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## Lake Land College

SSE DIVISION NEW COURSE REVISION

				Course information	Forr	n							
COURSE NUMBER:		CJS-150 TITLE: (30 Characters Max) Intro to Criminal Justice											
SEM CR HRS:	3	Lecture:		3		La	b:	0				ECH:	3
Course Level:				echnical Not in Degree Audit	Cl	inical Prac	ticum:	0	Work- Lear	based ning:	0	WBL ECH:	0
COURSE PCS #		12 - 43.0107		IAI Code			CRJ	J 901		Cor	itact Hours (	Minutes/We	ek)
Repeatable (Y/N):	Ν	Pass/Fail (Y/N):	Ν	Variable Credit (Y/N):	Ν	Min:		Max:		16 Wks	150	8 Wks	300
Prerequisites:		None											
Corequisites:		None											
Catalog Description: (40 Word Limit) Focuses on the administration of justice in the United States with emphasis on the total system of police, courts and corrections. (Upon completion of this course, the student will have an understanding of the processes from arrest through imprisonment.)						n of this							

List the Major Course Segments (Units)	Contact Lecture Hours	Contact Lab Hours	Clinical Practicum	Work-based Learning
Crime in America	7			
Police in America	12			
The American Courts	19			
Corrections in America	7			
TOTAL	45	0	0	0

		EVALUATION		
	EXAMS 🗌		ORAL PRES	PAPERS
LAB WORK	PROJECTS		COMP FINAL	OTHER
		COURSE MATERI	ALS	
	Introduction to Criminal Justice			
	Robert M. Bohm / Keith N. Haley			
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MAJOR COURSE SEGMENT	HOURS	LEARNING OUTCOMES
		The student will be able to:
Crime Patterns	3	1. Review methods of tracking crime.
Causes of Crime	4	1. Discuss criminal theory.
Basic Criminal/Constitutional Law	4	1. Review elements of criminal/constitutional law.
Local Police Agencies: Organization/Function	4	<ol> <li>Define the function of local police agencies.</li> <li>Identify the qualifications for employment of each agency.</li> </ol>
Federal Police Agencies: Organization/Function	4	<ol> <li>Define the function of federal police agencies.</li> <li>Identify the qualifications for employment of each agency.</li> </ol>
State Prosecutors	2	<ol> <li>Define the function of each state agency.</li> <li>Identify the qualifications for employment of each agency.</li> </ol>
Federal Prosecutors	2	<ol> <li>Define the function of each federal agency.</li> <li>Identify the qualifications for employment of each agency.</li> </ol>
State Court System	4	1. Describe the structure and function of the state courts.
Federal Court System	4	1. Describe the structure and function of the federal courts.
Defense Lawyers	2	1. Explain the function of defense lawyers.
The Trial Process	5	1. Illustrate each step of a trial and trial processes.

The State Correction System	4	1. Discuss the function of state corrections.
The Federal Correction System	3	1. Discuss the function of federal corrections.
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Outcomes*	At the successful completion of this course, students will be able to:
Course Outcome	Explain how each section of the criminal justice system functions.
Course Outcome	Illustrate how the three sections of the criminal justice system can work together efficiently and effectively.
Course Outcome	Explain the role of Prosecution and Defense Counsel.
Course Outcome	Explain the Role of Law Enforcement in the Criminal Justice System.
Primary Laker Learning Competency	Critical Thinking: Students connect knowledge from various disciplines to formulate logical conclusions and judgments.
Secondary Laker Learning Competency	Information & Technology Literacy: Students not only identify when information is necessary, but they also find, evaluate and use that information effectively with the appropriate technological tools.

\*Course and program outcomes will be used in the software for outcomes assessment and should include at least 1 primary and 1 secondary Laker Learning Competency. Limit to 3-5.