East Arkansas Community College 2 + 2 Degree Program Associate of Science in Criminal Justice (AS-CJ) to Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice (BS-CJ) in partnership with the University of Arkansas at Fort Smith

East Arkansas Community College (EACC) students may obtain a Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice degree from the University of Arkansas at Fort Smith (UAFS). Students will complete the first two years of lower division coursework at EACC by completing the Associate of Science in Criminal Justice. Completed EACC courses will be accepted by UAFS and applied to the BS-CJ degree requirements. UAFS will also offer the remaining BS-CJ program requirements through online courses. UAFS CJ course requirements completed on the EACC campus will count toward the UAFS residency requirements for conferral of the degree.

The following degree program identifies EACC courses that will satisfy degree requirements for the UAFS BS-CJ degree program. [UAFS course numbers are italicized in brackets]

I. General Education Core Courses	Credit Hours	Semester	Year	Grade
*ENG 1013 English Composition I [ENGL 1203]	3			
*ENG 1023 English Composition II [ENGL 1213]	3			
*SPE 1003 Introduction to Oral Communication [SPCH 1203]	3			
*MTH 1113 College Algebra [MATH 1403]	3			
Lab Science: [Lab Science requirement-8 hours]				
*BIO 1014 General Biology	4			
Select an additional lab science from the following:				
*PHS 1214 Physical Science	4			
*CHE 1024 General Education Chemistry [CHEM 1303/1301]	4			
Fine Arts [Fine Arts requirement] Select one course from:				
*ART 1003 Art Appreciation [HUMN 2563]	3			
*MUS 1003 Music Appreciation [MUSI 2763]	3			
*DRA 1003 Theatre Appreciation [THEA 1203]	3			
Humanities [Humanities requirement] Select one course from:				
*ENG 2073 World Literature I [ENGL 2013]	3			
*ENG 2083 World Literature II	3			
Social Sciences: [9 hours]				
*PSC 2003 American Government [POLS 2753- Government requirement]	3			
*PSY 1003 General Psychology [PSYC 1163- Social Science requirement]	3			
*SOC 1013 Introduction to Sociology [SOCI 2753- Social Science requirement]	3			
Total General Education Core Hours	35			
II. Criminal Justice Required Courses	Credit Hours	Semester	Year	Grade
*CJS 1003 Introduction to Criminal Justice [CJ 1013]	3			
CJS 1013 Criminal Evidence/Court Procedures [CJ 2603]	3			
CJS 1023 Criminal Investigation [combined with CJS 2093 will satisfy UAFS CJ 2504 course]	3			
CJS 2093 Using Technology in Criminal Justice [combined with CJS 1023 will satisfy UAFS CJ 2504 course]	3			
SOC 2063 Criminology [CJ 1253]	3			
Total Criminal Justice Required Hours	15			

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TOTAL AS-CJ DEGREE CREDIT HOURS

60-61

NOTE: Students may complete more than the 60-62 credit hours required for the AS-CJ from the courses listed above to reach a total of up to 69 hours of lower level course requirements from EACC counting toward the UAFS BS-CJ degree, with the remaining 51 hours to be completed online through UAFS.

Additional BS-CJ Program Requirements:		
POLS 2853 State and Local Government		
LEGL 1043 Introduction to Law		
Upper level History or Political Science: 3 hours		
Upper level Humanities: 3 hours		
Upper level general electives: 9 hours		
CJ 4113 Professionalism and Ethics: 3 hours		
CJ upper level electives: 27 hours		
Total Hours for BS-CJ: 120. At least 45 hours must be upper-level.		

Notes: Completing course requirements for the EACC Associate of Science in Criminal Justice is a prerequisite for entering into the BS-CJ program at UAFS. Students must have at least a 2.0 grade point average and must earn at least a "C" grade in all Criminal Justice courses applied to the degree. Prior to graduation, UAFS BS-CJ students must demonstrate competency in financial literacy by satisfying completion of FIN 1521 Personal Finance Applications (or an approved substitution) with a grade of C or better, or by a score of 70% or more on a challenge exam for FIN 1521.

*ACTS Transfer Course

The Arkansas Course Transfer System (ACTS) contains information about the transferability of courses within Arkansas public colleges and universities. Students are guaranteed the transfer of applicable credits and the equitable treatment of the application of credits for the admissions and degree requirements. Courses transferability is not guaranteed for courses listed in ACTS as "No Comparable Courses." ACTS-Arkansas Course Transfer System http://acts.adhe.edu -select Course Transfer. See Acceptance of Transfer Credits section on the current academic catalog for a complete list of transfer provisions.

