



**Transfer Guide:**

**NHCC to SCSU**

**Associate of Science in Criminal Justice to 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 Criminal Justice program courses transfer from North Hennepin Community College (NHCC) to SCSU:**

| NHCC Course   | SCSU Course  |
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| <b>SOC 1710</b> Intro to Criminal Justice (Goal 5)                                      | <b>CJS 111</b> Intro to Criminal Justice                   |
| <b>*SOC 1730</b> Juvenile Justice   | <b>CJS 450</b> Juvenile Justice System                     |
| <b>*SOC 2730</b> Intro to Corrections (Goal 5)  | <b>SOC 367</b> Criminology                                 |
| <b>SOC 1720</b> Police & Community  | <b>SOC Transfer</b>  |
| <b>*PHIL 1020</b> Ethics (Goal 6 & 9)   | <b>PHIL 212</b> Moral Problems and Theories                |
| <b>HLTH 1060</b> Drugs & Health   | <b>HLTH 301</b> Health Issues & Strategies for Teachers    |
| <b>POLS 2130</b> Constitutional Law (Goal 5)  | <b>POL Transfer</b>  |
| <b>COMM1110</b> Principles of Interpersonal Communication (Goal 1S, 5, & 7)             | <b>CMST 220</b> Interpersonal Communication                |
| <b>COMM 1310</b> Intercultural Communication (Goal 7 & 8)                               | <b>CMST 330</b> Intercultural Communication                |
| <b>**ENGL 1201</b> College Writing I <b>AND ENGL 1202</b> Freshman English II (Goal 1W) | <b>ENGL 191</b> Intro to Rhetorical and Analytical Writing |
| <b>PSYC 1150</b> General Psychology (Goal 5)  | <b>PSY 115</b> Intro to Psychology                         |
| <b>SOC 1110</b> Intro to Sociology (Goal 5 & 7)   | <b>SOC 160</b> Principles of Sociology                     |
| <b>SOC 1130</b> Social Problems (Goal 5, 7 & 9)   | <b>SOC 111</b> Social Problems                             |
| <b>SOC 1750</b> Families in Crisis (Goal 5)   | <b>SOC Transfer</b>  |
| <b>SOC 2210</b> Social Inequality (Goal 5 & 7)  | <b>SOC 268</b> Race and Ethnicity                          |

\*This course also counts towards a CJS major elective course within the program.

\*\*If student completes ENGL 1200 at NHCC instead of ENGL 1201 & 1202, ENGL 1200 = ENGL 100 at SCSU; transfer students coming in with ENGL 100 complete will be required to take ENGL 291 (2 credits) to complete the Goal 1: Written Communication requirement for the MnTC at SCSU.

**The following NHCC AS Criminal Justice elective courses will transfer in to fulfill MnTC Goals Areas:**

| NHCC Course  | SCSU Course                          |
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| <b>CIS 1101</b> Business Computer Systems I (Goal 3) | <b>CSCI 169</b> Computers in Society |
| <b>CSCI 1000</b> Computer Applications (Goal 3)      | <b>CSCI 169</b> Computers in Society |
| <b>ECON 1050</b> Economics of Crime (Goal 5 & 9)     | <b>ECON Transfer</b>                 |
| <b>HLTH 1600</b> Emergency Medical Responder         | <b>HLTH Transfer</b>                 |
| <b>POLS 1140</b> State and Local Politics (Goal 5)   | <b>POL Transfer</b>                  |

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| <b>PSYC 1165</b> Psychology of Adjustment (Goal 5 & 7) | <b>PSY Transfer</b>  |
| <b>EXSC 1010</b> Physical Fitness                      | <b>PESS Transfer</b> |
| <b>SOC 1990</b> Sociology Special Topics               | <b>SOC Transfer</b>  |

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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