



BELLEVUE
UNIVERSITY

TRANSFER PATHWAY GUIDE

Associate in Applied Science in Criminal Justice: Criminal Justice Track to Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice

Overview

Completion of the following curriculum will satisfy the requirements for an Associate in Applied Science in Criminal Justice at the Kentucky Community and Technical College System and leads to the Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice at Bellevue University.

Admission Requirements

For admission into Bellevue University students are required to complete:

1. Application for Admission- Completed at <http://kentucky.maxtransferadvantage.com/apply~>
2. Official Transcripts- Order official transcripts from ALL universities and colleges attended. Electronic transcripts should be sent from the school to: BUSRTRANSCRIPTS@bellevue.edu
3. Academic Readiness Assessment- This short assessment gauges the student's current academic skillset. This is not a pass or fail test; this helps the student identify their strengths and weaknesses and allows their Bellevue University admission representative (Next Degree Navigator) to address any areas of concern before the student enrolls. Once the application for admission is finished, the student will receive a unique link to complete the assessment.
4. Financing- Complete the FAFSA and add Bellevue University school code: **002538**
OR discuss alternate financing options with your local Next Degree Navigator.

Degree Requirements

Prior to beginning a cohort-based major, you need to:

- Possess an associate degree or 60 semester hours completed with a grade of "C-" or higher from an accredited institution of higher learning.

General Transfer Requirements

Bellevue University accepts the Associate in Arts, Associate in Science, and the Associate in Applied Science degrees from KCTCS and has a generous credit transfer policy for students who may have credits from other institutions. Along with this flexibility, Bellevue University and the Kentucky Community and Technical College System (KCTCS) have a partnership where students from all 16 KCTCS colleges can receive assistance from a Bellevue University Next Degree Navigator and reduced pricing for their classes once they transfer to Bellevue University.

For a KCTCS graduate, they will receive a price of \$350 per credit hour for their Bellevue University classes when they work with their appropriate Next Degree Navigator listed below:

- Savannah Castle: scastle@bellevue.edu; (606) 369-7198
 - Ashland, Big Sandy, Hazard, Maysville, Southeast Kentucky
- Angela Meyer: anmeyer@bellevue.edu; (859) 533-7803
 - Bluegrass, Gateway, Jefferson, Somerset
- Courtney Sutherland: csutherland@bellevue.edu; (270) 816-4724
 - Elizabethtown, Henderson, Hopkinsville, Madisonville, Owensboro, Southcentral Kentucky, West Kentucky

~The Next Degree Navigators above can also waive the \$50 Bellevue University application fee for KCTCS students. For more information about the partnership, visit <http://kentucky.maxtransferadvantage.com/>.

KCTCS AAS in Criminal Justice: Criminal Justice Track TO Bellevue University Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice CHECKLIST

Kentucky Community and Technical College System

Category 1: KCTCS General Education Requirements

| KCTCS Course | Course or Category | Credits | Bellevue Course~~ | Completed |
|--------------------------|---|----------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| ENG 101 | Writing I | 3 | EN 101 | |
| ENG 102 | Writing II | 3 | EN 102 | |
| COM 181 or COM 252 | Basic Public Speaking OR Introduction to Interpersonal Communication | 3 | CA 103 OR CA 204 | |
| TBS XXX | Quantitative Reasoning | 3 | TBD XXX | |
| TBS XXX | Natural Science | 3 | TBD XXX | |
| TBS XXX | Heritage/ Humanities | 3 | TBD XXX | |
| POL 101 or POL 255 | American Government OR State Government | 3 | PS 201 OR PS 206 | |
| PSY 110 | General Psychology | 3 | PY 101 | |
| SOC 101 | Introduction to Sociology | 3 | SO 101 | |
| TBS XXX | Elective Course | 3 | TBD XXX | |
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| | Subtotal General Education Courses | 33 | | |
| TBS XXX | Digital Literacy OR General Education Elective | 3 | TBD XXX | |
| | Subtotal General Education Courses | 3 | | |
| | Total | 36 | | |

TBS XXX means to be selected by KCTCS student.

TBD XXX means to be determined by Bellevue University based on course selected.

~~KCTCS graduates are general education certified upon completion of ANY Associate in Applied Science.

Category 2: KCTCS AAS Requirements

| KCTCS Course | Course or Category | Credits | Bellevue Course ^{~~~} | Completed |
|--------------|--|-----------|--------------------------------|-----------|
| CRJ 100 | Introduction to Criminal Justice | 3 | SO TLL | |
| CRJ 202 | Issues and Ethics in Criminal Justice | 3 | UE TLL | |
| CRJ 204 | Criminal Investigations | 3 | UE TLL | |
| CRJ 216 | Criminal Law | 3 | UE TLL | |
| CRJ 217 | Criminal Procedures | 3 | UE TLL | |
| CRJ 295 | Criminal Justice Capstone | 3 | UE TLL | |
| | Subtotal Technical Core Requirement Courses | 16 | | |

AAS Track Courses

| KCTCS Course | Course or Category | Credits | Bellevue Course ^{~~~} | Completed |
|--------------|---|-----------|--------------------------------|-----------|
| TBS XXX | Approved Technical Course | 3 | TBD XXX | |
| TBS XXX | Approved Technical Course | 3 | TBD XXX | |
| TBS XXX | Approved Technical Course | 3 | TBD XXX | |
| TBS XXX | Approved Technical Course | 3 | TBD XXX | |
| | Subtotal AAS Track Courses | 12 | | |
| | Subtotal AAS Requirement Courses | 28 | | |

~~~Bellevue University accepts the full transfer of credits from ANY Associate of Applied Sciences from KCTCS

## Bellevue University

### Major Requirements for Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice

| Bellevue Course | Course                                                     | Credits | KCTCS Course | Taken at KCTCS |
|-----------------|------------------------------------------------------------|---------|--------------|----------------|
| LA 300          | Foundations for Professional Success                       | 4       | N/A          |                |
| CJUS 305        | Theory and Practice for Criminal Justice                   | 4       | N/A          |                |
| CJUS 315        | The American Criminal and Civil Legal Systems              | 4       | N/A          |                |
| CJUS 325        | Professional Responsibility and Ethics in Criminal Justice | 4       | N/A          |                |
| CJUS 335        | Crime in America                                           | 4       | N/A          |                |
| CJUS 345        | Criminal Behavior and Victimology                          | 4       | N/A          |                |
| CJUS 405        | Criminal Justice Organizations and Strategic Management    | 4       | N/A          |                |
| CJUS 415        | Criminal Procedure and Public Policy                       | 4       | N/A          |                |
| CJUS 425        | Justice and Contemporary Social Issues                     | 4       | N/A          |                |
| CJUS 435        | Criminal Justice Problem Analysis                          | 4       | N/A          |                |
| LA 400          | American Vision and Values                                 | 3       | N/A          |                |
| LA 410          | Tradition and Change                                       | 3       | N/A          |                |

| <b>Bellevue Course</b>                           | <b>Course</b>              | <b>Credits</b> | <b>KCTCS Course</b> | <b>Taken at KCTCS</b> |
|--------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| LA 420                                           | Freedom and Responsibility | 3              | N/A                 |                       |
| TBS XXX                                          | Electives                  | 14             | TBD XXX             | YES                   |
| <b>Subtotal Bellevue University Credit Hours</b> |                            | <b>63</b>      |                     |                       |
| <b>Total Baccalaureate Degree Credit Hours</b>   |                            | <b>127</b>     |                     |                       |

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