



Transfer Pathway Between Merritt College and University of Phoenix

Associate in Science for Transfer Degree in Administration of Justice (Merritt College)
2023-2024 Catalog Year to:
Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice Administration v06A (UOPX)

UOPX General Education and Elective Program Requirements

Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice Administration Degree Requirement	Recommended Courses	Institution	Credits Utilized
Communication Arts (6 credits) [Must Include three (3) credits of College Composition]	ENGL 1A – or - ENGL 1AS* (Area 1: Group A - English Composition)	Merritt	3
	Any three (3) credits from Area 1: Group C - Oral Communication listed on the IGETC that does not duplicate*	Merritt	3
Mathematics (6 credits) [Must Include six (6) credits of Quantitative Reasoning, Statistics, College Algebra or Calculus] [Math Proficiency Requirement]	MATH 50 Trigonometry* (Elective to reach Graduation requirement)	Merritt	3
	MATH 13 Introduction to Statistics* (Area 2: Mathematical Concepts and Quantitative Reasoning)	Merritt	3
Science and Technology (6 credits) [Must include three (3) credits of Physical or Biological Sciences]	Any one (1) course from Area 5A: Physical Sciences listed on the IGETC that does not duplicate*	Merritt	3
	Any one (1) course from Area 5B: Biological Sciences listed on the IGETC that does not duplicate*	Merritt	3
Humanities (6 credits)	Any three (3) credits from Area 3: A. Arts listed on the IGETC that does not duplicate*	Merritt	3
	Any three (3) credits from Area 3: B. Humanities listed on the IGETC that does not duplicate*	Merritt	3
Social Science (6 credits)	PSYCH 1A Introduction to General Psychology* (Area 4: Social and Behavioral Sciences)	Merritt	3
	SOC 1 Introduction to Sociology* (Area 4: Social and Behavioral Sciences)	Merritt	3
Liberal Arts (6 credits) [Must Include GEN/201 Foundations for University Success]	GEN/201 Foundations for University Success	UOPX	3
	ENGL 5 Critical Thinking in Reading and Writing* (Area 1: Group B - Critical Thinking/ Composition)	Merritt	3
Elective (42 credits)	<i>Lower Division Elective Credits Filled by Combined Credits From:</i>		
	ENGL 1A – or - ENGL 1AS (Area 1 – Group A) (excess), MATH 13 (Area 2) (excess)*	Merritt	2
	Any one (1) course from Area 5C: Laboratory Activity listed on the IGETC that does not duplicate*	Merritt	1
	ADJUS 21 Introduction to Administration of Justice (Area 4: Social and Behavioral Sciences), ADJUS 22 Concepts of Criminal Law*	Merritt	6
	Any six (6) credits from Group A listed in the AS-T degree requirements that does not duplicate*	Merritt	6
	Any three (3) credits from Area 3: Arts and Humanities listed on the IGETC that does not duplicate*	Merritt	3
	Any College-level/Transferable coursework that does not duplicate* (Elective to reach Graduation requirement)	Merritt	9
	Any College-level/Transferable coursework that does not duplicate**	Merritt	15

This transfer pathway guide used the following general education criteria: Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC)

* Course recommended or required to maximize transfer into UOPX based off Associate degree requirements to obtain an Associate in Science for Transfer Degree in Administration of Justice from Merritt College.

** Course recommended by UOPX outside of Associate degree requirements to reach transfer credit totals listed on pathway. Students may have other options to satisfy this course requirement at UOPX. Students should consult an advisor at their respective institution if they would like to take courses outside of the recommended sequence.



UOPX Course of Study Requirements

Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice Administration Degree Requirement	Recommended Courses	Institution	Credits
Survey of Criminal Justice	CJA/316 Survey of Criminal Justice	UOPX	3
Ethics in Criminal Justice	CJA/326 Ethics in Criminal Justice	UOPX	3
Diversity in Criminal Justice	CJA/336 Diversity in Criminal Justice	UOPX	3
Theories of Criminology and Victimology	CJA/346 Theories of Criminology and Victimology	UOPX	3
Organizational Behavior and Management	CJA/356 Organizational Behavior and Management	UOPX	3
Interagency Communication	CJA/376 Interagency Communication	UOPX	3
Research Statistics	CJA/386 Research Statistics	UOPX	3
Budget, Finance, and Planning	CJA/416 Budget, Finance, and Planning	UOPX	3
Grant Writing and Funding	CJA/426 Grant Writing and Funding	UOPX	3
Mental Health Services and Crisis Intervention	CJA/436 Mental Health Services and Crisis Intervention	UOPX	3
Criminal Justice Policy Analysis and Program Evaluation	CJA/446 Criminal Justice Policy Analysis and Program Evaluation	UOPX	3
Contemporary Issues and Futures in Criminal Justice	CJA/456 Contemporary Issues and Futures in Criminal Justice	UOPX	3
Criminal Justice Problem-Solving Methods	CJA/476 Criminal Justice Problem-Solving Methods	UOPX	3
Administration Capstone	CJA/486 Administration Capstone	UOPX	3

Institutional Credit Breakdown

Minimum Credits Required for Associate in Science for Transfer Degree in Administration of Justice	60 Credits
Credits Utilized from Associate in Science for Transfer Degree in Administration of Justice	60 Credits
Recommended Credits Outside AS-T Degree in Administration of Justice to Maximize Transfer	15 Credits

Total Credits Required to Complete Bachelor's Degree	120
Total Merritt College Applied Credits	75
Required University of Phoenix Credits (42 Upper Division)	45

NOTE: This breakdown represents the recommended course sequence a student should pursue in order to transfer into University of Phoenix. This summary is an estimation of credits only based on the current catalog and degree program requirements. Actual credit may vary based on each individual student's submission. Concentrations are reflected on the transcript only. All courses that apply to an associate's degree transfer to the University of Phoenix with the exception of remedial or vocational courses. Courses must have received a grade of C- or higher to transfer.