



## Bachelor of Criminology and Criminal Justice (Domestic students)

### Program code

1384

### Available at

Online

### Duration

3 years full-time

6 years part-time

### Credit points

240

### Indicative fee

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### Admission requirements

Any 2 OUA undergraduate units with  
4.0 GPA

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### Commencing in

OUA - Study periods 1, 2, 3 and 4

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### Degree requirements: Students who started OUA - Study Period 2 - 2023

To be eligible for the award of *Bachelor of Criminology and Criminal Justice (BCCJ)*, a student must complete 24 units as prescribed below:

- at least eight units must be Griffith University units studied at second or third year level
- completion of eight units at first year level in Criminology and Criminal Justice
- completion of five compulsory Criminology and Criminal Justice units
- completion of eight units from the Criminal Justice Major
- at least six units in the degree must be at third year level
- completion of three elective units
- students must not study more than 10 units at first year level
- students must complete this degree within 8 years.

This degree may be awarded **with Distinction** where a student achieves a minimum program GPA of 6.5 with no failed courses. The words "This award was achieved with Distinction" will be recorded on the testamur.

### Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) Level and Type

The [Australian Qualifications Framework](#) (AQF) is the national policy for regulated qualifications in Australian education and training. This qualification is accredited as an AQF Level 7 - Bachelor Degree.

### Program learning outcomes

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[Program Learning Outcomes](#) communicate to the community the value of the Griffith educational experience as benchmarked against national qualification standards.

[Program Learning Outcomes for this award](#) describe the knowledge, skills and the application of knowledge and skills you will acquire through studying the Griffith program of your choice.

### Course list: Students starting OUA - Study Period 2 - 2023

Please refer to the Open Universities Australia (OUA) website for the [Bachelor of Criminology and Criminal Justice](#) details.

### Core units

Students must complete the following eight units:

OUA - Study Period	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
1&3	CCJ101		Criminology Skills (see Note 1) (not offered from 2024)	10
			<b>OR</b>	
1&3	CCJ102		Developing Professionally 1 (offered from 2024)	10
2&4	CCJ110		Mental Health, Psychology and the Criminal Justice System	10
2&4	CCJ114		Homicide (see Note 2)	10
1&3	CCJ112		Police, Courts and Criminal Law	10
2&4	CCJ103		Law, Crime and Justice	10
1&3	CCJ113		Introduction to Criminology and Criminal Justice	10
1&3	CCJ108		Social Problems - (In)equality and (In)justice	10
2&4	CCJ109		Doing Criminology	10

Note 1: Students who have completed CCJ16 or COM15 or CCJ101 do not need to enrol in CCJ102 Developing Professionally 1.

Note 2: Students who have completed CCJ15 and CCJ11 as part of their degree can only enrol in CCJ114 as one of their electives.

### Compulsory units

Students must complete the following five units:

OUA - Study Period	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
2&4	CCJ200		Psychological Explanations of Criminal Behaviour	10
1&3	CCJ207		Crime, Society and Culture	10
1&3	CCJ209		Quantitative Methods for Social Research	10
1&3	CCJ312		Social Science Research Method	10
2&4	CCJ330		Applied Criminal Justice	10

### Major and Elective units

Students must complete the following units:

OUA - Study Period	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
			Criminal Justice major	80
			Electives	30

### Majors (1 available) Criminal Justice

Students must complete eight units from the following list:

OUA - Study Period	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
1&3	CCJ202		Introduction to Policing	10
1&3	CCJ203		Introduction to Corrections	10
2&4	CCJ215		Gender, Crime and Justice	10
2&4	CCJ217		Forensic Science and Criminal Justice (not offered from 2024)	10
1&3	CCJ218		White Collar Crime (formerly CCJ31) (not offered from 2024)	10
2&4	CCJ220		Counter-Terrorism Law	10
2&4	CCJ303		Rehabilitating Offenders	10
2&4	CCJ306		Punishment, Justice and Reform	10
1&3	CCJ317		Youth Justice	10
1&3	CCJ318		Crime Analysis and Investigation (not offered from 2024)	10
1&3	CCJ319		Race, Crime and Justice	10
2&4	CCJ326		Fraud and Cybercrime	10
1&3	CCJ307		Developing Professionally (not offered from 2024)	10
			<b>OR</b>	
1&3	CCJ201		Developing Professionally 2 (offered from 2024)	10
2&4	CCJ205		Understanding Prevention (offered from 2024)	10
1&3	CCJ334		Understanding Domestic and Family Violence (offered from 2024)	10

### Electives (1 available)

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Students must complete three units of electives.

OUA - Study Period	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
			Electives (see Note 1)	30

Note 1: Students should refer to [Open Universities Australia \(OUA\)](#) for available electives.