

CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Admission to Program

These programs are open to students in security related departments and employees in the Border Security field.

Program Mission

This program is designed to enable students to implement the criminal justice system, communicate effectively with the public, understand criminology concepts and terminology, explain local legislation related to the criminal justice, and to use technology and techniques aligned with the security code of conduct in crime scene management.

Program Description

The programs are designed to develop the core knowledge, skills, and competencies required to work as law enforcement officers. Students are provided with hands-on training as staff officers in relevant field departments. Each Diploma is aligned to the Qualifications Framework of the Emirates.

Program Learning Outcomes

In addition to the generic graduate outcomes related to the Diploma graduates of the Higher Colleges of Technology, students, upon completion of the programs, will be able to:

- Function with the basic competencies to undertake the tasks, duties and responsibilities of a law enforcement officer.
- Communicate effectively and concisely relevant criminal law procedures following best security professional practice.
- Apply operational rules and solve problems encountered in the role of law enforcement officer while observing the code of conduct and values.
- Use technology systems effectively to support operational security tasks.

Requirements

Completion Requirements

Students must successfully complete a minimum of 63 semester credits including:

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Security Studies Core Courses		15
Electives		9
Diploma Major Core courses		12
General Studies		21
Work Experience		6
Total Credit Hours		63

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Security Studies Core Courses		
Required Credits: 21		
MAS 1003	Introduction to Legal Sciences Studies	3
PST 1003	Criminal Law	3

PST 1023	Criminal Procedure	3
PST 1033	Infantry Police and Practices Applications	0
PST 1043	Security Organisation and Administration	3
PST 1103	Weapons Science and Practice	0
PST 1133	Concepts and Principles of Traffic	3
PST 2009	Work Experience	6

Diploma in Criminal Justice Core Courses

Required Credits: 12		
PCJ 2003	Law and Procedure of Evidence	3
PCJ 2033	Crime Detection	3
PCJ 2043	Community Policing	3
PCJ 2053	Special Criminal Legislation	3

Diploma in Criminal justice Electives

Required Credits: 9		
BSO 2103	Residence and Foreigners Affairs Procedures	3
PLE 2013	Management Punitive and Correctional Establishments	3
PLE 2053	Introduction to Criminology	3
PST 1153	Basics and Principles of Security Operations	3

General Studies

Required Credits 21

English, Arabic or other Languages

Required Credits: 6

Humanities or Arts

Required Credits: 6

Information Technology or Mathematics

Required Credits: 3

The Natural Sciences

Required Credits: 3

The Social or Behavioral Sciences

Required Credits: 3

Ideal Study Plan

Recommended Sequence of Study

Year 1		
Semester 1		Credit Hours
AES 1003	Emirati Studies	3
AES 1013	Arabic Communications I	3
LSS 1003	Life and Future Skills	3
MAS 1003	Introduction to Legal Sciences Studies	3
PST 1043	Security Organisation and Administration	3
PST 1103	Weapons Science and Practice	0
Credit Hours		15
Semester 2		
ICT 2013	Computational Thinking and Coding	3
LSC 1103	Professional Communication and Reporting	3
PST 1003	Criminal Law	3
PST 1033	Infantry Police and Practices Applications	0
PST 1133	Concepts and Principles of Traffic	3
PST 1173	Islamic Studies	3
Credit Hours		15
Year 2		
Semester 3		
PCJ 2033	Crime Detection	3

PCJ 2053	Special Criminal Legislation	3
PST 1023	Criminal Procedure	3
2 Elective Courses		6
	Credit Hours	15
Semester 4		
LSN 1113	Introduction to Sustainability	3
PCJ 2003	Law and Procedure of Evidence	3
PCJ 2043	Community Policing	3
PST 2009	Work Experience	6
Elective Course		3
	Credit Hours	18
	Total Credit Hours	63

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