

# CRIMINAL JUSTICE (CJ)

## CJ G046 4 Units (80 lecture hours)

### Civilian Supervisory, Law Enforcement

**Grading Mode:** Pass/No Pass  
Not Transferable.

P.O.S.T. certified course providing newly appointed or experienced civilian supervisors with formal training in the concepts, techniques and practical application of basic supervisory skills as they pertain to police operations. An eighty hour, two week course. Pass/No Pass.

## CJ G054 2 Units (30 lecture hours; 10 lab hours)

### Police Academy, Regular Basic Course, Orientation

**Grading Mode:** Pass/No Pass  
Not Transferable.

This course is designed to familiarize the student with the police academy training program and provide a better understanding of the requirements and commitments that must be considered. This comprehensive program will assess the suitability and employability of potential academy recruits. Students will be required to complete job-related tests in preparation for the police academy and a career as a police officer. A four-week course. Pass/No Pass.

## CJ G061 1 Unit (24 lecture hours)

### Training Manager

**Grading Mode:** Pass/No Pass  
Not Transferable.

This course is designed for those entering employment as a Training Manager at a California Law Enforcement Agency. The course will cover topics such as legal mandates and regulation, developing training manuals, updating training and compliance issues. This course is required by the California Commission on Peace Officers Standards and Training (POST). Pass/No Pass.

## CJ G064 33 Units (399 lecture hours; 611 lab hours)

### Police Academy - Regular Basic Course

**Prerequisite(s):** CJ G054.

**Grading Mode:** Standard Letter  
Not Transferable.

This course provides Basic Police Academy training in compliance with the minimum standards established by the California Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training (POST). POST certified training includes: criminal law, search and seizure, laws of evidence, traffic laws and procedures, investigative techniques, patrol procedures, firearms, vehicle operations, defensive tactics, physical fitness, report writing, and first aid / cardio pulmonary resuscitation. Students must pass a criminal history check pursuant to California Penal Code section 13511.5, and possess a valid driver's license. Graded.

## CJ G070 4 Units (80 lecture hours)

### Sergeant Supervisory, Law Enforcement

**Grading Mode:** Pass/No Pass  
Not Transferable.

P.O.S.T. certified 80-hour course. Fundamentals of police supervision and management, including training, supervision and evaluation. Pass/No Pass.

## CJ G078 6.5 Units (108 lecture hours; 12 lab hours)

### Public Safety Dispatcher Basic (Intensive Format)

**Advisory:** The student should be currently employed as a dispatcher for a public safety agency.

**Grading Mode:** Standard Letter  
Not Transferable.

The purpose of this course is to provide the student with an understanding of the basic roles, responsibilities, and duties of a dispatcher within a public safety agency. This course provides standardized dispatcher training and introduces students to the skills and knowledge necessary to work in a communications center in a productive and professional manner. This intensive format course is approved by the California Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training (P.O.S.T.) and is designed for the student who is currently employed as a dispatcher for a public safety agency. A three-week course. The student should have a basic understanding of the following subjects as they apply to the position of dispatcher: California statutory codes, law enforcement radio codes; the phonetic alphabet; military time; police jargon and abbreviations; telephone and radio procedures. Graded.

## CJ G079 6.5 Units (108.75 lecture hours; 11.25 lab hours)

### Public Safety Dispatcher Basic (Extended Format)

**Grading Mode:** Standard Letter  
Not Transferable.

The purpose of this course is to provide the student with an understanding of the basic roles, responsibilities, and duties of a dispatcher within a public safety agency. This course provides standardized dispatcher training and introduces students to the skills and knowledge necessary to work in a communications center in a productive and professional manner. This extended format course is approved by the California Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training (P.O.S.T.) and is designed for the entry level student who is not currently employed as a dispatcher with a public safety agency. Graded.

## CJ G080 2 Units (40 lecture hours)

### Communications Training Officer

**Prerequisite(s):** CJ G078 and minimum of one year experience as a public safety dispatcher.

**Grading Mode:** Pass/No Pass  
Not Transferable.

This course provides the fundamentals of one to one dispatcher training, demonstration skills for teaching 911/public safety radio techniques and methods of evaluating probationary public safety dispatchers. Will provide the student with skills necessary to effectively manage the demands of the assignment as a trainer. Pass/No Pass.

**CJ G090 24.5 Units (327.5 lecture hours; 355 lab hours)  
Specialized Investigator'S Basic Course (SIBC)**

**Prerequisite(s):** Current employment as a Specialized Investigator or Specialized Investigator Trainee in a California law enforcement agency.

**Grading Mode:** Standard Letter  
Not Transferable.

This course teaches the basic knowledge, skills and ethical standards to satisfy the minimum required qualifications established by the California Commission of Peace Officers Standards and Training (POST) for employees serving as Specialized Investigators in the State of California. The course includes academic, physical, psychomotor and affective (ethical behavior) student learning objectives. Letter grade does not guarantee receiving a POST certificate. Students must achieve success in all domains established by POST standards to be awarded a POST certificate of completion. Graded.

