

 <b>Stark State</b> COLLEGE  	<b>ONE-YEAR CERTIFICATE</b>  <b>POLICE SCIENCE</b>	<b>1920 Catalog</b> Effective Summer 2019
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*Health and Public Services Division*

*Human Services and Justice Studies Department*

<b>TECHNICAL Course Number</b>	<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Pre- and Co-Requisites</b>	<b>Completed Sem./Year</b>
CJS140	Law Enforcement Academy I <sup>^++</sup>	12	IDS102 <b>or</b> Proficiency	
CJS240	Law Enforcement Academy II <sup>++</sup>	12	CJS140	
CJS121	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3		
CJS221	Criminology	3	CJS121	
<b>Total</b>		<b>30</b>		
<b>NON-TECH Course Number</b>	<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Pre- and Co-Requisites</b>	<b>Completed Sem./Year</b>
SSC101	Student Success Seminar <sup>^^</sup>	1	<i>Take first semester</i>	
ENG124	College Composition <sup>^</sup>	3	Co-ENG024 <b>or</b> Co-ENG011 <b>or</b> Proficiency	
PSY121	General Psychology <sup>^</sup>	3	IDS102 <b>or</b> Proficiency	
COM121	Effective Speaking	3		
<b>Total</b>		<b>10</b>		
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>		<b>40</b>		

<sup>^</sup>Based on SSC placement score.

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FULL-TIME STUDENT ADVISING NOTES

Academic Advising

Students should make an appointment to see their advisor before registering for classes each semester. They should have prepared a completed registration form, including courses they wish to take, prior to this meeting.

Course Sequence

The semester-by-semester listing below provides the normal scheduling option for students seeking a one-year certificate.

<u>First Semester</u>		<u>Credit Hours</u>	<u>Pre- and Co-requisites</u>
SSC101	Student Success Seminar^^	1	<i>Take first semester</i>
CJS140	Law Enforcement Academy I^++	12	IDS102 <b>or</b> Proficiency
CJS121	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	
COM121	Effective Speaking	<u>3</u>	
		<b>19</b>	
 <u>Second Semester</u>			
CJS240	Law Enforcement Academy II++	12	CJS140
ENG124	College Composition^	3	Co-ENG024 <b>or</b> Co-ENG011 <b>or</b> Proficiency
PSY121	General Psychology^	3	IDS102 <b>or</b> Proficiency
CJS221	Criminology	<u>3</u>	CJS121
		<b>21</b>	
	<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>	<b>40</b>	

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