

TRANSFER GUIDE

AA Criminal Justice transferring into BA Criminology & Criminal Justice

Prairie State College Courses			
AA Criminal Justice – 62 hours			
ENG 101-3	Composition I	Elective-4	Physical Science
ENG 102-3	Composition II	Elective-3	Life Science
COMM 101-3	Prin of Communication	Elective-3	Fine Arts
Elective-3	Mathematics	CJ 101-3	Intro to Criminal Justice
POLSC 140-3*	Intro U.S. Govt & Politics	CJ 102-3	Intro to Criminology
PSYCH 101-3*	Intro to Psychology	CJ 106-3*	Intro to Corrections
SOCIO 101-3*	Intro to Sociology	CJ 204-3*	Juvenile Justice
Elective-3	Humanities	Electives-13	Choose from approved courses
Elective-3	Humanities or Fine Arts	*Recommended to fulfill BA degree requirements	
Southern Illinois University Carbondale Courses			
BA Criminology & Criminal Justice (CCJ) – 58 hours			
CCJ 203-3	Crime, Justice & Social Diversity	CCJ Electives-18	300/400 level; 12 hrs at 400 level
CCJ 310/360-3	Intro Criminal Law/Law Soc Ctrl	Electives-15	300/400 level
CCJ 316-3	Intro to Criminal Justice Research	Electives-13	
CCJ 317-3	Intro to Criminal Justice Statistics		
Total Hours to Bachelor Degree: 120 Hours			

Questions? Contact Us!

Salary Range: \$30,000-\$75,000

Possible Careers: Police Officer
Corrections Officer
Crime Scene Investigator
Forensic Technician
Probation Officer

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Baccalaureate Degree Requirements

Each candidate for a bachelor's degree must complete the requirements listed:

Hour Requirements. Student must complete at least 120 semester hrs of credit. Each student must have at least 42 hrs in courses that number 300 or above from a four-year institution.

Residence Requirements. Student must complete the residency requirement by taking a total of 42 semester hrs at SIU Carbondale.

Grade Point Average Requirements. Student must have a C average for all work taken at SIU Carbondale. Some academic programs may require a higher graduating major GPA.

Compact Agreement

SIU Carbondale has recognized Illinois regionally accredited community college transferable baccalaureate-oriented Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degrees under the Compact Agreement since 1970. SIUC will continue to recognize the baccalaureate oriented associate degree (A.A. or A.S. degree) under the Illinois Articulation Initiative as satisfying SIU University Core Curriculum (UCC) requirements. The Associate of Applied Science (A.A.S.), Associate in Engineering Science (A.E.S.), the Associate in General Studies (A.G.S.), and the Associate in Fine Arts (A.F.A.) are not covered under the Compact Agreement and do not carry the same benefits as the A.A. and A.S. degrees.

Saluki Transfer Pathways

[Saluki Transfer Pathways](#) is the university's dual admission program that allows baccalaureate-oriented students at eligible community colleges intending to transfer to SIU Carbondale to benefit from early admission and pre-advisement for a baccalaureate program at SIUC. Saluki Transfer Pathways allows students to be conditionally admitted to SIU Carbondale up to two years in advance of their intended transfer term so they have access to transfer credit evaluation and the university's degree audit system. This allows students to address major specific requirements that may not be automatically fulfilled with the completion of an associate degree. Students apply to Saluki Transfer Pathways by completing the Application for Undergraduate Admission and indicating an interest in the program. To participate, students must have at least two semesters remaining at their community college. Direct questions about the Saluki Transfer Pathways program to transfer@siu.edu.

DegreeWorks

DegreeWorks is an easy-to-use, online degree audit tool specifically designed for students. Once admitted to SIU Carbondale, you can use it monitor your progress toward your degree in [Salukinet](#).

Saluki Transfer Estimator Portal (STEP)

The [Saluki Transfer Estimator Portal](#) (STEP) is a web-based tool that integrates institutional course equivalency and degree audit data to provide an unofficial credit estimation and a more seamless transfer process. STEP gives transfer students a clear roadmap for timely degree completion by providing key information about how transfer credits apply to your intended program at SIU.