	
<b>TOTAL HOURS IN PROGRAM: 120</b>					