**CJ G091 1 Unit (24 lecture hours)****Reserve Coordinator**

**Grading Mode:** Pass/No Pass  
Not Transferable.

This course is designed to address contemporary training needs of law enforcement reserve coordinators by providing new techniques for managing reserve peace officer organizations. Emphasis on new training standards for designated and non-designated level 1 reserve officers, new trends and legislation concerning reserve officers. Pass/No Pass.

**CJ G092 4 Units (80 lecture hours)****SWAT, Special Weapons And Tactics, Basic**

**Prerequisite(s):** CJ G064.

**Grading Mode:** Pass/No Pass  
Not Transferable.

Concepts, planning, tactical operations, approach/entry/search techniques; use of chemical agents, weapons, rappelling and task-related physical activities. A two-week course. Pass/No Pass.

**CJ G095 3 Units (40 lecture hours; 40 lab hours)****Leadership Development Program For Law Enforcement**

**Prerequisite(s):** CJ G064 and CJ G070.

**Grading Mode:** Pass/No Pass  
Not Transferable.

This course is designed to teach the necessary components for examining and learning the essentials of leadership and to recognize and distinguish issues which influence police integrity, public trust, and loyalty. It analyzes the evaluation policy of the law enforcement agency. It appraises the current system, and examines how assertive leadership influences the behavior and performance of subordinates. It also teaches preparation and formulation of employee performance appraisals. It compares and assesses the supervisor's role in the disciplinary process. In addition, it examines connection between leadership and effective communication. The difference between civil and criminal accountability will be explored and debated along with the concept and application of Community Oriented Policing and Problem Solving. Pass/No Pass.

**CJ G099 2 Units (24 lecture hours; 16 lab hours)****P.O.S.T. Instructor Certification**

**Prerequisite(s):** CJ G064.

**Grading Mode:** Pass/No Pass  
Not Transferable.

This course specifically addresses delivery of the POST (California Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training) Basic Course curriculum and is designed to expand and enhance the competency and effectiveness of the criminal justice instructor. Course components are structured to deal with the subject matter expertise, various instructional techniques, adult learning concepts, student driven learning and validation exercises. Pass/No Pass.

**CJ G110 3 Units (54 lecture hours)****Criminal Investigation**

**Grading Mode:** Standard Letter

**Transfer Credit:** CSU.

This course addresses the fundamentals of criminal investigation including searches, interview and interrogation techniques, crime scene investigation, sources of information, and case preparation and management. Graded. **C-ID:** AJ 140.

**CJ G123 3 Units (54 lecture hours)****Juvenile Law**

**Grading Mode:** Standard Letter

**Transfer Credit:** CSU; UC.

This course provides a study of the juvenile justice system including the roles of the three components of the criminal justice system: law enforcement, courts, and corrections. It examines patterns of criminal delinquent behavior and the historical and modern theories that explain this behavior and how to control it. This course also examines dependent children as a result of abuse and neglect. Graded.

**CJ G128 3 Units (54 lecture hours)****Criminal Procedure & Evidence**

**Grading Mode:** Standard Letter

**Transfer Credit:** CSU.

This course provides an overview of procedural criminal and evidentiary law. This course examines state and federal constitutional, statutory, and case law governing criminal prosecutions and post-conviction proceedings. Graded.

**CJ G137 3 Units (54 lecture hours)****Community Relations And Special Issues In Criminal Justice**

**Grading Mode:** Standard Letter

**Transfer Credit:** CSU; UC.

This course addresses multiple social issues challenging law enforcement today. It explores the vital aspects of Community Oriented Policing (COP) and Problem-Solving, Proactive/Reactive Policing (ROP/POP), cultural diversity, prejudice/discrimination/hate/stereo-typing/victim selection/victimization, and other social forces that shape human values and attitudes. The course examines current demographic trends, dynamics, and interactions of California's minority groups and multi-faceted sub-cultures as they relate to the criminal justice system in a free society. Graded. **C-ID:** AJ 160.

