

# LAW ENFORCEMENT AND LEGAL STUDIES

## ASSOCIATE DEGREE PROGRAMS

Law Enforcement  
Paralegal Studies



## LAW ENFORCEMENT (LENF)

ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE (A.S.) DEGREE

Community College of Rhode Island offers a degree program for individuals interested in a career in law enforcement and for those currently working in the field. The program is designed to give students a background in academic courses as well as specialized training.

### GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

COURSE NO.	COURSE TITLE	CREDITS
<input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 1010* <b>OR</b> <input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 1005*	Composition I <b>OR</b> College Writing	3
<input type="checkbox"/> MATH Elective*	Any 1000 level	3
<input type="checkbox"/> PSYC 1030 <b>OR</b> <input type="checkbox"/> PSYC 2010	Psychology of Personal Psychology	3
<input type="checkbox"/> SOCS 1010 <b>OR</b>	General Sociology <b>OR</b>	3
<input type="checkbox"/> SOCS 2300	Criminology	3
<input type="checkbox"/> SPCH 1100	Oral Communication I	3
<input type="checkbox"/> Humanities/Social Science Electives	Choose two courses: ENGL: 1200, 1230, 1250, 1290, any one semester history course; POLS 1010, 1030; PSYC 1970, 2020; SOCS 2030, 2050; SPAN 1230	6
<b>Total General Education Credits</b>		<b>21</b>

\*Placement test required

+ **New capstone course for students enrolling in the Law Enforcement major on or after the Fall 2008 semester.** There will be a capstone course required to integrate learning from prior coursework. Students will need to have taken LAWS 1010, 1020, 1030, 2010, and 2030 prior to taking Case Studies in Criminal Law. A description of the capstone course requirement appears on the department's Web site at [www.ccri.edu/laws](http://www.ccri.edu/laws) and in the catalog.

### MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

COURSE NO.	COURSE TITLE	CREDITS
<input type="checkbox"/> COMI 1100	Introduction to Computers	3
<input type="checkbox"/> LAWS 1000	Introduction to Law Enforcement	3
<input type="checkbox"/> LAWS 1010	Criminal Law	3
<input type="checkbox"/> LAWS 1020	Criminal Procedure	3
<input type="checkbox"/> LAWS 1030	Criminalistics I	3
<input type="checkbox"/> LAWS 1040 <b>P</b>	Criminalistics II	3
<input type="checkbox"/> LAWS 2000	Constitutional Law	3
<input type="checkbox"/> LAWS 2010	Law of Evidence	3
<input type="checkbox"/> LAWS 2030	Criminal Law and the Constitution	3
<input type="checkbox"/> LAWS 2040	Law and Society	3
<input type="checkbox"/> LAWS 2050	Law of Contracts	3
<input type="checkbox"/> LAWS Elective	Select from: LAWS 1050, 1060, 2070, 2060, 2100	3
<input type="checkbox"/> LAWS 2500+ <b>P</b>	Case Studies in Criminal Law (Capstone Course) +	3
<b>Total Major Requirements Credits</b>		<b>39</b>

**Total Credits for Program**

**60**

## TIP:

Take a balance of General Education and major requirements courses, in the order they are listed.