NORTH CAROLINA CENTRAL UNIVERSITY AND VANCE-GRANVILLE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

B.S. DEGREE IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE

EAGLE VOYAGE

Earn an associate’s degree and bachelor’s degree with the convenience of classes closer to home.
The Eagle Voyage B.S. degree in Criminal Justice is an accelerated degree program designed to be completed in two years.

ACCELERATED
Students entering with an associate’s degree, can complete a B.S. degree in Criminal Justice in just eight, eight-week mini sessions plus one, five-week summer session.

ACCESSIBLE
Courses are taught in a hybrid format meeting only one day per week at VGCC. Additional work is completed online via Blackboard, a Learning Management System.

CERTIFIED
The B.S. degree program is certified nationally by the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences and by the North Carolina Criminal Justice Education and Training Standards Commission.

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Earn Your Criminal Justice Degree!

The NCCU Bachelor of Science degree in Criminal Justice at Vance-Granville Community College (VGCC) is offered through the Department of Criminal Justice in collaboration with the Division of Extended Studies.

Students enrolled in the program pay the NCCU Distance Education Tuition and Fees rates.

CAREERS IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE
Students completing the B.S. degree in Criminal Justice are prepared to participate in the 21st century work force. The degree combines criminal justice theory with practice in order to prepare students for careers in the following areas: state and federal law enforcement, state and federal corrections, juvenile justice, emergency management, risk management, private security, homeland security, customs and immigration, and work in the court system.

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The Criminal Justice Program began in 1972 and became the Department of Criminal Justice in 1992. Its graduate program was established in 1984. The department serves more than 600 undergraduate Criminal Justice majors and is home to two centers of excellence: the Juvenile Justice Institute and the Institute for Homeland Security and Workforce Development. In addition to the core criminal justice curriculum, for distance education students the department offers concentration areas in Homeland Security, Law Enforcement and Corrections. These areas of study provide students with specialized study including policy, theory and practice.

The undergraduate distance education program was established in 1999 in collaboration with the N.C. State Highway Patrol. Today, the distance education program offers a seamless transition for community college transfer students with an associate's degree who want to earn the Bachelor of Science degree in Criminal Justice.

**Our Mission**

To prepare students to become leaders, outstanding practitioners, scholars and advocates for social justice in a diverse and global society.

**Undergraduate Admissions**

To earn the Criminal Justice bachelor’s degree from NCCU, students must first complete an associate's degree at Vance-Granville Community College or another institution. The Undergraduate Admissions Office will evaluate student transcripts.

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**Curriculum Guide**

**Year 1**

**FALL (SESSION I) – 8 HOURS**

- MATH 1110 Elementary Statistics (3)
- GEOG 2100 Physical Geography (3)
- PEDU 1541 Fitness (2) ***

**FALL (SESSION II) – 8 HOURS**

- HEDU 1531 Health (2)
- MSCM 1250 Elements of Speech (3)
- SPAN 1191 Elementary Spanish I (3)

**SPRING (SESSION III) – 9 HOURS**

- HUMANITIES 2420 (3)
- SPAN 1192 Elementary Spanish II (3)
- GEC/Elective (3) +

**SPRING (SESSION IV) – 7 HOURS**

- CRJU 3000 Criminal Justice Theory (3)
- CRJU 4060 Statistical Methods in Criminal Justice (3)
- CRJU 4061 Statistical Methods in Criminal Justice Lab (1)

**SUMMER (SESSION V) – 6 HOURS ++**

- HIST 1320 or other GEC (3)
- GEC or Concentration Course (3)

**Year 2**

**FALL (SESSION VI) – 9 HOURS**

- CRJU 4510 Criminal Law, Procedures and Court Process (3)
- CRJU 4000 Criminal Justice Practicum (3) **
- Concentration Course (3) +

**FALL (SESSION VII) – 7 HOURS**

- CRJU 4110 Research Methods in CJ (3)

**SPRING (SESSION VIII) – 9 HOURS**

- CRJU 4600 Senior Seminar (3)
- Concentration Course (3) +
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**SPRING (SESSION IX) – 9 HOURS**

- GEC/Elective (3) If needed
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**Student Aid**

Student financial aid may be available. It is awarded based on the policies and procedures of the Office of Student Scholarship and Financial Aid.

**Office of Transfer Services**

NCCU's Office of Transfer Services is an essential resource for students seeking to transfer to any degree program at NCCU. The staff can offer:

- General information about the university
- Information about transfer scholarships and financial aid.

**For More Information, Visit**

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+ Online Only and full 16 week course

** This course is taught in 16 weeks in order to complete the 80 hour internship requirements. A waiver of practicum requirement may be granted if student has a minimum of one year continuous work in the criminal justice profession. The 3 hours must be completed in additional course work.

+++ If needed (course waived for military, BLET, DOTA, DOCC, and FLETC)

++ Online only 5 week course