

Program Transfer Guide
Des Moines Area Community College
Associate of Applied Science (AAS) in
CRIMINAL JUSTICE
→ UIU Bachelor of Science (BS) in
Criminal Justice-Homeland Security Emphasis
NOVEMBER 2024



Years 1 & 2 at Des Moines Area Community College:

DMACC Program Course Sequence			Course Transfers into UIU as			
Course ID	Course Name	# Cr	Course Id	Course Name	# Cr	Requirement Fulfilled
Semester 1						
CRJ 100	Intro to Criminal Justice	3	CJ 224	Intro to Criminal Justice	3	PPE Soc Sci & Major
CRJ 107	Survey Crim Justice Agencies	3	----	----	3	Free Elective
AAS Degree Core Social & Behav Sci/Humanities (SOC 110)		3	SOC 110	Principles of Sociology	3	PPE Soc Sci & Prerequisite
AAS Degree Core Math or Science (MAT 156)		3	MATH 220	Elementary Statistics	3	PPE Quant Reasoning
AAS Degree Core Communications (ENG 105)		3	ENG 101	English Composition I	3	PPE ENG 101
SDV 108	The College Experience	1	FYS 120/122	First Year Seminar	1	PPE FYS 120/122
OR	OR	OR	OR	OR	OR	OR
SDV 129	Transition to College	1	----	----	1	Free Elective
Semester 2						
CRJ 101	Ethics in Criminal Justice	3	CJ 367	Ethics in Criminal Justice	3	Major
CRJ 200	Criminology	3	CJ 333	Criminology	3	Major
CRJ 237	Criminal & Constitutional Law	3	CJ 237	Criminal Law & Procedure	3	Free Elective
AAS Degree Core Distributed (SPC 101)		3	COMM 105	Public Speaking	3	PPE COMM 105
SOC 200	Minority Group Relations	3	SOC 240	Diversity in the US	3	PPE DEI & Major
OR	OR	OR				
HSV 185	Discrimination & Diversity	3				
Semester 3						
AAS Core Distributed (ENG 106)		3	ENG 102	English Composition II	3	PPE ENG 102
AAS Degree Core Social & Behav Sci/Humanities (ART 101)		3	ART 100	Intro to Art	3	PPE Creative Expr.
CRJ Electives (choose two with CRJ)		12	Course selection may affect upper division electives needed at UIU		12	CJ Major Electives & Free Electives
Semester 4						
CRJ 294	CJ Communication Strategies	3	----	----	3	Free Elective
CRJ 932	Internship	3	----	----	3	Free Elective
CRJ Electives		9	Course selection may affect upper division electives needed at UIU		9	Free Electives
Total occupational course credits earned:		64	Total course credits accepted:		64	
Total transferable credits#:		64				

UIU recommendations are **bolded**.

Years 3 & 4 at Upper Iowa University:

UIU Program Course List		# Cr	Requirement Fulfilled	Transferred In
Peacock Professional Experience (PPE) Courses				
FYS 120 OR FYS 122	First Year Seminar (Fayette) First Year Seminar (Online/Self-Paced)	3	Success in Higher Education	SDV 108
ENG 101	English Composition I	3	PPE Prof Comm/Wrtn (PW)	ENG 105
ENG 102	English Composition II	3	PPE Prof Comm/Wrtn (PW)	ENG 106
COMM 105 OR COMM 200	Public Speaking Interpersonal Communication	3	PPE Prof Comm/Oral (PC)	SPC 101
	any Diversity, Equity & Inclusion	3	PPE Divers., Equity & Inclusion (DEI)	SOC 200 or HSV 185
	any Quantitative Reasoning	3	PPE Quantitative Reasoning (QR)	MAT 156
	any Science	3	PPE Science (SCI)	---
	any Social Science	3	PPE Social Science (SSCI)	SOC 110
	any Civics, Ethics & Citizenship	3	PPE Civics, Ethics & Citizenship (CIV)	---
	any Creative Expression	3	PPE Creative Expression (CREX)	ART 101
Prerequisites				
SOC 110	Principles of Sociology	3	Prereq. for CJ 333/ PPE SSCI	SOC 110
Major Courses				
CJ 224	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	Major/PPE SSCI	CRJ 100
CJ 333	Criminology	3	Major	CRJ 200
CJ 365	Introduction to Policing	3	Major	---
CJ 367	Ethics in Criminal Justice	3	Major	CRJ 101
CJ 380	Introduction to Corrections	3	Major	---
CJ 388	Comparative Justice	3	Major	---
SOC 334	Sociological Research Methods	3	Major	---
<i>One of the following:</i>		3	Major	SOC 200 OR HSV 185
SOC 220 Social Problems				
SOC 240 Diversity in the United States				
<i>One of the following:</i>		3	Emphasis	---
CJ 403 Internship				
CJ 499 Special Project				
<i>Five of the following with consultation with CJ-Homeland Security advisor. All must be upper-division.</i>		15	Emphasis	---
PA 306	Principles of Emergency Management	PSY 409	Psychology of Disaster	
PA 320	Political and Policy Basis of Emergency Management	GEOG 356	Intro to Geographic Information Systems	
PA 414	Principles and Practice of Hazards Mitigation	PS 211	International Relations (POL 12)	
CJ 423	Introduction to Terrorism	PS 230	State and Local Government (POL 121)	
CJ 425	Intelligence Analysis and Security Management	PS 342	The Development of American Foreign Policy (also HIST 342)	
		or SOC 351	Sociology of 9/11 and The War Terror	
Additional Electives				
Electives		20	Degree Requirements	---
Total additional credits needed at UIU to complete degree:		56		
Total transferable credits from DMACC:		64		
Total Earned Credits:		120		

Courses to be taken at Upper Iowa University

~~ NOTES ~~**LEGEND:**

- # Transfer grades lower than a C- will not be accepted.
- **Bolded** text indicates UIU recommendations.
- *Grayed out text* indicates courses fulfilled through transfer. Strikethrough indicates specific course if within grouping.

A minimum of 120 semester credits is required for a baccalaureate degree; up to 78 lower-division college semester credits from Des Moines Area Community College. A minimum of 30 credits must be upper-division credits for a UIU baccalaureate degree; lower-division transfer work from Des Moines Area Community College does not contribute to the upper-division credit requirement at UIU.

This program transfer guide is based on the September 2024 course-to-course articulation (UIU 2024-25 catalog & DMACC 2024-25 catalog).

Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy and completeness of this program articulation. The office of the Registrar of Upper Iowa University reserves the right to make corrections, additions, and deletions as necessary.

Maximize Your Transfer to UIU

Take up to 14 credits to fulfill the Peacock Professional Experience (PPE) and Elective Requirements.

Choose up to 14 additional credits at Des Moines Area Community College to transfer into Upper Iowa University to fulfill PPE and elective requirements. Talk with your advisors to ensure additional courses will fit with your degree plan and financial aid requirements.

Choose up to 14 credits from the following areas:

- Science PPE Requirement – up to 3 credits
- Civics, Ethics and Citizenship PPE Requirement - up to 3 credits
- Elective Requirement – up to 14 credits