



STARK STATE COLLEGE

GENERAL SYLLABUS

Course Information

Course Name: Corrections
Course Number: CJS129

Required Materials

Textbook(s): Rimonda Maroun, Larry Siegel, & Clemens Bartollas, Corrections Today (5th ed.) Cengage 2024

Required Readings: See weekly calendar below

Additional Materials: Optional materials are posted on the LMS

Course Outline/Calendar

The date of coverage and order of coverage may be modified based on the faculty member and events beyond the control of faculty members that interfere with class times and teaching.

Week	Chapter/Topic/Lab
1	Introduction to Corrections
2	Reading assignment and topic: Chapter 1 The Correctional System
3	Reading assignment and topic: Chapter 2 Sentencing and the Correctional Process
4	Reading assignment and topic: Chapter 3 Community Corrections: Diversion and Probation
5	Reading assignment and topic: Chapter 4 Intermediate Sanctions
6	Reading assignment and topic: Chapter 5 Jails and Houses of Correction
7	Reading assignment and topic: Chapter 6 Prisons
8	Reading assignment and topic: Chapter 7 The Prison Experience: Gendered Perspectives
9	Reading assignment and topic: Chapter 8 Prisoners' Rights
10	Reading assignment and topic: Chapter 9 Correctional Programs and Services
11	Reading assignment and topic: Chapter 10 Parole and Release to the Community
12	Reading assignment and topic: Chapter 11 Special Prison Populations
13	Reading assignment and topic: Chapter 12 Capital Punishment and Death Row
14	Reading assignment and topic: Chapter 13 The Juvenile Offender
15	Projects Due/ Presentations
16	Comprehensive FINAL EXAM