

Public Safety Administration

Degree Awarded

The Associate in Applied Science Degree - Public Safety Administration is awarded by the college upon completion of this program. Students may select one of the following tracks within the program:

- Public Safety Administration - Emergency and Fire Services Track (A55480E) (p. 1)
- Public Safety Administration - Fire Management (A55480F) (p. 1)

Admissions

- A high school diploma or equivalent is required.
- Some courses require placement tests prior to registration.
- Many courses have prerequisites or co-requisites; check the Courses section for details.

Contact Information

The Public Safety Administration program is in the Public Safety and Transport Technology Division. For more information, contact the Public Safety Administration Program Chair, Michael Ripoll, at 704-330-2722 extension 7182.

Public Safety Administration - Emergency and Fire Management Services Track (A55480E)

General Education Requirements

ENG 111	Writing and Inquiry	3.0
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Select one of the following courses:	3.0
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COM 110	Introduction to Communication	
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COM 231	Public Speaking	
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ENG 112	Writing and Research in the Disciplines	
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ENG 113	Literature-Based Research	
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ENG 114	Professional Research & Reporting	
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Select one of the following courses:	3.0
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ART 111	Art Appreciation	
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ART 114	Art History Survey I	
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ART 115	Art History Survey II	
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HUM 120	Cultural Studies	
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HUM 130	Myth in Human Culture	
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MUS 110	Music Appreciation	
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MUS 112	Introduction to Jazz	
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PHI 215	Philosophical Issues	
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PHI 240	Introduction to Ethics	
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Select one of the following courses:	3.0
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POL 120	American Government	
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PSY 150	General Psychology	
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Select one of the following courses:	3.0
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MAT 143	Quantitative Literacy	
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MAT 152	Statistical Methods I	
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Major Requirements

Required courses:

ACA 122	College Transfer Success	1.0
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PAD 151	Introduction to Public Administration	3.0
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PAD 252	Public Policy Analysis	3.0
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PAD 254	Grant Writing	3.0
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Select one from the following courses:	3.0
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EPT 124	Emergency Management Services Law & Ethics	
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FIP 152	Fire Protection Law	
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PAD 152	Ethics in Government	
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Select one from the following courses:	3.0
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FIP 228	Local Government Finance	
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PAD 251	Public Finance & Budgeting	
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Select one from the following courses:	3.0
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CJC 170	Critical Incident Management for Public Safety	
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EPT 150	Incident Management	
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Select one from the following courses:	2.0
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CJC 240	Law Enforcement Management & Supervision	
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EMS 235	EMS Management	
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FIP 276	Managing Fire Services	
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Track technical required courses:	21.0
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CJC 162	Intelligence Analysis and Security Management	
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EPT 140	Emergency Management	
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EPT 210	Response & Recovery	
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FIP 132	Building Construction	
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FIP 240	Fire Service Supervision	
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FIP 248	Fire Service Personnel Administration	
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FIP 256	Municipal Public Relations	
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Select 9.0 credits from the following courses:	9.0
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CJC 122	Community Policing	
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CJC 212	Ethics & Community Relations	
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CJC 215	Organization & Administration	
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CJC 264	Policing in the 21st Century	
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EMS 140	Rescue Scene Management	
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EMS 110	EMT	
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EMS 235	EMS Management	
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FIP 146	Fire Protection Systems	
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FIP 224	Fire Instructor I & II	
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PST 171	NCCCS Public Safety Training	
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PST 172	NCCCS Public Safety Training	
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PST 173	NCCCS Public Safety Training	
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PST 174	NCCCS Public Safety Training	
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PST 175	NCCCS Public Safety Training	
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PST 176	NCCCS Public Safety Training	
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PST 177	NCCCS Public Safety Training	
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PST 178	NCCCS Public Safety Training	
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PST 179	NCCCS Public Safety Training	
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Total Credits	66
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Public Safety Administration - Fire Management (A55480F)

General Education Requirements

ENG 111	Writing and Inquiry	3.0
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Select one of the following:	3.0
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COM 110	Introduction to Communication	
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COM 231	Public Speaking	
ENG 112	Writing and Research in the Disciplines	
ENG 113	Literature-Based Research	
ENG 114	Professional Research & Reporting	
Select one of the following:		3.0
ART 111	Art Appreciation	
ART 114	Art History Survey I	
ART 115	Art History Survey II	
HUM 120	Cultural Studies	
HUM 130	Myth in Human Culture	
MUS 110	Music Appreciation	
MUS 112	Introduction to Jazz	
PHI 215	Philosophical Issues	
PHI 240	Introduction to Ethics	
Select one of the following:		3.0
POL 120	American Government	
PSY 150	General Psychology	
Select one of the following:		3.0
MAT 143	Quantitative Literacy	
MAT 152	Statistical Methods I	

Major Requirements

ACA 122	College Transfer Success	1.0
PAD 151	Introduction to Public Administration	3.0
PAD 252	Public Policy Analysis	3.0
PAD 254	Grant Writing	3.0
Select one of the following:		3.0
EPT 124	Emergency Management Services Law & Ethics	
FIP 152	Fire Protection Law	
PAD 152	Ethics in Government	
Select one from the following:		3.0
FIP 228	Local Government Finance	
PAD 251	Public Finance & Budgeting	
Select one from the following:		3.0
CJC 170	Critical Incident Management for Public Safety	
EPT 150	Incident Management	
Select one from the following:		2.0
CJC 240	Law Enforcement Management & Supervision	
EMS 235	EMS Management	
FIP 276	Managing Fire Services	

Technical Requirements

EPT 140	Emergency Management	3.0
FIP 120	Introduction to Fire Protection	3.0
FIP 132	Building Construction	3.0
FIP 140	Industrial Fire Protection	3.0
FIP 220	Fire Fighting Strategies	3.0
FIP 240	Fire Service Supervision	3.0
FIP 248	Fire Service Personnel Administration	3.0
Select 9.0 credits from the following:		9.0
EPT 210	Response & Recovery	
FIP 124	Fire Prevention & Public Education	
FIP 128	Detection and Investigation	
FIP 136	Inspections and Codes	

FIP 146	Fire Protection Systems	
FIP 221	Advanced Fire Fighting Strategies	
FIP 224	Fire Instructor I & II	
FIP 226	Fire Officer I & II	
FIP 229	Fire Dynamics and Combustion	
FIP 230	Chemistry of Hazardous Materials I	
FIP 231	Chemistry of Hazardous Materials II	
FIP 256	Municipal Public Relations	
FIP 277	Fire and Social Behavior	
CJC 122	Community Policing	
CJC 215	Organization & Administration	
EMS 110	EMT	
EMS 140	Rescue Scene Management	
WBL 111	Work-Based Learning I	
WBL 112	Work-Based Learning I	
PST 171	NCCCS Public Safety Training	
PST 172	NCCCS Public Safety Training	
PST 173	NCCCS Public Safety Training	
PST 174	NCCCS Public Safety Training	
PST 175	NCCCS Public Safety Training	
PST 176	NCCCS Public Safety Training	
PST 177	NCCCS Public Safety Training	
PST 178	NCCCS Public Safety Training	
PST 179	NCCCS Public Safety Training	

Total Credits **66**