



CCSNH- PSU Transfer Pathway Program: B.A. in Criminology

Plymouth State University has partnered with the **Community College System of New Hampshire** to offer a Pathways Program that allows you to smoothly transition to PSU. This curriculum map shows you the courses to take while enrolled as a CCSNH student, for seamless transfer and efficient completion of the B.A. degree program in Criminology. The pathway can be embedded in any CCSNH degree program but is particularly compatible with programs in criminal justice, homeland security, social sciences, or liberal arts.

Students take these courses at CCSNH	To fulfill these requirements at PSU
General Education courses required for	General Education requirements satisfied via
associate's degree in selected CCSNH program	block transfer agreement*
Introduction to Criminal Justice (see course	CJ 1020- Criminal Justice in Action
mapping guide for approved CCSNH courses)**	
Criminology (see course mapping guide for	CJ/SO 2080- Crime and Criminals
approved CCSNH courses)	
Choose two courses from:	Elective courses for the major (category 1):
Police Operations	CJ 2025- Police and Society
Criminal Procedure	CJ 2045- Criminal Procedure
Corrections Operations	CJ 2075- Corrections
Criminal Law	CJ 2090- Criminal Law
(see course mapping guide for approved courses)	
Choose one course from:	Elective course for the major (category 2):
Criminal Investigation	CJ 3005- Criminal Investigation
Forensic Science	CJ 3025- Forensic Science
Introduction to Homeland Security	CJ 3405- Homeland Security
Juvenile Justice	SO 3085- Juvenile Delinquency
Drug Abuse and the Law	SO 3385- Drugs and Society
(see course mapping guide for approved courses)	
General electives or Program electives, as needed	Courses not required to fulfill PSU Program or
to meet CCSNH requirements for associates	Discovery requirements will transfer as general
degree program	electives

* The CCSNH-PSU Block transfer agreement states that CCSNH students graduating with an associate's degree from any CCSNH campus, with an overall GPA of 2.0 will have fulfilled all general education requirements for Plymouth State University. A minimum of 60 credits will be transferred.

** CCSNH courses that have been approved as equivalent to the required PSU course are listed on the final page of this document

At PSU you will complete the following requirements to earn your bachelor's degree:

Major Course Requirements

CJ/PY 3157- Society, Ethics and the Law

CJ 3225- Research Methods in Criminal Justice

CJ 3260- Data Analysis for Criminal Justice

CJ/SO 3270- Explaining Crime

CJ 4805- Criminal Justice Seminar

Students in Criminology are encouraged to use their free electives to minor in an area that interfaces with the field of Criminology, such as Anthropology, Sociology, Business Administration, Child Welfare and Family Studies, Computing, French, Information Technology, Media Studies, Peace and Social Justice Studies, Political Science, Pre-Law, Professional Communication, Psychology, Spanish, or Women's Studies.

General Education Program Course Requirements*

Any general education requirements remaining and not covered by block transfer agreement*

University Degree Requirements

General Elective Courses to fill remaining credits required for bachelor's degree (120 total) Language requirement**

*Students must earn an associate's degree from CCSNH to be eligible for the block transfer program. Students transferring prior to associate's degree completion will be required to meet the requirements for the PSU general education program. CCSNH courses meeting specific PSU general education requirements will be evaluated at the time of transfer.

** Foreign language requirement calls for 0-8 credits: one year of one language (6-8 credits) at the university level, or satisfactory completion of a departmental placement test and FR 2024 (French Language and Culture Studies), or SP 2024 (Spanish Language and Culture Studies), or satisfactory completion of one three-credit language course at the 3000-level or above, or satisfactory completion of a proficiency test (Advanced Placement or CLEP). ASL I & II will fulfill the language requirement

NOTE THAT SPECIFIC PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE: AN ADVISOR AT PSU WILL PROVIDE YOU WITH THE BEST POSSIBLE GUIDANCE FOR COURSE SELECTIONS EACH TERM.

Also note:

Students may transfer a maximum of 90 credits in total. Students not transferring an associate's degree must receive a grade of C or better for courses to transfer. Note that some programs may have more stringent requirements for transfer.

Course Mapping Guide: CCSNH Courses Approved for Major Equivalency

PSU Course CJ 1020: Criminal Justice in Action

- GBCC: CRMJ 101G- Introduction to Criminal Justice OR CRMJ 230G- Justice and Community
- NCC: CRMJ 101N- Introduction to Criminal Justice
- NHTI: CRMJ 101C- Introduction to Criminal Justice
- RVCC: CRMJ 101R- Introduction to Criminal Justice
- WMCC: CRMJ 101W- Introduction to Criminal Justice

PSU Course CJ/SO 2080: Crime and Criminals

- GBCC: CRMJ 150G- Criminology
- NCC: CRMJ 102N- Criminology
- NHTI: CRMJ 150C- Criminology
- RVCC: CRMJ 201R- Criminology
- WMCC: CRMJ 150W- Criminology

PSU Course CJ 2025: Police and Society

- GBCC: CRMJ 205G- Police Operations
- NCC: CRMJ 122N- Law Enforcement Organizations
- NHTI: CRMJ 205C- Police Administration and Operations

PSU Course CJ 2045: Criminal Procedure

- GBCC: CRMJ 121G- Criminal Procedure
- NCC: CRMJ 260N- Criminal Procedure
- NHTI: CRMJ 121C- Criminal Procedure
- RVCC: CRMJ 102R- Criminal Procedure
- WMCC: CRMJ 201W- Criminal Procedures

PSU Course CJ 2075: Corrections

- GBCC: CRMJ 215G- Corrections Operations
- NCC: CRMJ 265N- Corrections
- NHTI: CRMJ 215C- Corrections Operations
- WMCC: CRMJ 215W- Corrections Operations

PSU Course CJ 2090: Criminal Law

- GBCC: CRMJ 123G- Criminal Law
- NCC: CRMJ 240N- Criminal Law & Prosecution
- NHTI: CRMJ 123C- Criminal Law
- RVCC: CRMJ 111R- Criminal Law
- WMCC: CRMJ 123W- Criminal Law

PSU Course CJ 3005: Criminal Investigation

NCC : CRMJ 121N- Criminal Investigation

PSU Course CJ 3025- Forensic Science WMCC: CRMJ 108- Forensic Science

PSU Course CJ 3405 Homeland Security

- GBCC: HSEM 110G- Introduction to Homeland Security
- NCC: HMSC 110G- Introduction to Homeland Security
- NHTI: HMSC 101C- Introduction to Homeland Security
- WMCC: CRMJ 105W- Introduction to Homeland Security

PSU Course CJ 3110- Youth and Crime

- GBCC: CRMJ 210G- Juvenile Justice
- NCC: CRMJ 220N- Juvenile Justice
- NHTI: CRMJ 210C- Juvenile Justice Administration
- RVCC: CRMJ 112R- Introduction to the Juvenile Justice System
- WMCC: CRMJ 210W- Juvenile Justice Administration

PSU Course SO 3385- Drugs and Society

- NHTI: CRMJ 225C- Drug Abuse and the Law
- RVCC: CRMJ 210R- Drugs and the Law
- WMCC: CRMJ 225W- Drug Abuse and the Law

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