



Associate of Applied Science

POLICE SCIENCE/2014-2016

This program is designed specifically to allow police officers who have completed the New Mexico Law Enforcement Academy to complete an associate degree within the field of law enforcement.

When students apply to Northern for this major, they must supply the Registrar a copy of their Law Enforcement Academy certificate of completion in order to obtain credit for the training.

GENERAL EDUCATION (25 CR) SEE PAGES 25-28.

Area I. Communications (6 cr)

ENG	111	English Composition I (3)
SPCH	130	Public Speaking (3)

Areas II and III. Mathematics/Computers/Laboratory Science (6 cr)

BCIS	102	Computer Literacy (3)
MATH	145	Intro to Probability & Statistics (3)

Area IV. Social/Behavioral Sciences (6 cr)

PSCI	210	State and Local Government (3)
SOC	101	Introduction to Sociology (3)

Area V. Humanities and Fine Arts (6 cr)

HUM	100	FYE: History and Culture of Northern New Mexico (3)
PHIL	220	Ethics (3)

Area VI. Library Technology (1 cr)

LT	101	Library Research Skills (1)
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PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (43 CR)

CJ	228	Forensic Investigation (3)
ENG	116	Technical Writing (3)
SOC	140	Sociology of Alcohol & Substance Abuse (3)
SPAN	100, 101/102 or 111/112	(3)

NM Law Enforcement Academy Certification

which includes credit for the following courses (31 cr):

CJ	111	Introduction to Criminal Justice (4)
CJ	201	Criminal Law (3)
HPER	Electives (2)	[meets graduation requirement]
SOC	213	Deviant Behavior (3)

Law Enforcement Electives (19):

LE	130	Patrol, Communications, and Investigations (6)
LE	235	Traffic Enforcement and Accident Investigation (3)
LE	236	Police Proficiency I (3)
LE	237	Police Proficiency II (3)
LE	238	Police Proficiency III (3)
LE	239	First Responder for Law Enforcement (1)

TOTAL CREDITS: 68