



PROGRAM PLANNING GUIDE 2017-2018

Criminal Justice Diploma

The purpose of this program planning guide is to help students track their progress within their chosen program. The information in this planning guide is accurate at the time of printing and is subject to change without notice. It is the students' responsibility to ensure the accuracy of their program and course choice. Students should use the program planning guide dated the year in which they began the program. This guide should be used in conjunction with the official version of the Medicine Hat College Calendar, and calendars of appropriate transfer institutions, which are the final authorities regarding program requirements.

Year One

FALL SEMESTER			WINTER SEMESTER		
COURSE	DATE	GRADE	COURSE	DATE	GRADE
CJLS 101 <i>Intro to Law Enforcement Careers</i>			CJLS 126 <i>Criminal Code, Offence Elements and the Charter</i>		
CJLS 102 <i>Effective Communications for Law Enforcement</i>			CJLS 131 <i>Interviewing and Statements</i>		
CJLS 106 <i>Law and the Administration of Justice</i>			CJLS 216 <i>Criminal Law, Federal Statutes and Regulatory Law</i> Prerequisite: CJLS 106		
CJLS 111 <i>Investigations and Forensics</i>			CJLS 220 <i>Lifestyles and Career Orientation</i>		
CJLS 135 <i>Police and Security Technical Reports</i>			ENGL 125 <i>Introductory Report Writing and Speech</i>		
			SOCI 201 <i>Introductory Sociology</i>		

Year Two

FALL SEMESTER			WINTER SEMESTER		
COURSE	DATE	GRADE	COURSE	DATE	GRADE
CJLS 231 <i>Forensic Science</i> Prerequisite: CJLS 111			CJLS 147 <i>Mental Health</i>		
CJLS 233 <i>Legal Evidence and Trial Presentation</i>			CJLS 241 <i>Major Criminal Investigations</i> Prerequisite: CJLS 111 & CJLS 216		
CJLS 247 <i>Public Safety, Emergency Planning and Response</i>			CJLS 246 <i>Federal and Provincial Statutes</i> Prerequisite: CJLS 106		
CJLS 251 <i>Specialized Investigations</i>			CJLS 257 <i>Leadership and Development</i>		
PSYC 205 <i>Principles of Psychology</i>			SOCI 321 <i>Youth Crime</i> Prerequisite: C- in SOCI 201		
SOCI 225 <i>Criminology</i> Prerequisite: C- in SOCI 201			One of: CJLS 221 <i>Investigative Techniques</i> Prerequisite: CJLS 111 & CJLS 231 OR CJLS 261 <i>Intelligence, Espionage and Terrorism</i>		

You must contact the Program Coordinator or Academic Advisor to verify your schedule if you are completing the program outside of the normal cycle.

Program Notes:

- Attain a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0.
- Attain a minimum pass mark of C- in all CJLS designated courses and SOCI 201 as well.