



2+2 Degree Plan



Bachelor of Science in Law Enforcement and Justice Administration

How 2+2 Works

- The 2+2 is a four-year plan that leads to a Bachelor of Science (B.S.) degree in Law Enforcement and Justice Administration at WIU. Students will fill out applications for both schools, consult the advisors, faculty and catalogs from both schools for specifics. This completion guide is designed to ensure graduation in four years by taking courses at both Black Hawk College (BHC) and Western Illinois University (WIU). This guide assumes students have met all course prerequisites required by BHC and admission/audition requirements for WIU.
- Upon completion of the first two years of requirements at BHC, students will receive an Associate of Arts (A.A.) degree. Upon completion of the final two years' curriculum requirements, students will receive the B.S. degree with a major in Law Enforcement and Justice Administration with a minor of the students choice. Possible [minors are listed in the WIU catalog](#).
- A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.00 should be achieved by the junior year and to graduate from BHC. This grade point average must be maintained for graduation from WIU.
- The BS in Law Enforcement and Justice Administration is available at the WIU Macomb and Quad Cities Campuses and online; the AA degree is available at the BHC Quad Cities or East Campuses or online.
- Students following this 2+2 plan will complete a minimum of 120 total credits.

Black Hawk College Course & Credit Hours

Western Illinois University Equivalents

Semester 1

ENG 101 Composition I	3	ENG 180 College Writing I
SOC 101 Principles of Sociology	3	SOC 100 Introduction to Sociology
MATH 108 Statistics for General Ed or MATH 110 Math for General Education	3	STAT 171 General Elementary Statistics or MATH 101 Concepts of Mathematics
IAI Life Science	3-4	Science Gen Ed
CRJU 151 Criminal Justice System	3	LEJA 101 Survey of Criminal Justice
Total	15-16	

Semester 2

ENG 102 Composition II	3	ENG 280 College Writing II
POLS 122 American National Government	3	POLS 122 American Government & Politics
IAI Physical Science	3-4	Science Gen Ed
CS 100 Introduction to Computers or general elective	3	CS 101 Computer Literacy I or general elective
CRJU Elective (recommended: CRJU 109 Police Community Relations, or CRJU 153 Survey of Corrections)	3	LEJA Elective
Total	15-16	

Semester 3

IAI Humanities	3	Humanities Gen Ed
IAI Fine Arts	3	Fine Arts Gen Ed
CRJU 152 Criminology	3	LEJA 357 Theories of Crime (lower division credit)
CRJU 254 Criminal Investigation I	3	LEJA 255 Crime Scene Investigation
CRJU 255 Criminal Law	3	LEJA 212 Criminal Law
Total	15	

Semester 4

SPEC 101 Principles of Speech Communication	3	COMM 241 Introduction to Public Speaking
IAI Humanities or IAI Fine Arts	3	Humanities or Fine Arts Gen Ed
IAI Social & Behavioral Science	3	Social Science Gen Ed
CRJU 247 Juvenile Delinquency	3	LEJA 201 Juvenile Justice
CRJU Elective (recommended: CRJU 253 Probation & Parole, or CRJU 257 Ethics in Criminal Justice)	3	LEJA Elective
Total	15	

BHC degree plan as shown is 61 credits

Notes:

Notes for BHC:

1. Minimum of 60 hours required to complete the Associate of Arts degree.
2. Grades of "C" or better are required for ENG 101 and ENG 102.
3. Completion of one Non-Western studies course is required. Course options are available as an IAI Humanities, Fine Arts, or Social and Behavioral Science course. Consult a BHC Advisor for course options.
4. One science course must be 4 credits minimum to include a lab.
5. BHC Advising: email ADVQC@bhc.edu or phone 309-796-5100.

Once you transfer to WIU, here are the remaining requirements to finish your degree:

Semester 1	Semester 2	Semester 3	Semester 4
LEJA 306 Organization & Administration in Criminal Justice (3)	LEJA 303 Quantitative Techniques for Criminal Justice (3)	LEJA 400 level elective (3) Writing in the Discipline option	LEJA 491 Internship Summary (3)
LEJA 345 Diversity, Ethics & Professionalism in Criminal Justice (3)	LEJA 312 Criminal Procedure (3)	Minor Electives – (6)	LEJA 490 Internship in Law Enforcement (9)
Global Issues Elective (3)	Minor Electives – (6)	Electives (6)	LEJA 497 Senior Comprehensive Exam (0)
Minor Electives (6)	Elective (3)	LEJA Upper Division Elective (3)	

Notes:

Notes for WIU:

1. Forty-two upper-division hours are required from a 4-year institution.
2. A minimum 60 hours is required from a 4-year institution.
3. A minimum GPA of 2.0 will be required overall, in the major and in the minor(s) (if applicable).
4. Must have 32 s.h. minimum completed in an approved major. At least 15 s.h. of the 32 s.h. of a major must be in courses numbered 300 or above.

Get Started

You can apply at WIU in two ways:

1. Be a part of our Transfer Admission Guarantee program (TAG) by filling out our admissions application at [wiu.edu/apply](https://www.wiu.edu/apply) and selecting TAG. You can be a part of TAG at any point *prior* to earning 30 credits at your community college. Go to [wiu.edu/tag](https://www.wiu.edu/tag) to find out more about this program.
2. Fill out the admissions application at any time and select the date you would like to transfer into WIU.

The 2+2 degree map is a four year plan that leads to a Bachelor of Arts degree in Law Enforcement and Justice Administration at Western Illinois University and the Associate of Arts at Black Hawk College. Students intending to complete the degree from WIU should follow the list of courses outlined in this document.

This 2+2 degree map has been reviewed and accepted by both schools as an illustration, which is subject to change.