

Northwest Indian College to Lewis-Clark State College

Justice Studies 2025-2026

Advising Guide



NORTHWEST INDIAN COLLEGE
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GENERAL EDUCATION

Course #	Course Title	CR	
CMST 101 or 220	Intro/Oral Comm or Public Speaking	4	
CMPS 101	Introduction to Computers	3	
HMDV 110	Introduction to Successful Learning	4	
Foundational Requirements			
CSOV 101	Introduction to Cultural Sovereignty	5	
CSOV 102	Languages of Our Ancestors	5	
CSOV 120	Reclaiming our History	5	
POLS 225	History of Federal Indian Policy	5	
English Composition			
ENGL 101	English Composition I	5	
ENGL 102	English Composition II	5	
Quantitative Skills			
Select at least 1 course, in consultation with NWIC advisor		5	
Humanities			
Select at least 5 credits, in consultation with NWIC advisor		5	
Social Sciences			
SOCI 110	Introduction to Sociology	5	
Natural Sciences			
Choose courses from at least two subjects with no more than 10 credits from any one subject. Include at least 10 credits in physical or biological sciences. Include at least one laboratory class designated NSL.		15	
Electives			
A minimum of 8 credits of courses coded CS, HP, HT, NS, NSL, QS, SS, or TE from at least two subjects. A maximum of 3 credits of Physical Education (PHED) may be used as TE electives. A maximum of 11 NE credits may be chosen from any course numbered 100 to 299.		19	
Additional NWIC courses that meet LC State BA/BS Degree **			
POLS 118	Rights of Indian Tribes**	3	
POLS 119	Native American Fisheries Treaty Rights**	3	
PSYC 220	Abnormal Psychology**	5	
Total Quarter Credits for Associate's Degree		90	
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PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

Course #	Course Title	CR	
Major Courses			
JS 103	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	
JS 201	Police in America	3	
JS 202	Corrections in America	3	
JS 225	Criminal Procedure	3	
JS/SOC 320	Juvenile Delinquency	3	
JS 325	Criminal Law	3	
JS/SOC 345	Criminology	3	
JS 475	Crime, Justice, and Ethics	3	
JS 480	Victimology	3	
JS 495	Practicum in Justice Studies	3	
JS 499	Research Project/Seminar	3	
SS 385	Research Methodology	3	
JS 422*	Race, Class, Gender, and Justice	3	
JS 425*	Violence and Gender	3	
Justice Studies Global Perspective Course - Select from list in consultation with LCS State advisor*		3	
*May take 16 credits foreign/heritage language instead of JS 422, JS 425, and Global Perspective Class			
Select 1 of the following emphasis areas & work with LC State advisor to determine specific classes			
<i>Policing and Law enforcement:</i>			
ADS 343, JS/SOC 275, JS 280, JS 310, JS 333, JS 401, JS 403, JS 484, POLS 345, SOC 375		15	
<i>Law and Legal System Emphasis:</i>			
BUS 365, ID 300H, JS 280, JS 310, JS 333, JS 403, JS 484, POLS 200, POLS 345		15	
<i>Corrections and Human Services Emphasis:</i>			
ADS 343, ADS 443, JS 302, JS 310, JS 333, JS 402, JS 484, PSYC 311, SOC 315, SOC 375		15	
Graduation Requirements			
Residency Credits		32	
Upper Division Credits		36	
Total Semester Credits		120	
Notes:			

Complete all required/elective coursework for the Associate of Arts and Sciences, General Direct Transfer degree, at Northwest Indian College (90 quarter credits minimum).

- This advising guide is based on the completion of an appropriate Associate's degree (typically an AA-DTA or AS-DTA) with additions made to meet lower division requirements.
- 32 Residency (LC State) credits required for graduation.
- 36 credits must be upper division.
- LC State classes available online (asynchronous) or virtual remote (meet at set times via video conferencing).
- This is just a guide. Please check with your advisor to ensure you earn at least 32 credits at LC State and have completed 36 upper division credits