

HOMELAND SECURITY, A.A.S.

The **Homeland Security degree** is designed to increase the knowledge of personnel working in the arenas of public administration, public safety, public health, law enforcement, intelligence, and private security management. This degree provides an introduction to the threats posed by domestic, international, and transnational terrorism, geo-political threats posed by nation states, and natural disasters. Students will explore the underlying factors that lead to global instability and domestic vulnerability, while learning best practices behind successful threat assessment and security planning. This degree requires a minimum of 64 credits in program requirements, program electives, electives and general education in the courses listed below.

For more information about Justice Studies, please visit the program page (<http://www.cod.edu/justice-studies/>).

Degree Requirements

Field of Study Code: CRIMJ.AAS.HOME

Code	Title	Credits
Program Requirements		
CRIMJ 1100	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
CRIMJ 1145	Introduction to Homeland Security	3
CRIMJ 1147	Introduction to Domestic, International, and Transnational Terrorism	3
CRIMJ 1151	Constitutional Law	3
CRIMJ 2150	Multiculturalism and Diversity	3
POLS 1100	Introduction to Political Science	3
Program Electives		
Select 18 credits from the following:		18
CRIMJ 1140		
CRIMJ 1142	Private Security and Law Enforcement	
CRIMJ 1146	Critical Infrastructure: Vulnerabilities Solutions	
CRIMJ 1148	Emergency Management I	
CRIMJ 1165	Computers and Criminal Justice	
CRIMJ 2130	Emergency Management II	
CRIMJ 2140	Introduction to Intelligence	
CRIMJ 2141	Intelligence Analysis	
CRIMJ 2160	Weapons of Mass Destruction	
Electives		
Select 10 credits from any 1000- or 2000-level courses		10
General Education		
Select 18 to 22 credits ¹		18-22
Total Credits		64-68

¹ In addition to the courses listed above.

General Education Requirements

For general education requirements for the A.A.S. degree, please visit the A.A.S. degree catalog page (<https://catalog.cod.edu/associate-degree-programs/associate-applied-science-degree/>).