<b>CJ G140</b> <b>Introduction To Criminal Justice</b> <b>Advisory:</b> ENGL G100.	<b>3 Units (54 lecture hours)</b>	<b>CJ G151</b> <b>Practical Aspects Of Corrections</b> <b>Advisory:</b> CJ G150.	<b>3 Units (54 lecture hours)</b>
<b>Grading Mode:</b> Standard Letter <b>Transfer Credit:</b> CSU; UC.		<b>Grading Mode:</b> Standard Letter <b>Transfer Credit:</b> CSU.	
<p>This course analyzes the characteristics of the criminal justice system. The course introduces students to the history of criminal law, the legal process, and theories of punishment. The course focuses on the interrelationship of the criminal justice system components in a multicultural context, crime reporting methodology, theories of crime causation, and current challenges to the system. Graded. <b>C-ID:</b> AJ 110.</p>		<p>This course is a follow-up course to CJ G150 (Introduction to Corrections) and explores practical aspects of the modern correctional environment. It includes concepts of correctional ideology including professionalism, victimology, restorative justice, sentencing, diversion, juveniles in the adult system, and issues related to inmates with special needs. This course also studies the characteristics and needs of male, female, and juvenile inmates, and explores constitutional issues related to these inmate classifications. Graded.</p>	
<b>CJ G141</b> <b>Concepts of Criminal Law</b> <b>Advisory:</b> ENGL G100.	<b>3 Units (54 lecture hours)</b>	<b>CJ G152</b> <b>Probation and Corrections: Case Planning and Supervision</b> <b>Grading Mode:</b> Standard Letter <b>Transfer Credit:</b> CSU.	<b>3 Units (54 lecture hours)</b>
<b>Grading Mode:</b> Standard Letter <b>Transfer Credit:</b> CSU; UC.		<p>This course provides a comprehensive introduction to effective case planning, supervision, and intervention techniques for probation and corrections officers working with adult and juvenile criminal offenders. This course offers the student a practical introduction to a career as a probation, parole, or corrections officer. Graded.</p>	
<p>Formerly: Criminal Law I. This course offers an analysis of the doctrines of criminal liability in the United States and the classification of crimes against persons, property, morals, and public welfare. Special emphasis is placed on the classification of crime, the general elements of crime, the definitions of common and statutory law, and the nature of acceptable evidence. This course utilizes case law and case studies to introduce students to criminal law. The completion of this course offers a foundation upon which upper-division criminal justice course will build. The course will also include some limited discussion of prosecution and defense decision making, criminal culpability, and defenses to crimes. Graded. <b>C-ID:</b> AJ 120.</p>		<b>CJ G172</b> <b>P.C. 832 - Laws of Arrest</b> <b>Grading Mode:</b> Pass/No Pass <b>Transfer Credit:</b> CSU.	
<b>CJ G146</b> <b>Police Report Writing</b> <b>Grading Mode:</b> Standard Letter, Pass/No Pass <b>Transfer Credit:</b> CSU.	<b>3 Units (54 lecture hours)</b>	<p>This course is designed to satisfy the curriculum standards of the California Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training (POST) as required by California Penal Code section 832 for Laws of Arrest. Course topics include professional orientation, criminal justice system, community relations, introduction to criminal law, laws of arrest, search and seizure, presentation of evidence, investigative report writing, use of force/baton, preliminary criminal investigation, arrest and control procedures (which will require a physical skills demonstration), crimes against the justice system, and cultural diversity. Pass/No Pass.</p>	
<p>Techniques communicating facts, information and ideas in an effective, simple, clear and logical manner, as they are applied to various types of reports and memoranda used in the criminal justice system. Emphasis is on criminal justice technology, interviewing techniques, the proper use of English, organization of information, and practical application of these areas in note taking, proper completion of felony and misdemeanor crime reports, memos and routine forms, and the presentation of testimony in court. Graded or Pass/No Pass option.</p>		<b>CJ G173</b> <b>P.C. 832 - Firearms</b> <b>Grading Mode:</b> Pass/No Pass <b>Transfer Credit:</b> CSU.	
<b>CJ G150</b> <b>Introduction To Corrections</b> <b>Grading Mode:</b> Standard Letter <b>Transfer Credit:</b> CSU.	<b>3 Units (54 lecture hours)</b>	<p>This course is designed to satisfy the firearms curriculum standards of the California Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training (POST) as required by California Penal Code section 832. To enroll in this course, students must have a Department of Justice clearance letter on file with the Golden West College Criminal Justice Training Center. Students are responsible for payment of firearms range and ammunition fees. Pass/No Pass.</p>	
<p>This course is designed to introduce students to corrections-based systems. It covers all aspects of corrections and how they relate to the entire criminal justice system. Students will study probation, parole, jail and prison programs currently in use in the United States. Incarceration trends will be analyzed, and how political environments effect the prosecution and sentencing process. Students will explore different institutional programs, including the use and effectiveness of community based corrections programs. Students will gain an understanding of the issues related to managing inmates in institutions and the constitutional issues that surround the corrections system. Graded.</p>			

**CJ G220**

**3 Units (54 lecture hours)**

**Forensic Accounting, Introduction**

**Grading Mode:** Standard Letter, Pass/No Pass

**Transfer Credit:** CSU.

This course is identical to ACCT G220. This course provides an introduction to the fundamentals and techniques of investigative and forensics accounting. The development of forensic accounting as a discipline and its interaction with business, law, auditing and information systems will be explored. Subjects include financial statement and tax fraud, divorce and bankruptcy, identity theft and various white-collar crimes. Forensic principles necessary to detect, prevent and prosecute financial crimes will be explored. Graded or Pass/No Pass option.