

ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE - CORRECTIONS CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT

The Administration of Justice – Corrections certificate is designed for students considering a career as a Correctional Officer, Youth Correctional Counselor, Jailer, or those already employed seeking advancement in their career. The corrections systems specialize in the punishment and incarceration process as well as rehabilitation of the offender. Students will learn the fundamentals of the corrections systems, the legal aspects of corrections, control and supervision in corrections, correctional interviewing and counseling, and the probation and parole concepts in corrections.

Code	Title	Units
Required Courses:		
ADJUS 151	Introduction to Corrections	3
ADJUS 152	Correctional Interviewing and Counseling	3
ADJUS 153	Gangs and Corrections	3
ADJUS 154	Control and Supervision in Corrections	3
ADJUS 155	Legal Aspects of Corrections	3
ADJUS 156	Probation and Parole	3
Total Units		18

Students working for certificates must have a basic knowledge of arithmetic, reading and writing in order to learn and work in the occupations they select.

This is a Gainful Employment Program

Program Learning Outcomes

At the completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Apply knowledge and skills required in securing and maintaining employment.
- Compare and contrast the differences between probation and parole.
- Differentiate and identify control techniques in crisis situations within the correctional setting.
- Distinguish the responsibilities and liabilities of the laws governing a correctional officer.
- Assess the legal framework within the incarceration process.
- Compare prison gang membership both inside and outside the facility.
- Choose to further personal interests by completing the requirements for an Administration of Justice degree or developing skills as a crime scene investigator.