

**University of Wisconsin-Platteville/  
Northeast Iowa Community College**  
**Transfer Guide: Criminal Justice**

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**TRANSFER FACTS**

- The University of Wisconsin – Platteville accepts the Associate in Arts or Science degrees from all Iowa Community Colleges. Transferring with these degrees will ensure students have met all university general education requirements with the exception of Ethnic and Gender Studies (which can be fulfilled by taking HUM 108 & 170 at NICC).
- Students seeking admission must have a cumulative GPA of 2.0/4.0 in college transferable coursework and be in good standing at their college or university. Grades of “D” do transfer; however, some major courses may require a minimum grade of “C”. Students begin a new GPA upon admission to UWP.
- Students completing the AA/AS degree will have the foreign language requirement waived. Students transferring without the AA/AS degree will be required to complete one semester of a single foreign language for the B.S. or two semesters for the B.A., unless they met the requirement by completing one (B.S.) or two (B.A.) years of high school foreign language with a grade of “C” or better.
- Students are encouraged to apply early to ensure advance registration. For fall admission, students are encouraged to apply by January 1. For spring admission, students are encouraged to apply by September 1.

View academic planning guides for majors at: <https://www.uwplatt.edu/criminal-justice>

**CRIMINAL JUSTICE COURSES—Required for students**

NICC Course	UW-Platteville Equivalent
CRJ 100—Introduction to Criminal Justice	CJ 1130 Introduction to Criminal Justice
CRJ 111—Police and Society	CJ 2130 The Police Function
CRJ 120—Introduction to Corrections	CJ 2230 Correctional Philosophy
CRJ 230—Evidence	FORENSIC 2420 Evidence Collection and Preservation
ENG 105 – Composition 1	ENGLISH 1130 – Freshman Composition
ENG 106 – Composition 2	ENGLISH 1230 – Freshman Composition

**Recommended courses**

NICC Course	UW-Platteville Course
MAT 156—Statistics	Math 1830 Elementary Statistics
CRJ 124—Deviance and Crime	CJ Elective
CRJ 131—Criminal Law and Procedure	CJ Elective
CRJ 141—Criminal Investigation	CJ Elective
CRJ 200—Criminology	CJ Elective
CRJ 201—Juvenile Delinquency	CJ Elective
ENG 108 – Comp 2: Technical Writing	ENGLISH 3000 – Technical Writing

**Note:**

1. Students can transfer up to 9 credits of CJ electives from NICC

In addition, all criminal justice majors:

1. must earn a “C” or better in each core course before going on to the next
2. must earn a “C” or better in [ENGLISH 1130](#) and ENGLISH 1230 and pass the departmental writing proficiency exam before taking upper division criminal justice courses.

In addition to the social science requirements of the university, all criminal justice majors must either complete at least six credits each in psychology, sociology and political science; or complete a minor or second major in any discipline.