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**ARCC to SCSU**

**Transfer Guide - Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice**

**Transfer Process**

All transfer students seeking a Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice should follow the admission procedures located on the following website in order to be admitted to St. Cloud State University (SCSU): [www.stcloudstate.edu/transfer](http://www.stcloudstate.edu/transfer). More information can be found in the [University Catalog](#).

**The following ARCC courses transfer to SCSU's Criminal Justice Program:**

ARCC Courses	SCSU Courses
<b>SOC 2261</b> Introduction to Criminology (Goal 5 & 9)	<b>CJS 111</b> Crime and Justice in America
<b>MATH 1110 OR MATH 1114</b> Intro to Statistics I (Goal 4)	<b>STAT 219</b> Statistics for the Social Sciences
<b>*HPER 1102</b> Drugs, Alcohol & Tobacco	<b>HLTH 405</b> Drugs in Society
<b>*PHIL 1110</b> Ethics <b>OR</b> <b>*PHIL 1200</b> (Goal 2, 6, & 9)	<b>PHIL 212</b> Moral Problems and Theories
<b>*POLS 2225</b> Constitutional Law	<b>POL 491</b> Constitutional Law

\* SCSU Criminal Justice approved elective course.

**The following courses are suggested for particular MnTC Goals:**

ARCC Courses	SCSU Courses
<b>ENGL 1121</b> College Writing and Critical Reading (Goal 1W & 2) <b>OR</b> <b>ENGL 1120</b> Cross College Writing & Critical Reading (Goal 1W & 2)	<b>ENGL 191</b> Rhetorical & Analytical Writing
<b>CMST 1110</b> Introduction to Communication (Goal 1S & 2) <b>OR</b> <b>CMST 2220</b> Interpersonal Communication (Goal 1S, 5 & 7) <b>OR</b> <b>CMST 2251</b> Small Group Communication (Goal 1S & 2)	<b>CMST 192</b> Intro to Communication Studies <b>CMST 220</b> Interpersonal Communication <b>CMST 340</b> Teams, Innovation & Communication

It is recommended that students take these courses as part of the Minnesota Transfer Curriculum (MnTC).

If a student completes a Goal area within the MnTC, the same Goal area will be complete at SCSU once transferred.

**Additional Requirements to Consider when Degree Planning:**

- Completion of 10 Goals (40 credits) in the MnTC (known as the Liberal Education Program at SCSU)
- 40 upper-division credits (300-400 level coursework) are required to graduate from SCSU
- Completion of three Diversity classes. (Maybe adjusted depending on the amount of transfer credits). One diversity course must be an approved Racial Issues Graduate Requirement (RIGR) course (see Goal 7 for RIGR courses)
- Complete Residency Requirement. 30 credits must be earned at SCSU
- Earn a minimum of 120 credits to graduate with a bachelor's degree
- Must maintain a major GPA of least 2.5 after being admitted
- Additional major course requirements to be taken at SCSU

Students considering the law enforcement licensure, contact Dr. Shawn Williams [slwilliams@stcloudstate.edu](mailto:slwilliams@stcloudstate.edu) for SKILLS requirements.

Please refer to [www.transferology.com](http://www.transferology.com) for up-to-date information on course equivalencies.

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